

50 POSITIONAL TRUTHS

#39: “Privilege of Open and Free Access to God”

Positional Truth #39 is the permanent grace blessing of having open and free access to God:

Ephesians 2:18 for through Him we both have our **access** in one Spirit to the Father.

Romans 5:2 through whom also we have obtained **our access** by faith into this grace in which we stand; and we exult in hope of the glory of God.

Hebrews 4:14 Since then we have a great high priest who has passed through the heavens, Jesus the Son of God, let us hold fast our confession. ¹⁵ For we do not have a high priest who cannot sympathize with our weaknesses, but One who has been tempted in all things as *we are*, yet without sin. ¹⁶ **Let us therefore draw near with confidence** to the throne of grace, that we may receive mercy and may find grace to help in time of need.

Hebrews 10:19 Since therefore, brethren, **we have confidence to enter the holy place** by the blood of Jesus, ²⁰ by a new and living way which He inaugurated for us through the veil, that is, His flesh,

Regardless of where we are in the plan of God (baby believer or mature believer; carnal or spiritual; growing in grace or plunging deeper into reversionism), we always have open and free access to God—free to us because it was paid for in full by Jesus Christ. As children of God we will always be able to come to God with our needs and seek His help in our struggles. And we all have struggles, either due to carnality and human viewpoint choices or due to the fact that only through struggles can we actually become virtuous—be better people! Apart from the tests of life, we never grow up; we remain children. We have a whole generation of children in adult bodies: narcissistic boy-men and girl-women. The phenomenon of boy-men getting married and having children, and then deciding they are not having fun so they get a divorce is a symptom of their puerility. Before a person gets married he needs to grow up, and most definitely: after having children he *must* stop being a little boy and be a man. It is time to step up and be a man who understands his responsibility to his children. When we have a whole society of little boys in men’s bodies and little girls in women’s bodies—for the latter note the reality shows—our whole culture becomes pathological as children learn how not to care anymore. What a mess!

As far as God is concerned when we are born again, we become God’s children. I remember when my two children were born. I remember the immediate love I experienced. In fact, the love a parent has for a child is probably the only *instant* love one experiences. Other loves usually take time to develop; one must learn about the person. But with your children there is a love, a deep concern for their wellbeing that is unconditional. A parent (normal) has a natural powerful love for his child regardless of the child. The child is your child no matter what. The child has an

access to you that no one else has. This is even more true of God than for us. Because of the impassibility, immutability, and simplicity of God, He has a special love for believers that is never ending and never changing. Wow!

A composite esse (a substance, specie, genus with properties, accidents; a body, soul, spirit) given esse by Simplicity (no metaphysical or physical composition),

Pastor Don