

FAITH

A MESSAGE SERIES BY PASTOR GREGG MATTE



Faith Justifies

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_____ : **When God declares sinners righteous on the basis of faith in His Son, Jesus Christ.**

FIVE BENEFITS OF JUSTIFICATION

▶ **Benefit #1** – Having _____ with God. *John 14:27; Philippians 4:7*

▶ **Benefit #2** – Obtaining _____ to God. *2 Corinthians 3:4; Ephesians 3:12*

Note the progression: Affliction → _____ → Proven Character → Hope

▶ **Benefit #3** – Learning to _____. *Psalms 118:24; Philippians 4:4*

- In hope
- In affliction

▶ **Benefit #4** – Cultivating God-honoring _____. *1 Samuel 16:7; Philippians 4:8*

▶ **Benefit #5** – Possessing God's _____ within. *Mark 12:30; John 13:34*

Sermon in a Sentence: *“Justification is the truly dramatic transition from the status of a condemned criminal awaiting a terrible sentence to that of an heir awaiting a fabulous inheritance.” - J.I. Packer*

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