Be Strong in Grace Second Timothy 2:1

I. Review (2 Timothy 1)

II. Understanding Grace (2 Timothy 2:1; Ephesians 2:8-9; Romans 5:20-21)

- A. Grace is freely given and freely received.
- B. Grace cannot be overwhelmed by anything.
- C. We know we have received grace because of saving faith in Jesus Christ.

III. Why Are We Weak in Grace (2 Timothy 3:16; Matthew 4:4; Hebrews 6:1; Hebrews 12:3; 2 Corinthians 12:7-10)

A. Low view of Scripture.

B. Famine of Scripture

C. Unwillingness to grow.

D. Suffering while not resting in Christ

- IV. Be Strong in Grace (2 Timothy 3:16; Romans 10:17; Isaiah 55:11; Psalm 1; Joshua 24:15; 2 Corinthians 12:7-10)
 - A. Submit to the Word.
 - B. Meditate on the Word (read, study, pray, apply)
 - C. Reject alternative sources of "grace"
 - D. Don't measure grace by personal experience.