

Concerning this salvation, the prophets, who prophesied about the grace that would come to you, searched and carefully investigated. They inquired into what time or what circumstances the Spirit of Christ within them was indicating when he testified in advance to the sufferings of Christ and the glories that would follow. It was revealed to them that they were not serving themselves but you. These things have now been announced to you through those who preached the gospel to you by the Holy Spirit sent from heaven—angels long to catch a glimpse of these things. - 1 Peter 1:10-12

“Blessed are your eyes because they do see, and your ears because they do hear. For truly I tell you, many prophets and righteous people longed to see the things you see but didn’t see them, to hear the things you hear but didn’t hear them.” - Matthew 13:16-17

1. If you had to describe the gospel in one word, choose GRACE.

“There are not thousands of religions. There are not even hundreds of religions. There are only two: one which tells you that salvation comes as a reward for what you have done, and one which tells you that salvation comes by what somebody else does for you. That’s Christianity. All the rest fit under the other. And if you think you can get your salvation by your own efforts, then Christianity has nothing to say to you. But if you know you need to be saved, then you are a candidate.” - Harry Ironside

2. If you want to know what the gospel is, look at WHO Jesus is and WHAT Jesus has done.

3. If you want to know where to gaze on the gospel, open the BIBLE.

4. If you want to understand and find joy in the Bible, ask the Holy Spirit to open your eyes to see the **SUFFERINGS** and **GLORY** of **CHRIST**.