

God's mercy is seen in the covenant of grace Genesis 3:15

Review:

**What is a covenant? A covenant is an agreement between two parties
_____ the parties together**

**What was the first covenant God made with man? The covenant of
_____ -which was the covenant God made with Adam who
was the representative of all mankind**

**What happened with this first covenant? Adam _____ it
plunging all mankind into sin and death**

**God still requires the covenant of works to be _____ -
perfection to the law must be obtained**

“God’s relationship to His creature did not terminate with man’s sin. The wonder of the gracious character of the Creator manifests itself immediately. Judgment indeed must fall. But even in the midst of judgment hope for restoration appears. God binds Himself now to redeem a people to Himself.”

-O. Palmer Robertson

**As God is declaring the _____ judgments upon mankind
for their treachery, it pleased the Lord to make a new binding
agreement with mankind (now fallen)-this is known as the covenant
of _____**

Genesis 3:15

**God, knowing that man was now unable to fulfill the covenant of
works, promised _____ and life to fallen mankind through
the work of One who was to come (The Lord Jesus Christ)**

**-This One to come would _____ the covenant of
works and also would suffer the curse for the breaking of
this covenant-thus fulfilling both its requirements and its
punishments**

**-What is now required in the New Covenant on man's part is
_____ -faith in the One Mediator (the Lord Jesus
Christ)**

1 Timothy 2:5

**All people who have ever been saved have been saved through faith
in Christ and are under the "covenant of _____"-all the
people of God are one in Christ by the regenerating grace of the
Spirit**

**_____ the covenants God gave to mankind since the Fall are to
be seen as fitting into and pointing toward this "covenant of grace"**

2 Corinthians 1:20

*"All of the covenants were the development of one single promise, not
many promises...all the divine covenants relate to the unfolding of the
single promise of salvation...the truth is that the way or scheme of
salvation has been one and the same in all ages."*

-Samuel Waldron

**The _____ of man is never in his obedience to the moral law
but is in Jesus Christ**

*"Moreover, man having brought himself under the curse of the law by
his fall, it pleased the Lord to make a covenant of grace, wherein He
freely offered unto sinners life and salvation by Jesus Christ, requiring of
them faith in Him, that they may be saved...this covenant is revealed in
the gospel; first of all to Adam in the promise of salvation by the seed of
the woman, and afterwards by further steps, until the full discovery
thereof was completed in the New Testament."*

-LBC chapter 7 paragraphs 2 & 3