

MID-MORNING FEATURING DR. MITCHELL KRUSE

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**RESTORATION THEOLOGY
HAMARTIALOLOGY: THE STUDY OF SIN**

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Desiring life apart from God (Romans 14:23)

Sin's Triangle

After the first sin, Adam and Eve commenced the world's first self-restoration program. They:

- (1) Were *ashamed* because they had been *swayed* (Genesis 3:7)
- (2) *Hid* because they were *afraid* (Genesis 3:10)
- (3) *Blamed* because they had *disobeyed* (Genesis 3:12-13)

Since that first sin, man has repeated this self-restoration pattern, determining for himself what is right and wrong (Genesis 3:1-6)

Going Deeper: Sin and Grace (Exodus 33:18-34:9)

Four Styles of Sin and God's Contrasting Grace

- (1) Missing the mark (*hamartia*) (Romans 3:23)
Grace (Romans 6:23)
- (2) Twisting a wrong into a right (*adikia*) (1 John 5:17; Romans 1:18)
Grace (1 John 1:9)
- (3) Missing on purpose (*anomia*) (1 John 3:4)
Grace (Romans 4:7)
- (4) Leaving good undone (*paraptoma*) (James 4:17; Ephesians 2:1)
Grace (Ephesians 2:4-5)

So what? Now what?

How have you missed the mark? How have you twisted a wrong into a right? How have you missed the mark on purpose? How have you left good undone?