

²The Gospel of God...³concerning his Son, who was descended from David according to the flesh ⁴and was declared to be the Son of God in power according to the Spirit of holiness by his resurrection from the dead, Jesus Christ our Lord, ⁵**through whom we have received grace and apostleship to bring about the obedience of faith** for the sake of his name among all the nations,

Grace and Apostleship

Acts 22:1-21/ Acts 26:17-18

The obedience of faith

Rom. 16:26 – Beginning and end. This is what the letter is all about!

Rom. 6:16-19 – Obedience from the heart – the whole being – conversion

Rom. 10:1-4 – Jews did not submit (lack of obedience)

Rom. 10:16 - They have not obeyed

Acts 17:30 – Obey! Repent!

John 6:28-29 – What must we do?

1 John 3:23 – This is His commandment

John 16:9 – Essence of sin

1 John 5:10 – We make God a liar!

Sinners have rejected the Word of God.

Christians are obedient to the Word of God. Surrender.

Matthew 21:28-32 – The parable of the two sons.