

ROMANS



Inescapability -
2:3-4

Colosseum

NATURE OF GOD

- 1. Omnipotent - 1:16, 20**
- 2. Righteous - 1:17,**
- 3. Wrath - 1:18, 24f**
- 4. Revealer - 1:20, 18**
- 5. Glorious - 1:23**
- 6. Immutable - 1:23**
- 7. Law Giver - 1:32**
- 8. Judge - 2:2-3**
- 9. Kindness ... - 2:4**

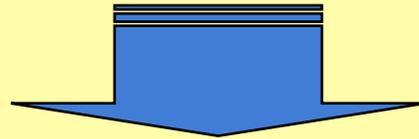
**Predicament of
Self-righteous**

2:1



**Principles of
Judgment**

2:2-16



**Proof of
Jews' Guilt**

2:17-29

Justice *of GOD*

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**
 - b. Principles of God's Judgment 2:2-16**

**2:2 And we know that the
judgment of God rightly falls
upon those who practice such
things.**

According to TRUTH

- **κατα αληθεια**
- **Reality**
- **Truth as God sees it**
- **Absolute Truth**
- **Omniscient Knowledge**

God is Truth & God Knows all Truth



nothing will escape His notice

PRINCIPLES OF JUDGMENT



1. Based on Truth

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2. Based on Inescapability

3-4


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**No Escape from
God's Judgment**

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JUDGMENT

1. κρινω (krino) - verb, to judge

2:1 (3x), 2:3, 12, 16, 27

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CIVIL LAW

1. Conceal offense -

Omniscient - Ps 147:5, 33:13-15

2. Escape jurisdiction -

Omnipresent - Ps 139:3, 7

3. Process breakdown -

Righteous - Ps 119:137

4. Escape from prison -

Omnipotent - Ps 90:11

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GRACE

- 1. Riches - often with His Glory**
9:23, Eph 1:18, 3:16
- 2. Kindness - His goodness**
11:22, Eph 2:7, Ps 34:8, 145:9
- 3. Tolerance - His holding back of wrath**
3:25, Act 17:30
- 4. Patience - His slowness to anger**
Ex 34:6, Ps 86:15, Jon 4:2

CYCLES OF SIN

- 1. God's Work of Grace**
- 2. Sin Begins Corrupting Effect**
- 3. God Patiently Endures Sin**
Sin Reaches Full Corruption
- 4. God Intervenes to Judge & Save**

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(4) Purpose for Repentance

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A photograph of the Sea of Galilee at sunset. The sun is a bright yellow orb on the right side of the horizon, casting a long, shimmering reflection across the water. In the middle ground, a long pier structure with several truss-like bridges extends from the left towards the center. The sky is a gradient of orange and yellow, and the water is dark with some ripples. The overall mood is serene and contemplative.

Sea of Galilee

**Everything we do should be
motivated by His GRACE
not from fear of His JUDGMENT!!!**