



EXALTING JESUS CHRIST

PROCLAIMING GOD'S GRACE

Corrective Grace to

Run the Race

2Peter 1:1-11

Main Point: Corrective Grace is confrontational love to preserve the fruit of the Gospel in our lives.

I. Corrective Grace is Important because what it preserves is priceless

1. The Gospel has come to make a difference
2. The Gospel difference emerges in real life over time

II. Unpacking Corrective Grace

1. Peter's correction sees the behavior, but focuses on the heart.
2. Peter's correction is based on family relationship and responsibility.
3. Peter's correction is from one grace-need to another.
4. Peter's correction puts grace at the center, not change in behavior.
5. Peter's correction assumes that folks want to change.

6. Peter's correction hangs its hope on the promises of God.

Application: How can we be "correctable people"?

1. Invite it: Ask for correction, seek to understand, don't contend or explain.
2. Invest it: Look for something of value from God.
3. Interact it: Take it to others-triangulate it so you don't strangle it.