

PART II

THE SOLUTION

ROMANS

— I AM NOT ASHAMED OF THE GOSPEL —

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SERMON NOTES

Because of Jesus , Part 1
Romans 5:1-2

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Romans 5:1-2 (NLT)

Therefore, since we have been made right in God's sight by faith, we have peace with God because of what Jesus Christ our Lord has done for us. Because of our faith, Christ has brought us into this place of undeserved privilege where we now stand, and we confidently and joyfully look forward to sharing God's glory.

3 benefits of a relationship with Jesus

1. Because of Jesus...You have peace with God.

Verse 1

Therefore, since we have been made right in God's sight by faith, we have peace with God...

Isaiah 53:5 (NIV)

But He was pierced for our transgressions, He was crushed for our iniquities; the punishment that brought us peace was upon Him, and by His wounds we are healed.

“The only way a lawbreaker can be at peace with the law is to suffer the punishment that the law demands. Jesus kept the Law perfectly, yet He suffered the whipping that belonged to us. Because He took our place, we now have peace with God and cannot be condemned by God's law.”

Warren Wiersbe

2. Because of Jesus...You have access to God.

Verse 2

Because of our faith, Christ has brought us into this place of undeserved privilege where we now stand, and we confidently and joyfully look forward to sharing God's glory.

Luke 23:44-46 (NLT)

Ephesians 2:11-13 (NIV)

1 Peter 3:18 (NIV84)

For Christ died for sins once and for all, the righteous for the unrighteous, to bring you to God...

3. Because of Jesus...You have a future in glory.

Verse 2b

Because of our faith, Christ has brought us into this place of undeserved privilege where we now stand, and we confidently and joyfully look forward to sharing God's glory.

John 14:1-3 (NIV84)

1 Peter 1:3-9 (NIV)