

ROMANS

Self-righteous -
2:1

Colosseum

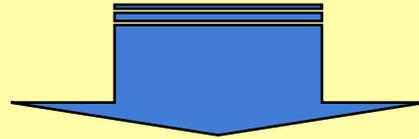




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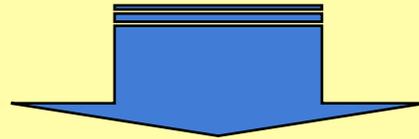
**Predicament of
Self-righteous**

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**Principles of
Judgment**

2:2-16



**Proof of
Jews' Guilt**

2:17-29

Justice *of GOD*

GOD'S JUSTICE

1. Concept

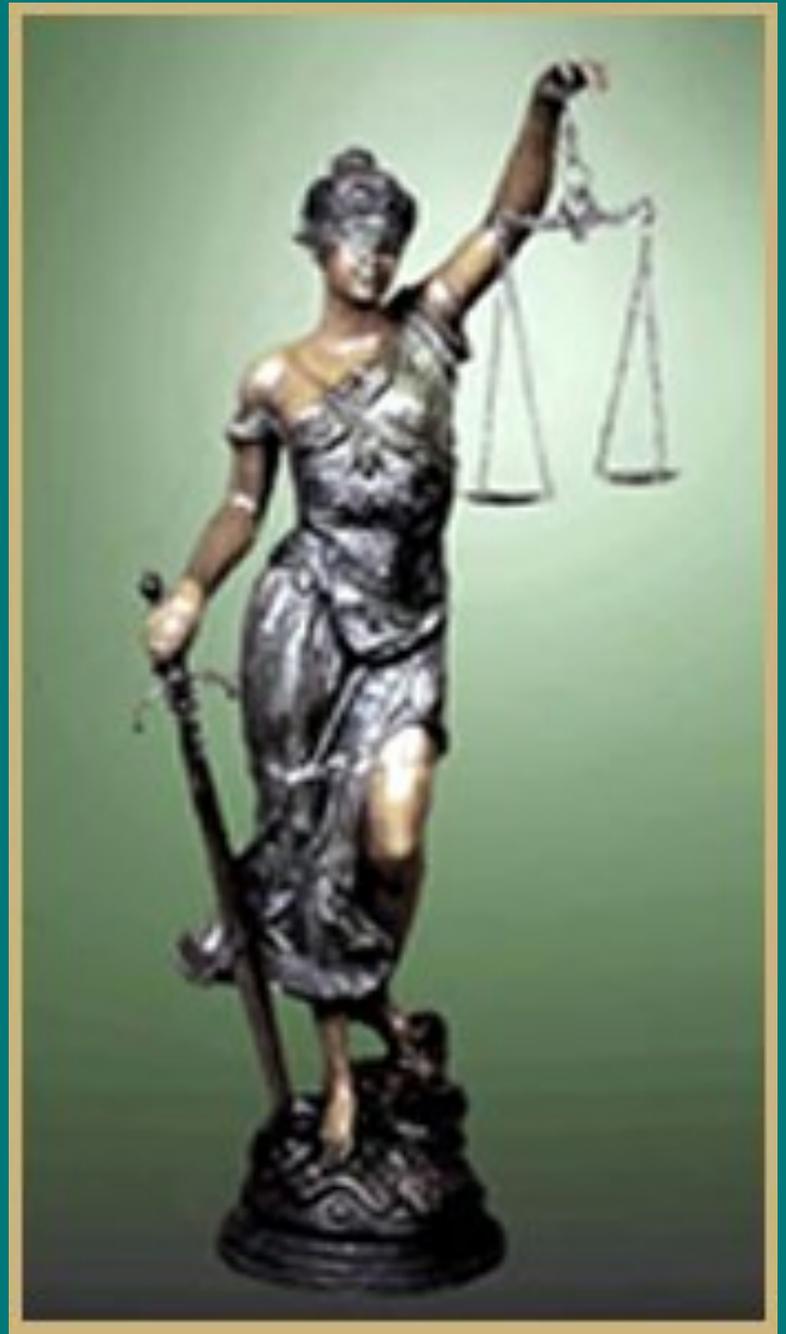
**GOD has Absolute
Right and Authority
over His Creatures**

**“Justice is that phase of
God’s holiness which is seen in
His treatment of the obedient
and the disobedient subjects of
His government.”**

WGT Shedd

GOD as JUDGE

- Sovereign
- Goodness
- Wisdom
- Power
- Righteous



JUSTICE

1. δικαίος (dikaios) - righteous,
just
2. δικαιοσύνη (dikaiosunh) -
righteousness
3. δικαίωω (dikaiōō) - to justify
4. צדק (tsahdak) - to be righteous

OUTLINE

- I. Introduction 1:1-17**
- II. Prov. of God's Righteousness 1:18-8:39**
 - A. Condemnation 1:18-3:20**
 - 1. Guilt of Humanity 1:18-32**
 - 2. Guilt of Jews 2:1-3:8**
 - a. Predicament of Self-Righteous 2:1**

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TERMS - 2:1

1. Therefore - διο (dio)
2. A defense - απολογία (apologia)
3. Without excuse - αναπολογητος (anapologetos)

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JUDGMENT

1. κρινω (krivo) - verb, to judge

JUDGMENT (κρίνω)

- 1. To judge legally, put on trial**
- 2. To make a judgment, decide**
- 3. To judge in condemning sense,
to hypocritically put oneself
in the place of a judge**

JUDGING OTHERS

1. Judging Rightly - 1Cor 5:1-3,
6:1-5, Gal 6:1

2. Judging Self - 1Cor 4:4-5

3. Judging Sinfully - Mt 7:1-5

judging
others

1. Condemning
2. Hypocritically
3. Without love
4. Spitefully

5. Setting oneself above another
6. With critical spirit



JUDGING
SINFULLY

TRUTH KNOWN

- 1. Existence of God - 1:19**
- 2. Some attributes of God - 1:20**
- 3. Accountability to God - 1:20**
- 4. God's Standards - 2:1**
- 5. Man's condemnation 2:1**

GEN 3 TRUTH

- 1. Need for restoration - 3:7**
- 2. Sense guilt - 3:8**
- 3. Sense inadequacy - 3:7, 10**
- 4. Suppress truth - 3:11**

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JUDGMENT

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2. κατακρινω (katakriino) - verb,
to condemn

CONDEMN (κατακρινω)

- 1. Jesus condemned to death**
- 2. God condemning as Judge**
- 3. Men condemning**

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Sea of Galilee

**We yearn for justice
yet cannot stand before it
but have received GRACE!!**