

Justified

Romans 3:21-31

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"I tell you, this man went down to his house justified rather than the other." Luke 18:14a

"**Justification** is an act of God's free _____, wherein He pardons all our sins, and accepts us as righteous in His sight, only for the righteousness of Christ _____ to us, and received by _____ alone." Michael Barrett

1. God told us _____ (21).

"although the law and the prophets bear witness to it"

"Out of the anguish of His soul He shall see and be satisfied; by His knowledge shall the Righteous One, My servant, make many to be accounted righteous, and He shall bear their iniquities." Isaiah 53:11

2. God did it all _____ (22-25).

"the righteousness of God through faith in Jesus Christ for all who believe. For there is no distinction: for all have sinned and fall short of the glory of God." (22-23)

- the _____ of justification: _____
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What has He accomplished?

- redemption =

- propitiation =

- divine forbearance =

3. God did it without _____ (26).

- God is _____.

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What difference does justification make?

1. excludes _____ (27-28)

Boasting in Jesus eliminates...

- _____
- _____
- _____
- _____

2. undermines _____ (29-30)

3. establishes _____ (31)

- its demands – Matthew 5:17-20
- its penalty – 1 Peter 3:18

its inadequacies – Romans 8:1-4