

## Blind Justice or Blind to Justice?

### Scripture

“Evil men do not understand justice, but those who seek the LORD understand all” (Proverbs 28:5 NKJV).

### Commentary

Evil men do not understand justice because they do not understand God. They see the perfect righteousness of God and rebel, calling it blind justice because they are unwilling to accept the fact that all men, who have not the grace of God, deserve condemnation. They are blind to justice.

However, those who know the Lord know what justice is. They know because they have submitted to it, and have been pardoned by the blood of Christ. God is just.

God did not make excuses for sin; He condemned sin, all sin. Evil men measure their sins against other men's sins, and justify themselves against an arbitrary scale like a grade school uses a bell curve. However, God measures sin against the perfect righteousness of Christ and the law. When He looked at all of mankind He concluded, “. . . There is none righteous, no, not one; There is none who understands; There is none who seeks after God” (Romans 3:10-11 NKJV).

However, to the praise of His glorious grace, “. . . He made Him who knew no sin [to be] sin for us, that we might become the righteousness of God in Him” (2 Corinthians 5:21 NKJV). He did not set His justice aside, but poured out His wrath on His only begotten Son. “. . . [A]bout the ninth hour Jesus cried out with a loud voice, saying, ‘Eli, Eli, lama sabachthani?’ that is, ‘My God, My God, why have You forsaken Me’” (Matthew 27:46 NKJV)?

My dear friend if you are a child of God you understand justice, and you understand you did not receive what you deserved. Instead you received grace, marvelous grace. Yes you are justified, but by faith. You have been declared righteous because of your faith in the atoning work of Christ, the righteous one.

Pray for those who are still blind to justice that their eyes might be opened and their souls liberated from the dominion of sin. Remember they are blind. They do not understand, nor will they understand until the Holy Spirit works the miracle of regeneration in their hearts. Pray that God does so.

### Prayer

Father, we did not understand our condition until you worked in our hearts. Have mercy Lord on others. Take the vile and glorify yourself by pouring out your grace upon them. Magnify your power with your regenerative work. We humbly ask in Jesus name, amen.