

“What Will You Do With A Second Chance?”

(Overcoming The Past)

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Highline Christian Church

Even though you have been h_____, you can become a h_____ h_____.

The Bible is full of God’s people who have failed:

A_____ and E_____; N_____;
D_____; P_____ and _____.

“...Christ Jesus came into the world to save sinners---of whom I am the worst.” 1 Tim 1:15

“the least of the apostles.” 1 Cor. 15:9

“the less than the least of all saints” Eph. 3:8

1. We Are All _____!

Notice the difference between what happens when a man says to himself, “I have _____ three times,” and “I am a _____.”

Failure _____ us all.

2. Your Failure Is Written In _____!

“God puts people right through their faith in Jesus Christ. God does this to all who believe in Christ, because there is no difference at all: **everyone has sinned** and is far away from God’s saving presence. **But by the free gift of God’s grace all are put right with him through Christ Jesus, who sets them free.**”

Rom. 3:22-24

Mercy is when God _____ us what we deserve.

Grace is when God _____ what we don’t deserve.

3. Failure’s Grip On You Changes In View Of God’s _____!

“But he (God) said to me, ‘My grace is sufficient for you, for my power is made perfect in weakness.’” 2 Cor. 12:9

Your failure is written in _____ and God’s grace is written in _____.