

Freedom and Justice through the Church
PT 7053
3 Credit Hours
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Biblical Foundations: New Testament

Justice and Righteousness

- [10] “Blessed are those who are persecuted for righteousness' sake, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven. (**Matthew 5:10 ESV**)
- [6] “Blessed are those who hunger and thirst for righteousness, for they shall be satisfied. (**Matthew 5:6 ESV**)
- Matthew 25

The Cross

Biblical Justice:

Biblical Injustice:

Romans 5:18-19 ESV

[18] Therefore, as one trespass led to condemnation for all men, so one act of righteousness leads to justification and life for all men. [19] For as by the one man's disobedience the many were made sinners, so by the one man's obedience the many will be made righteous.

1 Peter 3:18 ESV

[18] For Christ also suffered once for sins, the righteous for the unrighteous, that he might bring us to God, being put to death in the flesh but made alive in the spirit,

So Christ _____ Justice on the Cross.

Our justice movement must be about _____ Jesus Christ!

The Cross is greatest _____ of justice.

Luke 9:28-36 ESV

[28] Now about eight days after these sayings he took with him Peter and John and James and went up on the mountain to pray. [29] And as he was praying, the appearance of his face was altered, and his clothing became dazzling white. [30] And behold, two men were talking with him, Moses and Elijah, [31] who appeared in glory and spoke of his departure, which he was about to accomplish at Jerusalem. [32] Now Peter and those who were with him were heavy with sleep, but when they became fully awake they saw his glory and the two men who stood with him. [33] And as the men were parting from him, Peter said to Jesus, "Master, it is good that we are here. Let us make three tents, one for you and one for Moses and one for Elijah"—not knowing what he said. [34] As he was saying these things, a cloud came and overshadowed them, and they were afraid as they entered the cloud. [35] And a voice came out of the cloud, saying, "This is my Son, my Chosen One; listen to him!" [36] And when the voice had spoken, Jesus was found alone. And they kept silent and told no one in those days anything of what they had seen.

- The word used for "departure" in verse 31 is: **ἐξοδον**

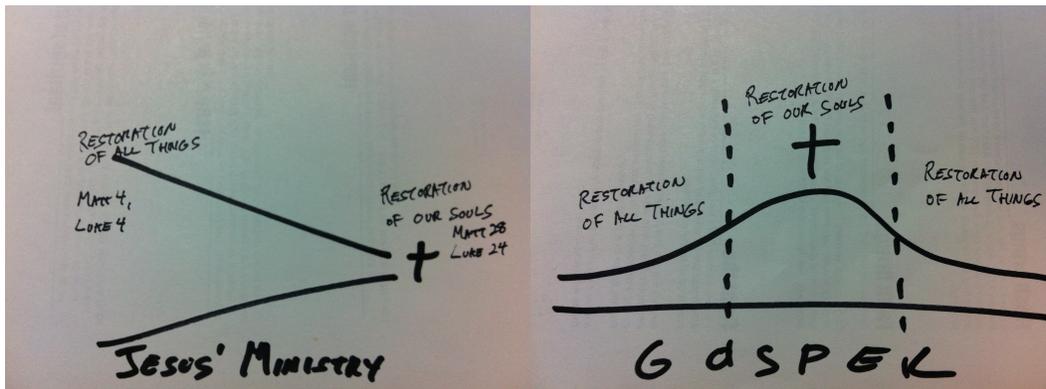
The Gospel and the Kingdom

The Gospel of Jesus Christ is the only path to true _____.

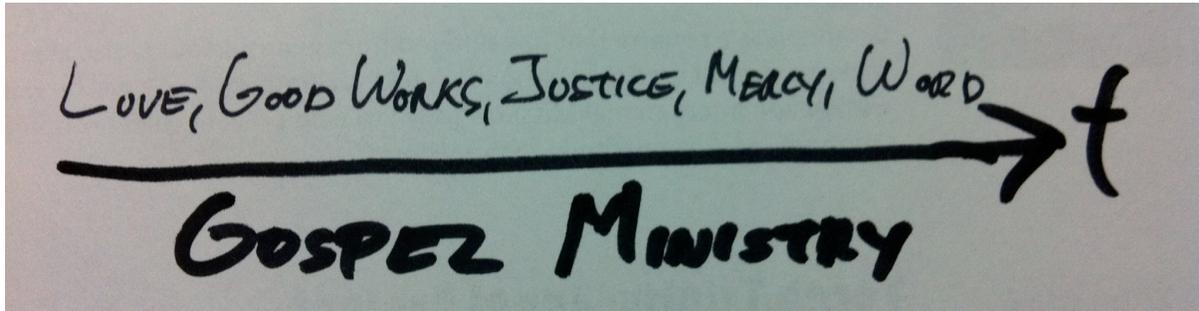
- The basic story of Scripture is:
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The Gospel of the Kingdom is the _____ of all things.

And the Gospel of the cross is the _____

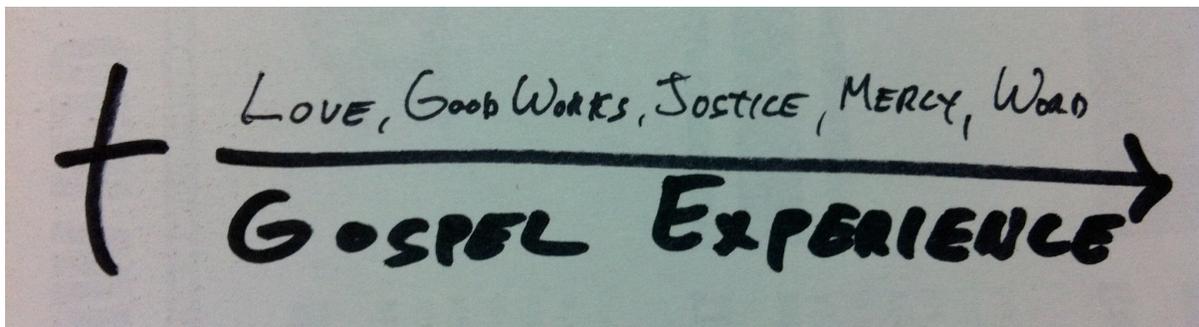


The ministry of the Gospel is the _____



2 Goals:

The Gospel experience results in a _____ of justice and righteousness



Ephesians 1:15-17 ESV

[15] For this reason, because I have heard of your faith in the Lord Jesus and your love toward all the saints, [16] I do not cease to give thanks for you, remembering you in my prayers, [17] that the God of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of glory, may give you the Spirit of wisdom and of revelation in the knowledge of him,

Luke 4:16-21 ESV

[16] And he came to Nazareth, where he had been brought up. And as was his custom, he went to the synagogue on the Sabbath day, and he stood up to read.

[17] And the scroll of the prophet Isaiah was given to him. He unrolled the scroll and found the place where it was written,

[18] “The Spirit of the Lord is upon me,
because he has anointed me
to proclaim good news to the poor.
He has sent me to proclaim liberty to the captives
and recovering of sight to the blind,
to set at liberty those who are oppressed,
[19] to proclaim the year of the Lord's favor.”

The Final Judgment

Revelation 22

Our Response:

Hebrews 11:6 ESV

[6] And without faith it is impossible to please him, for whoever would draw near to God must believe that he exists and that he rewards those who seek him.

Romans 12:19 ESV

[19] Beloved, never avenge yourselves, but leave it to the wrath of God, for it is written, “Vengeance is mine, I will repay, says the Lord.”