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The LORD is far from the wicked: but he hears the prayer of the righteous. Proverbs 15:28

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And the LORD said to Noah, Come you and all your house into the ark; for you have I seen **righteous** before me in this generation. Genesis 7:1

And he believed in the LORD; and he counted it to him for **righteousness**. Genesis 15:6

And Abraham drew near, and said, Will you also destroy the righteous with the wicked? Peradventure there be fifty righteous within the city: will you also destroy and not spare the place for the fifty righteous that are therein? That be far from you to do after this manner, to slay the righteous with the wicked: and that the righteous should be as the wicked, that be far from you: Shall not the Judge of all the earth do right? And the LORD said, If I find in Sodom fifty righteous within the city, then I will spare all the place for their sakes.... Peradventure there shall lack five of the fifty righteous: will you destroy all the city for lack of five? And he said, If I find there forty and five, I will not destroy it. Genesis 18:23-28

But Abimelech had not come near her: and he said, LORD, will you slay also a **righteous** nation? Genesis 20:4

So shall my **righteousness** answer for me in time to come, when it shall come for my hire before your face: every one that is not speckled and spotted among the goats, and brown among the sheep, that shall be counted stolen with me. Genesis 30:33

And Judah acknowledged them, and said, She has been more **righteous** than I; because that I gave her not to Shelah my son. And he knew her again no more. Genesis 38:26

Pharaoh sent, and called for Moses and Aaron, and said to them, I have sinned this time: the LORD is **righteous**, and I and my people are wicked. Exodus 9:27

Keep you far from a false matter; and the innocent and **righteous** slay you not: for I will not justify the wicked. And you shall take no gift: for the gift blinds the wise, and perverts the words of the **righteous**. Exodus 23:7-8

You shall do no unrighteousness in judgment: you shall not respect the person of the poor, nor honor the person of the mighty: but in **righteousness** shall you judge your neighbor. Leviticus 19:15

Who can count the dust of Jacob, and the number of the fourth part of Israel? Let me die the death of the **righteous**, and let my last end be like his! Numbers 23:10

And I charged your judges at that time, saying, Hear the causes between your brothers, and judge **righteously** between every man and his brother, and the stranger that is with him. Deuteronomy 1:16

And what nation is there so great, that has statutes and judgments so righteous as all this law, which I set before you this day? Deuteronomy 4:8

And it shall be our **righteousness**, if we observe to do all these commandments before the LORD our God, as he has commanded us. Deuteronomy 6:25

Speak not you in your heart, after that the LORD your God has cast them out from before you, saying, For my **righteousness** the LORD has brought me in to possess this land: but for the wickedness of these nations the LORD does drive them out from before you. Not for your **righteousness**, or for the uprightness of your heart, do you go to possess their land: but for the wickedness of these nations the LORD your God does drive them out from before you, and that he may perform the word which the LORD swore to your fathers, Abraham, Isaac, and Jacob. Understand therefore, that the LORD your God gives you not this good land to possess it for your **righteousness**; for you are a stiff necked people. Deuteronomy 9:4-6

You shall not wrest judgment; you shall not respect persons, neither take a gift: for a gift does blind the eyes of the wise, and pervert the words of the righteous. Deuteronomy 16:19

In any case you shall deliver him the pledge again when the sun goes down, that he may sleep in his own raiment, and bless you: and it shall be righteousness to you before the LORD your God. Deuteronomy 24:13

If there be a controversy between men, and they come to judgment, that the judges may judge them; then they shall justify the **righteous**, and condemn the wicked. Deuteronomy 25:1

They shall call the people to the mountain; there they shall offer sacrifices of **righteousness**: for they shall suck of the abundance of the seas, and of treasures hid in the sand. Deuteronomy 33:19

They that are delivered from the noise of archers in the places of drawing water, there shall they rehearse the **righteous** acts of the LORD, even the **righteous** acts toward the inhabitants of his villages in Israel: then shall the people of the LORD go down to the gates. Judges 5:11

Now therefore stand still, that I may reason with you before the LORD of all the **righteous** acts of the LORD, which he did to you and to your fathers. 1Samuel 12:7

And he said to David, You are more **righteous** than I: for you have rewarded me good, whereas I have rewarded you evil. 1 Samuel 24:17

The LORD render to every man his **righteousness** and his faithfulness; for the LORD delivered you into my hand to day, but I would not stretch forth my hand against the LORD's anointed. 1 Samuel 26:23

How much more, when wicked men have slain a **righteous** person in his own house on his bed? shall I not therefore now require his blood of your hand, and take you away from the earth? 2 Samuel 4:11

The LORD rewarded me according to my **righteousness**: according to the cleanness of my hands has he recompensed me. 2 Samuel 22:21

Therefore the LORD has recompensed me according to my **righteousness**; according to my cleanness in his eye sight. 2 Samuel 22:25

And the LORD shall return his blood on his own head, who fell on two men more **righteous** and better than he, and slew them with the sword, my father David not knowing thereof, to wit, Abner the son of Ner, captain of the host of Israel, and Amasa the son of Jether, captain of the host of Judah. 1 Kings 2:32

And Solomon said, You have showed to your servant David my father great mercy, according as he walked before you in truth, and in righteousness, and in uprightness of heart with you; and you have kept for him this great kindness, that you have given him a son to sit on his throne, as it is this day. 1 Kings 3:6

Then hear you in heaven, and do, and judge your servants, condemning the wicked, to bring his way on his head; and justifying the **righteous**, to give him according to his **righteousness**. 1 Kings 8:32

Then hear you from heaven, and do, and judge your servants, by requiting the wicked, by recompensing his way on his own head; and by justifying the **righteous**, by giving him according to his **righteousness**. 2 Chronicles 6:23

Whereupon the princes of Israel and the king humbled themselves; and they said, The LORD is **righteous**. 2 Chronicles 12:6

O LORD God of Israel, you are **righteous**: for we remain yet escaped, as it is this day: behold, we are before you in our trespasses: for we cannot stand before you because of this. Ezra 9:15

And found his heart faithful before you, and made a covenant with him to give the land of the Canaanites, the Hittites, the Amorites, and the Perizzites, and the Jebusites, and the Girgashites, to give it, I say, to his seed, and have performed your words; for you are **righteous**: Nehemiah 9:8

Remember, I pray you, who ever perished, being innocent? or where were the **righteous** cut off? Job 4:7

Return, I pray you, let it not be iniquity; yes, return again, my righteousness is in it. Job 6:29

If you were pure and upright; surely now he would awake for you, and make the habitation of your **righteousness** prosperous. Job 8:6

How much less shall I answer him, and choose out my words to reason with him? Whom, though I were **righteous**, yet would I not answer, but I would make supplication to my judge. If I had called, and he had answered me; yet would I not believe that he had hearkened unto my voice. Job 9:14-16

If I be wicked, woe to me; and if I be **righteous**, yet will I not lift up my head. I am full of confusion; therefore see you my affliction; Job 10:15

What is man, that he should be clean? and he which is born of a woman, that he should be **righteous**? Job 15:14

The **righteous** also shall hold on his way, and he that has clean hands shall be stronger and stronger. Job 17:9

Is it any pleasure to the Almighty, that you are **righteous**? or is it gain to him, that you make your ways perfect? Job 22:3

The **righteous** see it, and are glad: and the innocent laugh them to scorn. Job 22:19

There the **righteous** might dispute with him; so should I be delivered for ever from my judge. Job 23:7

My **righteousness** I hold fast, and will not let it go: my heart shall not reproach me so long as I live. Job 27:6

I put on **righteousness**, and it clothed me: my judgment was as a robe and a diadem. Job 29:14

So these three men ceased to answer Job, because he was **righteous** in his own eyes. Job 32:1

He shall pray to God, and he will be favorable to him: and he shall see his face with joy: for he will render to man his righteousness. Job 33:26

For Job has said, I am **righteous**: and God has taken away my judgment. Job 34:5

Think you this to be right, that you said, My righteousness is more than God's?...If you be righteous, what give you him? or what receives he of your hand? Job 35:2, 7

Your wickedness may hurt a man as you are; and your **righteousness** may profit the son of man. Job 35:8

I will fetch my knowledge from afar, and will ascribe **righteousness** to my Maker. Job 36:3

He withdraws not his eyes from the **righteous**: but with kings are they on the throne; yes, he does establish them for ever, and they are exalted. Job 36:7

Will you also cancel my judgment? will you condemn me, that you may be righteous? Job 40:8

Therefore the ungodly shall not stand in the judgment, nor sinners in the congregation of the **righteous**. For the LORD knows the way of the **righteous**: but the way of the ungodly shall perish. Psalm 1:5-6

Hear me when I call, O God of my **righteousness**: you have enlarged me when I was in distress; have mercy on me, and hear my prayer. Psalm 4:1

Offer the sacrifices of **righteousness**, and put your trust in the LORD. Psalm 4:5

Lead me, O LORD, in your **righteousness** because of my enemies; make your way straight before my face. Psalm 5:8

For you, LORD, will bless the **righteous**; with favor will you compass him as with a shield. Psalm 5:12

The LORD shall judge the people: judge me, O LORD, according to my righteousness, and according to my integrity that is in me. Oh let the wickedness of the wicked come to an end; but establish the just: for the righteous God tries the hearts and reins. Psalm 7:8-9

God judges the **righteous**, and God is angry with the wicked every day. ... I will praise the LORD according to his **righteousness**: and will sing praise to the name of the LORD most high. Psalm 7:11,17

And he shall judge the world in **righteousness**, he shall minister judgment to the people in uprightness. Psalm 9:8

If the foundations be destroyed, what can the **righteous** do? Psalm 11:3

The LORD tries the **righteous**: but the wicked and him that loves violence his soul hates. Psalm 11:5

For the **righteous** LORD loves **righteousness**; his countenance does behold the upright. Psalm 11:7

There were they in great fear: for God is in the generation of the **righteous**. Psalm 14:5

LORD, who shall abide in thy tabernacle? Who shall dwell in thy holy hill? He that walks uprightly, and works **righteousness**, and speaks the truth in his heart. He that backbiteth not with his tongue, nor doeth evil to his neighbour, nor taketh up a reproach against his neighbour. In whose eyes a vile person is contemned; but he honoureth them that fear the LORD. He that sweareth to his own hurt and changeth not. He that putteth not out his money to usury, nor taketh reward against the innocent. He that doeth these things shall not be moved. Psalm 15:1-5

As for me, I will behold your face in **righteousness**: I shall be satisfied, when I awake, with your likeness. Psalm 17:15

The LORD rewarded me according to my **righteousness**; according to the cleanness of my hands has he recompensed me... Therefore has the LORD recompensed me according to my **righteousness**, according to the cleanness of my hands in his eyesight. Psalm 18:20, 24

The fear of the LORD is clean, enduring for ever: the judgments of the LORD are true and **righteous** altogether. Psalm 19:9

They shall come, and shall declare his **righteousness** to a people that shall be born, that he has done this. Psalm 22:31

He restores my soul: he leads me in the paths of **righteousness** for his name's sake. Psalm 23:3

He shall receive the blessing from the LORD, and **righteousness** from the God of his salvation. Psalm 24:5

In you, OLORD, do I put my trust; let me never be ashamed: deliver me in your **righteousness**. Psalm 31:1

Let the lying lips be put to silence; which speak grievous things proudly and contemptuously against the **righteous**. Psalm 31:18

Be glad in the LORD, and rejoice, you **righteous**: and shout for joy, all you that are upright in heart. Psalm 32:11

Rejoice in the LORD, O you **righteous**: for praise is comely for the upright...He loves **righteousness** and judgment: the earth is full of the goodness of the LORD. Psalm 33:1, 5

The eyes of the LORD are on the **righteous**, and his ears are open to their cry. The face of the LORD is against them that do evil, to cut off the remembrance of them from the earth. Psalm 34:15-16

The **righteous** cry, and the LORD hears, and delivers them out of all their troubles...Many are the afflictions of the **righteous**: but the LORD delivers him out of them all. Psalm 34:17, 19

Evil shall slay the wicked: and they that hate the **righteous** shall be desolate. Psalm 34:21

Judge me, O LORD my God, according to your **righteousness**; and let them not rejoice over me. Psalm 35:24

Let them shout for joy, and be glad, that favor my **righteous** cause: yes, let them say continually, Let the LORD be magnified, which has pleasure in the prosperity of his servant. Psalm 35:27

And my tongue shall speak of your righteousness and of your praise all the day long. Psalm 35:28

Your **righteousness** is like the great mountains; your judgments are a great deep: O LORD, you preserve man and beast. Psalm 36:6

O continue your loving kindness to them that know you; and your righteousness to the upright in heart. Psalm 36:10

Commit thy way unto the LORD; trust also in him; and he shall bring it to pass. And he shall bring forth your **righteousness** as the light, and your judgment as the noonday. Rest in the LORD, and wait patiently for him: fret not thyself because of him who prosperth in his way, because of the man who bringeth wicked devices to pass. Psalm 37:5-7

A little that a **righteous** man has is better than the riches of many wicked. For the arms of the wicked shall be broken: but the LORD upholds the **righteous**... The wicked borrows, and pays not again: but the **righteous** shows mercy, and gives. Psalm 37:16-17, 21

I have been young, and now am old; yet have I not seen the **righteous** forsaken, nor his seed begging bread... The **righteous** shall inherit the land, and dwell therein for ever. The mouth of the **righteous** speaks wisdom, and his tongue talks of judgment. Psalm 37:25, 29-30

The wicked watches the **righteous**, and seeks to slay him. Psalm 37:32

But the salvation of the **righteous** is of the LORD: he is their strength in the time of trouble. Psalm 37:39

I have preached **righteousness** in the great congregation: see, I have not refrained my lips, O LORD, you know. I have not hid your **righteousness** within my heart; I have declared your faithfulness and your salvation: I have not concealed your loving-kindness and your truth from the great congregation. Psalm 40:9-10

And in your majesty ride prosperously because of truth and meekness and righteousness; and your right hand shall teach you terrible things. Psalm 45:4

You love **righteousness**, and hate wickedness: therefore God, your God, has anointed you with the oil of gladness above your fellows. Psalm 45:7

According to your name, O God, so is your praise to the ends of the earth: your right hand is full of **righteousness**. Psalm 48:10

And the heavens shall declare his **righteousness**: for God is judge himself. Selah. Psalm 50:6

Deliver me from bloodguiltiness, O God, you God of my salvation: and my tongue shall sing aloud of your **righteousness**. Psalm 51:14

Then shall you be pleased with the sacrifices of **righteousness**, with burnt offering and whole burnt offering: then shall they offer bullocks on your altar. Psalm 51:19

You love evil more than good; and lying rather than to speak righteousness. Selah. Psalm 52:3

The righteous also shall see, and fear, and shall laugh at him: Psalm 52:6

Cast your burden on the LORD, and he shall sustain you: he shall never suffer the **righteous** to be moved. Psalm 55:22

Do you indeed speak **righteousness**, O congregation? do you judge uprightly, O you sons of men? ... The **righteous** shall rejoice when he sees the vengeance: he shall wash his feet in the blood of the wicked. So that a man shall say, Truly there is a reward for the **righteous**: truly he is a God that judges in the earth. Psalm 58:1, 10-11

The **righteous** shall be glad in the LORD, and shall trust in him; and all the upright in heart shall glory. Psalm 64:10

By terrible things in **righteousness** will you answer us, O God of our salvation; who are the confidence of all the ends of the earth, and of them that are afar off on the sea: Psalm 65:5

O let the nations be glad and sing for joy: for you shall judge the people righteously, and govern the nations on earth. Selah. Psalm 67:4

But let the **righteous** be glad; let them rejoice before God: yes, let them exceedingly rejoice. Psalm 68:3

Add iniquity to their iniquity: and let them not come into your righteousness. Let them be blotted out of the book of the living, and not be written with the righteous. Psalm 69:27-28

Deliver me in your **righteousness**, and cause me to escape: incline your ear to me, and save me. Psalm 71:2

My mouth shall show forth your **righteousness** and your salvation all the day; for I know not the numbers thereof. I will go in the strength of the Lord GOD: I will make mention of your **righteousness**, even of yours only... Your **righteousness** also, O God, is very high, who have done great things: O God, who is like unto you! Psalm 71:15-16, 19

My tongue also shall talk of your **righteousness** all the day long: for they are confounded, for they are brought to shame, that seek my hurt. Psalm 71:24

Give the king your judgments, O God, and your **righteousness** to the king's son. He shall judge your people with **righteousness**, and your poor with judgment. The mountains shall bring peace to the people, and the little hills, by **righteousness**. Psalm 72:1-3

In his days shall the **righteous** flourish; and abundance of peace so long as the moon endures. Psalm 72:7

All the horns of the wicked also will I cut off; but the horns of the righteous shall be exalted. Psalm 75:10

Mercy and truth are met together; **righteousness** and peace have kissed each other. Truth shall spring out of the earth; and **righteousness** shall look down from heaven. Psalm 85:10-11

Shall your wonders be known in the dark? and your **righteousness** in the land of forgetfulness? Psalm 88:12

In your name shall they rejoice all the day: and in your **righteousness** shall they be exalted. Psalm 89:16

The **righteous** shall flourish like the palm tree: he shall grow like a cedar in Lebanon. Psalm 92:12

But judgment shall return to **righteousness**: and all the upright in heart shall follow it. Psalm 94:15

They gather themselves together against the soul of the **righteous**, and condemn the innocent blood. Psalm 94:21

Say among the heathen that the LORD reigns: the world also shall be established that it shall not be moved: he shall judge the people righteously. Psalm 96:10

Let the field be joyful, and all that is there: then shall all the trees of the wood rejoice before the LORD: for he comes, for he comes to judge the earth: he shall judge the world with **righteousness**, and the people with his truth. Psalm 96:12-13

Clouds and darkness are round about him: **righteousness** and judgment are the habitation of his throne. Psalm 97:2

The heavens declare his **righteousness**, and all the people see his glory. Psalm 97:6

Light is sown for the **righteous**, and gladness for the upright in heart. Psalm 97:11

Rejoice in the LORD, you **righteous**; and give thanks at the remembrance of his holiness. Psalm 97:12

The LORD has made known his salvation: his **righteousness** has he openly showed in the sight of the heathen. Psalm 98:2

Let the hills be joyful together before the LORD; for he comes to judge the earth: with **righteousness** shall he judge the world, and the people with equity. Psalm 98:8-9

The king's strength also loves judgment; you do establish equity, you execute judgment and **righteousness** in Jacob. Psalm 99:4

The LORD executes **righteousness** and judgment for all that are oppressed. Psalm 103:6

But the mercy of the LORD is from everlasting to everlasting on them that fear him, and his **righteousness** to children's children... Psalm 103:17

Blessed are they that keep judgment, and he that does **righteousness** at all times. Psalm 106:3

And that was counted to him for **righteousness** to all generations for ever more. Psalm 106:31

The **righteous** shall see it, and rejoice: and all iniquity shall stop her mouth. Psalm 107:42

His work is honorable and glorious: and his **righteousness** endures for ever. Psalm 111:3

Wealth and riches shall be in his house: and his **righteousness** endures for ever. To the upright there rises light in the darkness: he is gracious, and full of compassion, and **righteous**. Psalm 112:3-4

Surely he shall not be moved for ever: the **righteous** shall be in everlasting remembrance...He has dispersed, he has given to the poor; his **righteousness** endures for ever; his horn shall be exalted with honor. Psalm 112:6, 9

Gracious is the LORD, and **righteous**; yes, our God is merciful. Psalm 116:5

The voice of rejoicing and salvation is in the tabernacles of the **righteous**: the right hand of the LORD does valiantly. Psalm 118:15

Open to me the gates of **righteousness**: I will go into them, and I will praise the LORD: Psalm 118:19

This gate of the LORD, into which the **righteous** shall enter. Psalm 118:20

I will praise you with uprightness of heart, when I shall have learned your righteous judgments. Psalms 119:7

Behold, I have longed after your precepts: quicken me in your righteousness. Psalm 119:40

At midnight I will rise to give thanks to you because of your **righteous** judgments. Psalm 119:62

I have sworn, and I will perform it, that I will keep your **righteous** judgments. Psalm 119:106

My eyes fail for your salvation, and for the word of your **righteousness**. Psalm 119:123

Your testimonies that you have commanded are **righteous** and very faithful... Your **righteousness** is an everlasting **righteousness**, and your law is the truth. Psalm 119:138, 142

The **righteousness** of your testimonies is everlasting: give me understanding, and I shall live. Psalm 119:144

Your word is true from the beginning: and every one of your **righteous** judgments endures for ever. Psalm 119:160

Seven times a day do I praise you because of your **righteous** judgments. Psalm 119:164

My tongue shall speak of your word: for all your commandments are righteousness. Psalm 119:172

For the rod of the wicked shall not rest on the lot of the **righteous**; lest the **righteous** put forth their hands to iniquity. Psalm 125:3

The LORD is **righteous**: he has cut asunder the cords of the wicked. Psalm 129:4

Let your priests be clothed with **righteousness**; and let your saints shout for joy. Psalm 132:9

Surely the **righteous** shall give thanks to your name: the upright shall dwell in your presence. Psalm 140:13

Let the **righteous** smite me; it shall be a kindness: and let him reprove me; it shall be an excellent oil, which shall not break my head: for yet my prayer also shall be in their calamities. Psalm 141:5

Bring my soul out of prison, that I may praise your name: the **righteous** shall compass me about; for you shall deal bountifully with me. Psalm 142:7

Hear my prayer, O LORD, give ear to my supplications: in your faithfulness answer me, and in your righteousness...Quicken me, O LORD, for your name's sake: for your righteousness' sake bring my soul out of trouble. Psalm 143:1, 11

They shall abundantly utter the memory of your great goodness, and shall sing of your **righteousness**... The LORD is **righteous** in all his ways, and holy in all his works. Psalms 145:7, 17

The LORD opens the eyes of the blind: the LORD raises them that are bowed down: the LORD loves the **righteous**: Psalm 146:8

My son, if thou wilt receive my words, and hide my commandments with thee; So that thou incline thine ear unto wisdom, and apply thine heart to understanding...For the LORD giveth wisdom: out of his mouth cometh knowledge and understanding. He lays up sound wisdom for the righteous: he is a buckler to them that walk uprightly... Then shall you understand righteousness, and judgment, and equity; yea, every good path. Proverbs 2:1-2, 6-7, 9

When wisdom entereth into thine heart, and knowledge is pleasant unto thy soul; Discretion shall preserve thee, understanding shall keep thee... That you may walk in the way of good men, and keep the paths of the **righteous**. Proverbs 2:10-11, 20

For the fraudulent is abomination to the LORD: but his secret is with the righteous. Proverbs 3:32

All the words of my mouth are in **righteousness**; there is nothing fraudulent or perverse in them. Proverbs 8:8

Riches and honor are with me; yes, durable riches and righteousness. Proverbs 8:18 ('me' is telling of wisdom)

I lead in the way of **righteousness**, in the middle of the paths of judgment: Proverbs 8:20

Treasures of wickedness profit nothing: but **righteousness** delivers from death. The LORD will not suffer the soul of the **righteous** to famish: but he casts away the substance of the wicked. Proverbs 10:2-3

The mouth of a **righteous** man is a well of life: but violence covers the mouth of the wicked...The labor of the **righteous** tends to life: the fruit of the wicked to sin. Proverbs 10:11, 16

The lips of the **righteous** feed many: but fools die for want of wisdom. Proverbs 10:21

The fear of the wicked, it shall come on him: but the desire of the **righteous** shall be granted. As the whirlwind passes, so is the wicked no more: but the **righteous** is an everlasting foundation. Proverbs10:24-25

The hope of the **righteous** shall be gladness: but the expectation of the wicked shall perish. Proverbs 10:28

The **righteous** shall never be removed: but the wicked shall not inhabit the earth. Proverbs 10:30

The lips of the **righteous** know what is acceptable: but the mouth of the wicked speaks frowardness. Proverbs 10:32

Riches profit not in the day of wrath: but **righteousness** delivers from death. The **righteousness** of the perfect shall direct his way: but the wicked shall fall by his own wickedness. The **righteousness** of the upright shall deliver them: but transgressors shall be taken in their own naughtiness. Proverbs 11:4-6

The **righteous** is delivered out of trouble, and the wicked comes in his stead. Proverbs 11:8

When it goes well with the **righteous**, the city rejoices: and when the wicked perish, there is shouting. Proverbs 11:10

The wicked works a deceitful work: but to him that sows **righteousness** shall be a sure reward. As **righteousness** tends to life: so he that pursues evil pursues it to his own death. Proverbs 11:18-19

Though hand join in hand, the wicked shall not be unpunished: but the seed of the **righteous** shall be delivered. Proverbs 11:21

The desire of the **righteous** is only good: but the expectation of the wicked is wrath. Proverbs 11:23

He that trusts in his riches shall fall; but the **righteous** shall flourish as a branch. Proverbs 11:28

The fruit of the **righteous** is a tree of life; and he that wins souls is wise. Proverbs 11:30

Behold, the **righteous** shall be recompensed in the earth: much more the wicked and the sinner. Proverbs 11:31

A man shall not be established by wickedness: but the root of the **righteous** shall not be moved... The thoughts of the **righteous** are right: but the counsels of the wicked are deceit. Proverbs 12:3, 5

The wicked are overthrown, and are not: but the house of the **righteous** shall stand. Proverbs 12:7

A **righteous** man regards the life of his beast: but the tender mercies of the wicked are cruel. Proverbs 12:10

The wicked desires the net of evil men: but the root of the **righteous** yields fruit. Proverbs 12:12

He that speaks truth shows forth **righteousnes**s: but a false witness deceit. Proverbs 12:17

The **righteous** is more excellent than his neighbor: but the way of the wicked seduces them. Proverbs 12:26

In the way of **righteousness** is life: and in the pathway thereof there is no death. Proverbs 12:28

A **righteous** man hates lying: but a wicked man is loathsome, and comes to shame. Proverbs 13:5

The light of the **righteous** rejoices: but the lamp of the wicked shall be put out. Proverbs 13:9

Evil pursues sinners: but to the **righteous** good shall be repaid. Proverbs 13:21

The **righteous** eats to the satisfying of his soul: but the belly of the wicked shall want. Proverbs 13:25

Fools make a mock at sin: but among the **righteous** there is favor. Proverbs 14:9

The evil bow before the good; and the wicked at the gates of the **righteous**. Proverbs 14:19

The wicked is driven away in his wickedness: but the **righteous** has hope in his death. Proverbs 14:32

In the house of the **righteous** is much treasure: but in the revenues of the wicked is trouble. Proverbs 15:6

The way of the wicked is an abomination to the LORD: but he loves him that follows after **righteousness**. Proverbs 15:9

The way of the slothful man is as an hedge of thorns: but the way of the righteous is made plain. Proverbs 15:19

The heart of the **righteous** studies to answer: but the mouth of the wicked pours out evil things. The LORD is far from the wicked: but he hears the prayer of the **righteous**. Proverbs 15:28-29

Better is a little with **righteousness** than great revenues without right. Proverbs 16:8

It is an abomination to kings to commit wickedness: for the throne is established by **righteousness**. Proverbs 16:12

The hoary head is a crown of glory, if it be found in the way of righteousness. Proverbs 16:31

It is not good to accept the person of the wicked, to overthrow the **righteous** in judgment. Proverbs 18:5

The name of the LORD is a strong tower: the **righteous** runs into it, and is safe. Proverbs 18:10

The **righteous** man wisely considers the house of the wicked: but God overthrows the wicked for their wickedness. Proverbs 21:12

The wicked shall be a ransom for the **righteou**s, and the transgressor for the upright. Proverbs 21:18

He that follows after **righteousness** and mercy finds life, **righteousness**, and honor. Proverbs 21:21

He covets greedily all the day long: but the **righteous** gives and spares not. Proverbs 21:26

The father of the **righteous** shall greatly rejoice: and he that begets a wise child shall have joy of him. Proverbs 23:24

Lay not wait, O wicked man, against the dwelling of the **righteous**; spoil not his resting place: Proverbs 24:15

He that said to the wicked, You are **righteous**; him shall the people curse, nations shall abhor him: But to them that rebuke him shall be delight, and a good blessing shall come upon them. Proverbs 24:24-25

Take away the wicked from before the king, and his throne shall be established in **righteousness**. Proverbs 25:5

A **righteous** man falling down before the wicked is as a troubled fountain, and a corrupt spring. Proverbs 25:26

The wicked flee when no man pursues: but the **righteous** are bold as a lion. Proverbs 28:1

Whoever causes the **righteous** to go astray in an evil way, he shall fall himself into his own pit: but the upright shall have good things in possession. Proverbs 28:10

When **righteous** men do rejoice, there is great glory: but when the wicked rise, a man is hidden. Proverbs 28:12

When the wicked rise, men hide themselves: but when they perish, the righteous increase. Proverbs 28:28

When the **righteous** are in authority, the people rejoice: but when the wicked bears rule, the people mourn. Proverbs 29:2

In the transgression of an evil man there is a snare: but the **righteous** does sing and rejoice. Proverbs 29:6

The **righteous** considers the cause of the poor: but the wicked regards not to know it. Proverbs 29:7

When the wicked are multiplied, transgression increases: but the righteous shall see their fall. Proverbs 29:16

Open your mouth, judge **righteously**, and plead the cause of the poor and needy. Proverbs 31:9

And moreover I saw under the sun the place of judgment, that wickedness was there; and the place of **righteousness**, that iniquity was there. I said in my heart, God shall judge the **righteous** and the wicked: for there is a time there for every purpose and for every work. Ecclesiastes 3:16-17

All things have I seen in the days of my vanity: there is a just man that perishes in his **righteousness**, and there is a wicked man that prolongs his life in his wickedness. Be not **righteous** over much; neither make yourself over wise: why should you destroy yourself? Ecclesiastes 7:15-16

There is a vanity which is done on the earth; that there be just men, to whom it happens according to the work of the wicked; again, there be wicked men, to whom it happens according to the work of the **righteous**: I said that this also is vanity. Ecclesiastes 8:14

For all this I considered in my heart even to declare all this, that the **righteous**, and the wise, and their works, are in the hand of God: no man knows either love or hatred by all that is before them. All things come alike to all: there is one event to the **righteous**, and to the wicked; to the good and to the clean, and to the unclean; to him that sacrifices, and to him that sacrifices not: as is the good, so is the sinner; and he that swears, as he that fears an oath. Ecclesiastes 9:1-2

How is the faithful city become an harlot! it was full of judgment; righteousness lodged in it; but now murderers. Isaiah 1:21

And I will restore your judges as at the first, and your counsellors as at the beginning: afterward you shall be called, The city of **righteousness**, the faithful city. Zion shall be redeemed with judgment, and her converts with **righteousness**. Isaiah 1:26-27

Say you to the **righteous**, that it shall be well with him: for they shall eat the fruit of their doings. Isaiah 3:10

For the vineyard of the LORD of hosts is the house of Israel, and the men of Judah his pleasant plant: and he looked for judgment, but behold oppression; for **righteousness**, but behold a cry. Isaiah 5:7

But the LORD of hosts shall be exalted in judgment, and God that is holy shall be sanctified in **righteousness**. Isaiah 5:16

Which justify the wicked for reward, and take away the **righteousness** of the **righteous** from him! Isaiah 5:23

For though your people Israel be as the sand of the sea, yet a remnant of them shall return: the consumption decreed shall overflow with righteousness. Isaiah 10:22

But with **righteousness** shall he judge the poor, and reprove with equity for the meek of the earth: and he shall smite the earth: with the rod of his mouth, and with the breath of his lips shall he slay the wicked. And **righteousness** shall be the girdle of his loins, and faithfulness the girdle of his reins. Isaiah 11:4-5

And in mercy shall the throne be established: and he shall sit on it in truth in the tabernacle of David, judging, and seeking judgment, and hastening righteousness. Isaiah 16:5

From the uttermost part of the earth have we heard songs, even glory to the **righteous**. But I said, My leanness, my leanness, woe to me! the treacherous dealers have dealt treacherously; yes, the treacherous dealers have dealt very treacherously. Isaiah 24:16

Open you the gates, that the **righteous** nation which keeps the truth may enter in. Isaiah 26:2

With my soul have I desired you in the night; yea, with my spirit within me will I seek you early: for when your judgments are in the earth, the inhabitants of the world will learn **righteousness**. Isaiah 26:9

Let favor be shown to the wicked, yet will he not learn **righteousness**: in the land of uprightness will he deal unjustly, and will not behold the majesty of the LORD. Isaiah 26:9-10

Judgment also will I lay to the line, and **righteousnes**s to the plummet: and the hail shall sweep away the refuge of lies, and the waters shall overflow the hiding place. Isaiah 28:17

Behold, a king shall reign in **righteousness**, and princes shall rule in judgment. Isaiah 32:1

Then judgment shall dwell in the wilderness, and **righteousness** remain in the fruitful field. And the work of **righteousness** shall be peace; and the effect of **righteousness** quietness and assurance for ever. Isaiah 32:16-17

The LORD is exalted; for he dwells on high: he has filled Zion with judgment and righteousness. Isaiah 33:5

Who shall dwell with everlasting burnings? He that walks **righteously**, and speaks uprightly; he that despises the gain of oppressions, that shakes his hands from holding of bribes, that stops his ears from hearing of blood, and shuts his eyes from seeing evil; Isaiah 33:14b-15

Who raised up the **righteous** man from the east, called him to his foot, gave the nations before him, and made him rule over kings? he gave them as the dust to his sword, and as driven stubble to his bow. Isaiah 41:2

Fear you not; for I am with you: be not dismayed; for I am your God: I will strengthen you; yes, I will help you; yes, I will uphold you with the right hand of my righteousness. Isaiah 41:10

Who has declared from the beginning, that we may know? and beforetime, that we may say, He is **righteous**? yes, there is none that shows, yes, there is none that declares, yes, there is none that hears your words. Isaiah 41:26

I the LORD have called you in **righteousness**, and will hold your hand, and will keep you, and give you for a covenant of the people, for a light of the Gentiles... Isaiah 42:6

The LORD is well pleased for his **righteousness**' sake; he will magnify the law, and make it honorable. Isaiah 42:21

Drop down, you heavens, from above, and let the skies pour down righteousness: let the earth open, and let them bring forth salvation, and let righteousness spring up together; I the LORD have created it. Isaiah 45:8

I have raised him up in **righteousness**, and I will direct all his ways: he shall build my city, and he shall let go my captives, not for price nor reward, said the LORD of hosts. Isaiah 45:13

I have not spoken in secret, in a dark place of the earth: I said not to the seed of Jacob, Seek you me in vain: I the LORD speak **righteousness**, I declare things that are right. Isaiah 45:19

I have sworn by myself, the word is gone out of my mouth in righteousness, and shall not return, That to me every knee shall bow, every tongue shall swear. Surely, shall one say, in the LORD have I righteousness and strength: even to him shall men come; and all that are incensed against him shall be ashamed. Isaiah 45:23-24

Listen to me, you stouthearted, that are far from **righteousness**: I bring near my **righteousness**; it shall not be far off, and my salvation shall not tarry: and I will place salvation in Zion for Israel my glory. Is 46:12-13

Hear you this, O house of Jacob, which are called by the name of Israel, and are come forth out of the waters of Judah, which swear by the name of the LORD, and make mention of the God of Israel, but not in truth, nor in **righteousness**. Isaiah 48:1

O that you had listened to my commandments! then had your peace been as a river, and your **righteousness** as the waves of the sea... Isaiah 48:18

Listen to me, you that follow after **righteousness**, you that seek the LORD: look to the rock from where you are hewn, and to the hole of the pit from where you are digged. Isaiah 51:1

My righteousness is near; my salvation is gone forth, and my arms shall judge the people; the isles shall wait on me, and on my arm shall they trust. Lift up your eyes to the heavens, and look on the earth beneath: for the heavens shall vanish away like smoke, and the earth shall wax old like a garment, and they that dwell therein shall die in like manner: but my salvation shall be for ever, and my righteousness shall not be abolished. Listen to me, you that know righteousness, the people in whose heart is my law; fear you not the reproach of men, neither be you afraid of their revilings. For the moth shall eat them up like a garment, and the worm shall eat them like wool: but my righteousness shall be for ever, and my salvation from generation to generation. Isaiah 51:5-8

He shall see of the travail of his soul, and shall be satisfied: by his knowledge shall my **righteous** servant justify many; for he shall bear their iniquities. Isaiah 53:11

In **righteousness** shall you be established: you shall be far from oppression; for you shall not fear: and from terror; for it shall not come near you....No weapon that is formed against you shall prosper; and every tongue that shall rise against you in judgment you shall condemn. This is the heritage of the servants of the LORD, and their **righteousness** is of me, said the LORD. Isaiah 54:14, 17

Thus said the LORD, Keep you judgment, and do justice: for my salvation is near to come, and my **righteousnes**s to be revealed. Isaiah 56:1

The **righteous** perishes, and no man lays it to heart: and merciful men are taken away, none considering that the **righteous** is taken away from the evil to come. Isaiah 57:1

I will declare your **righteousness**, and your works; for they shall not profit you. Isaiah 57:12

Yet they seek me daily, and delight to know my ways, as a nation that did righteousness, and forsook not the ordinance of their God: they ask of me the ordinances of justice; they take delight in approaching to God. Isaiah 58:2

Is not this the fast that I have chosen? To loose the bands of wickedness... Then shall your light break forth as the morning, and your health shall spring forth speedily: and your **righteousness** shall go before you; the glory of the LORD shall be your rear guard. Isaiah 58:6, 8

And he saw that there was no man, and wondered that there was no intercessor: therefore his arm brought salvation to him; and his righteousness, it sustained him. For he put on righteousness as a breastplate, and an helmet of salvation on his head; and he put on the garments of vengeance for clothing, and was clad with zeal as a cloak. Isaiah 59:16-17

For brass I will bring gold, and for iron I will bring silver, and for wood brass, and for stones iron: I will also make your officers peace, and your exactors **righteousness**... Your people also shall be all **righteous**: they shall inherit the land for ever, the branch of my planting, the work of my hands, that I may be glorified. Isaiah 60:17, 21

To appoint to them that mourn in Zion, to give to them beauty for ashes, the oil of joy for mourning, the garment of praise for the spirit of heaviness; that they might be called trees of **righteousness**, the planting of the LORD, that he might be glorified. Isaiah 61:3

I will greatly rejoice in the LORD, my soul shall be joyful in my God; for he has clothed me with the garments of salvation, he has covered me with the robe of **righteousness**, as a bridegroom decks himself with ornaments, and as a bride adorns herself with her jewels. For as the earth brings forth her bud, and as the garden causes the things that are sown in it to spring forth; so the Lord GOD will cause **righteousness** and praise to spring forth before all the nations. Isaiah 61:10-11

For Zion's sake will I not hold my peace, and for Jerusalem's sake I will not rest, until the **righteousness** thereof go forth as brightness, and the salvation thereof as a lamp that burns. And the Gentiles shall see your **righteousness**, and all kings your glory: and you shall be called by a new name, which the mouth of the LORD shall name. Isaiah 62:1-2

Who is this that comes from Edom, with dyed garments from Bozrah? this that is glorious in his apparel, traveling in the greatness of his strength? I that speak in **righteousness**, mighty to save. Isaiah 63:1

You meet him that rejoices and works **righteousness**, those that remember you in your ways: behold, you are wroth; for we have sinned: in those is continuance, and we shall be saved. But we are all as an unclean thing, and all our **righteousnesses** are as filthy rags; and we all do fade as a leaf; and our iniquities, like the wind, have taken us away. Isaiah 64:5-6

And you shall swear, The LORD lives, in truth, in judgment, and in **righteousness**; and the nations shall bless themselves in him, and in him shall they glory. Jeremiah 4:2

But let him that glories glory in this, that he understands and knows me, that I am the LORD which exercise loving kindness, judgment, and **righteousness**, in the earth: for in these things I delight, said the LORD. Jeremiah 9:24

But, O LORD of hosts, that judge **righteously**, that try the reins and the heart, let me see your vengeance on them: for to you have I revealed my cause. Jeremiah 11:20

But, O LORD of hosts, that tries the **righteous**, and see the reins and the heart, let me see your vengeance on them: for to you have I opened my cause. Jeremiah 20:12

Thus said the LORD; Execute you judgment and **righteousness**, and deliver the spoiled out of the hand of the oppressor: and do no wrong, do no violence to the stranger, the fatherless, nor the widow, neither shed innocent blood in this place. Jeremiah 22:3

Behold, the days come, said the LORD, that I will raise to David a **righteous** Branch, and a King shall reign and prosper, and shall execute judgment and justice in the earth. In his days Judah shall be saved, and Israel shall dwell safely: and this is his name whereby he shall be called, THE LORD OUR **RIGHTEOUSNESS**. Jeremiah 23:5-6

In those days, and at that time, will I cause the Branch of **righteousness** to grow up to David; and he shall execute judgment and **righteousness** in the land. Jeremiah 33:15

In those days shall Judah be saved, and Jerusalem shall dwell safely: and this is the name with which she shall be called, The LORD our **righteousness**. Jeremiah 33:16

The LORD has brought forth our **righteousness**: come, and let us declare in Zion the work of the LORD our God. Jeremiah 51:10

The LORD is **righteous**; for I have rebelled against his commandment: hear, I pray you, all people, and behold my sorrow: my virgins and my young men are gone into captivity. Lamentations 1:18

Again, When a **righteous** man does turn from his **righteousness**, and commit iniquity, and I lay a stumbling-block before him, he shall die: because you have not given him warning, he shall die in his sin, and his **righteousness** which he has done shall not be remembered; but his blood will I require at your hand. Nevertheless if you warn the **righteous** man, that the **righteous** sin not, and he does not sin, he shall surely live, because he is warned; also you have delivered your soul. Ezekiel 3:20-21

With lies you have made the heart of the **righteous** sad, whom I have not made sad; and strengthened the hands of the wicked, that he should not return from his wicked way, by promising him life: Ezekiel 13:22

Though these three men, Noah, Daniel, and Job, were in it, they should deliver but their own souls by their **righteousness**, said the Lord GOD. Ezekiel 14:14

Though Noah, Daniel, and Job were in it, as I live, said the Lord GOD, they shall deliver neither son nor daughter; they shall but deliver their own souls by their **righteousness**. Ezekiel 14:20

You also, which have judged your sisters, bear your own shame for your sins that you have committed more abominable than they: they are more **righteous** than you: yes, be you confounded also, and bear your shame, in that you have justified your sisters. Ezekiel 16:52

The soul that sins, it shall die. The son shall not bear the iniquity of the father, neither shall the father bear the iniquity of the son: the **righteousness** of the **righteous** shall be on him, and the wickedness of the wicked shall be on him...All his transgressions that he has committed, they shall not be mentioned to him: in his **righteousness** that he has done he shall live. Ezekiel 18:20, 22

But when the **righteous** turns away from his **righteousness**, and commits iniquity, and does according to all the abominations that the wicked man does, shall he live? All his **righteousness** that he has done shall not be mentioned: in his trespass that he has trespassed, and in his sin that he has sinned, in them shall he die. Yet ye say, The way of the Lord is not equal. Hear now, O house of Israel; Is not my way equal? are not your ways unequal? When a **righteous** man turns away from his **righteousness**, and commits iniquity, and dies in them; for his iniquity that he has done shall he die. Ezekiel 18:24-26

And say to the land of Israel, Thus said the LORD; Behold, I am against you, and will draw forth my sword out of his sheath, and will cut off from you the **righteous** and the wicked. Seeing then that I will cut off from you the **righteous** and the wicked, therefore shall my sword go forth out of his sheath against all flesh from the south to the north: Ezekiel 21:3-4

And the **righteous** men, they shall judge them after the manner of adulteresses, and after the manner of women that shed blood; because they are adulteresses, and blood is in their hands. Ezekiel 23:45

Therefore, you son of man, say to the children of your people, The righteousness of the righteous shall not deliver him in the day of his transgression: as for the wickedness of the wicked, he shall not fall thereby in the day that he turns from his wickedness; neither shall the righteous be able to live for his righteousness in the day that he sins. When I shall say to the righteous, that he shall surely live; if he trust to his own righteousness, and commit iniquity, all his righteousnesses shall not be remembered; but for his iniquity that he has committed, he shall die for it. Ezekiel 33:12-13

When the **righteous** turns from his **righteousness**, and commits iniquity, he shall even die thereby. Ezekiel 33:18

Why, O king, let my counsel be acceptable to you, and break off your sins by **righteousness**, and your iniquities by showing mercy to the poor; if it may be a lengthening of your tranquility. Daniel 4:27

OLORD, **righteousness** belongs to you, but to us confusion of faces, as at this day; to the men of Judah, and to the inhabitants of Jerusalem, and to all Israel, that are near, and that are far off, through all the countries where you have driven them, because of their trespass that they have trespassed against you. Daniel 9:7

Therefore has the LORD watched on the evil, and brought it on us: for the LORD our God is **righteous** in all his works which he does: for we obeyed not his voice. Daniel 9:14

O LORD, according to all your **righteousness**, I beseech you, let your anger and your fury be turned away from your city Jerusalem, your holy mountain: because for our sins, and for the iniquities of our fathers, Jerusalem and your people are become a reproach to all that are about us. Daniel 9:16

O my God, incline your ear, and hear; open your eyes, and behold our desolations, and the city which is called by your name: for we do not present our supplications before you for our **righteousnesses**, but for your great mercies. Daniel 9:18

Seventy weeks are determined on your people and on your holy city, to finish the transgression, and to make an end of sins, and to make reconciliation for iniquity, and to bring in everlasting **righteousness**, and to seal up the vision and prophecy, and to anoint the most Holy. Daniel 9:24

And they that be wise shall shine as the brightness of the firmament; and they that turn many to **righteousness** as the stars for ever and ever. Daniel 12:3

I will betroth you to me for ever; yes, I will betroth you to me in righteousness, and in judgment, and in loving kindness, and in mercies. Hosea 2:19

Sow to yourselves in **righteousness**, reap in mercy; break up your fallow ground: for it is time to seek the LORD, till he come and rain **righteousness** on you. Hosea 10:12

Thus said the LORD; For three transgressions of Israel, and for four, I will not turn away the punishment thereof; because they sold the **righteous** for silver, and the poor for a pair of shoes... Amos 2:6

You who turn judgment to wormwood, and leave off **righteousness** in the earth, Seek him that maketh the seven stars... Amos 5:7-8

But let judgment run down as waters, and **righteousness** as a mighty stream. Amos 5:24

Shall horses run on the rock? will one plow there with oxen? for you have turned judgment into gall, and the fruit of **righteousness** into hemlock: Amos 6:12

O my people, remember now what Balak king of Moab consulted, and what Balaam the son of Beor answered him from Shittim to Gilgal; that you may know the **righteousness** of the LORD. Micah 6:5

I will bear the indignation of the LORD, because I have sinned against him, until he plead my cause, and execute judgment for me: he will bring me forth to the light, and I shall behold his **righteousness**. Micah 7:9

Therefore the law is slacked, and judgment does never go forth: for the wicked does compass about the **righteous**; therefore wrong judgment proceeds. Habakkuk 1:4

You are of purer eyes than to behold evil, and can not look on iniquity: why look you on them that deal treacherously, and hold your tongue when the wicked devours the man that is more **righteous** than he? Habakkuk 1:13 Habakkuk's thoughts, not God's. God sees all things.

Seek you the LORD, all you meek of the earth, which have worked his judgment; seek **righteousness**, seek meekness: it may be you shall be hid in the day of the LORD's anger. Zephaniah 2:3

And I will bring them, and they shall dwell in the middle of Jerusalem: and they shall be my people, and I will be their God, in truth and in righteousness. Zechariah 8:8

And he shall sit as a refiner and purifier of silver: and he shall purify the sons of Levi, and purge them as gold and silver, that they may offer to the LORD an offering in **righteousness**. Malachi 3:3

Then shall you return, and discern between the **righteous** and the wicked, between him that serves God and him that serves him not. Malachi 3:18

But to you that fear my name shall the Sun of **righteousness** arise with healing in his wings; and you shall go forth, and grow up as calves of the stall. Malachi 4:2

NEW COVENANT RIGHTEOUSNESS

I have need to be baptized of thee, and cometh thou to me? And Jesus answering said to him, Suffer it to be so now: for thus it becomes us to fulfill all **righteousness**. Then he suffered him. Matthew 3:14-15

Blessed are they which do hunger and thirst after **righteousness**: for they shall be filled. Matthew 5:6

Blessed are they which are persecuted for **righteousness**' sake: for theirs is the kingdom of heaven. Matthew 5:10

For I say to you, That except your **righteousness** shall exceed the **righteousness** of the scribes and Pharisees, you shall in no case enter into the kingdom of heaven. Matthew 5:20

But seek you first the kingdom of God, and his **righteousness**; and all these things shall be added to you. Matthew 6:33

But go you and learn what that means, I will have mercy, and not sacrifice: for I am not come to call the **righteous**, but sinners to repentance. Matthew 9:13

He that receives a prophet in the name of a prophet shall receive a prophet's reward; and he that receives a **righteous** man in the name of a **righteous** man shall receive a **righteous** man's reward. Matthew 10:41

For truly I say to you, That many prophets and **righteous** men have desired to see those things which you see, and have not seen them; and to hear those things which you hear, and have not heard them. Matt 13:17

Then shall the **righteous** shine forth as the sun in the kingdom of their Father. Who has ears to hear, let him hear. Matthew 13:43

For John came to you in the way of **righteousness**, and you believed him not: but the publicans and the harlots believed him: and you, when you had seen it, repented not afterward, that you might believe him. Matthew 21:32

Even so you also outwardly appear **righteous** to men, but within you are full of hypocrisy and iniquity. Woe to you, scribes and Pharisees, hypocrites! because you build the tombs of the prophets, and garnish the sepulchres of the **righteous**... Matthew 23:28-29

That on you may come all the **righteous** blood shed on the earth, from the blood of **righteous** Abel to the blood of Zacharias son of Barachias, whom you slew between the temple and the altar. Matthew 23:35

Then shall the **righteous** answer him, saying, Lord, when saw we you an hungered, and fed you? or thirsty, and gave you drink? Matthew 25:37

And these shall go away into everlasting punishment: but the **righteous** into life eternal. Matthew 25:46

When Jesus heard it, he said to them, They that are whole have no need of the physician, but they that are sick: I came not to call the **righteous**, but sinners to repentance. Mark 2:17

And they were both **righteous** before God, walking in all the commandments and ordinances of the Lord blameless. Luke 1:6

That he would grant unto us, that we being delivered out of the hand of our enemies might serve him without fear, In holiness and **righteousness** before him, all the days of our life. Luke 1:74-75

I came not to call the **righteous**, but sinners to repentance. Luke 5:32

And he spoke this parable to certain which trusted in themselves that they were **righteous**, and despised others... Luke 18:9

Now when the centurion saw what was done, he glorified God, saying, Certainly this was a **righteous** man. Luke 23:47

Judge not according to the appearance, but judge **righteous** judgment. John 7:24

If I go not away, the Comforter will not come unto you; but if I depart, I will send him unto you. And when he is come, he will reprove the world of sin, and of **righteousness**, and of judgment: Of sin, because they believe not on me; Of **righteousness**, because I go to my Father, and you see me no more; Of judgment, because the prince of this world is judged. John 16:7-11

O righteous Father, the world has not known you: but I have known you, and these have known that you have sent me. John 17:25

But in every nation he that fears him, and works **righteousness**, is accepted with him. Acts 10:35

And said, O full of all subtlety and all mischief, you child of the devil, you enemy of all **righteousness**, will you not cease to pervert the right ways of the Lord? Acts 13:10

Because he has appointed a day, in the which he will judge the world in righteousness by that man whom he has ordained; whereof he has given assurance to all men, in that he has raised him from the dead. Acts 17:31

And as he reasoned of **righteousness**, temperance, and judgment to come, Felix trembled, and answered, Go your way for this time; when I have a convenient season, I will call for you. Acts 24:25

For therein is the **righteousness** of God revealed from faith to faith: as it is written, The just shall live by faith. Romans 1:17

But after your hardness and impenitent heart treasure up to yourself wrath against the day of wrath and revelation of the **righteous** judgment of God; Romans 2:5

Therefore if the uncircumcision keep the **righteousness** of the law, shall not his uncircumcision be counted for circumcision? Romans 2:26

But if our unrighteousness commend the **righteousness** of God, what shall we say? Is God unrighteous who takes vengeance? (I speak as a man) Romans 3:5

As it is written, There is none **righteous**, no, not one...But now the **righteousness** of God without the law is manifested, being witnessed by the law and the prophets; Even the **righteousness** of God which is by faith of Jesus Christ to all and on all them that believe: for there is no difference... Romans 3:10, 22

Whom God has set forth to be a propitiation through faith in his blood, to declare his **righteousness** for the remission of sins that are past, through the forbearance of God; To declare, I say, at this time his **righteousness**: that he might be just, and the justifier of him which believes in Jesus. Romans 3:25-26

For what said the scripture? Abraham believed God, and it was counted to him for **righteousness**...But to him that works not, but believes on him that justifies the ungodly, his faith is counted for **righteousness**. Even as David also describes the blessedness of the man, to whom God imputes **righteousness** without works... Romans 4:3, 5-6

Comes this blessedness then on the circumcision only, or on the uncircumcision also? for we say that faith was reckoned to Abraham for righteousness. Romans 4:9

And he received the sign of circumcision, a seal of the **righteousness** of the faith which he had yet being uncircumcised: that he might be the father of all them that believe, though they be not circumcised; that **righteousness** might be imputed to them also: Romans 4:11

For the promise, that he should be the heir of the world, was not to Abraham, or to his seed, through the law, but through the **righteousness** of faith. Romans 4:13

He staggered not at the promise of God through unbelief; but was strong in faith, giving glory to God; And being fully persuaded that, what he had promised, he was able also to perform. And therefore it was imputed to him for **righteousness**. Romans 4:20-22

For scarcely for a **righteous** man will one die: yet peradventure for a good man some would even dare to die. Romans 5:7

For if by one man's offense death reigned by one; much more they which receive abundance of grace and of the gift of **righteousness** shall reign in life by one, Jesus Christ.) Therefore as by the offense of one judgment came on all men to condemnation; even so by the **righteousness** of one the free gift came on all men to justification of life. For as by one man's disobedience many were made sinners, so by the obedience of one shall many be made **righteous**. Romans 5:17-19

That as sin has reigned to death, even so might grace reign through righteousness to eternal life by Jesus Christ our Lord. Romans 5:21

Neither yield you your members as instruments of unrighteousness to sin: but yield yourselves to God, as those that are alive from the dead, and your members as instruments of **righteousness** to God. Romans 6:13

Know you not, that to whom you yield yourselves servants to obey, his servants you are to whom you obey; whether of sin to death, or of obedience to **righteousness**? But God be thanked, that ye were the servants of sin, but ye have obeyed from the heart that form of doctrine which was delivered you. Being then made free from sin, you became the servants of **righteousness**. Romans 6:16-18

I speak after the manner of men because of the infirmity of your flesh: for as you have yielded your members servants to uncleanness and to iniquity unto iniquity; even so now yield your members servants to **righteousness** unto holiness. For when you were the servants of sin, you were free from **righteousness**. Romans 6:19-20

That the **righteousness** of the law might be fulfilled in us, who walk not after the flesh, but after the Spirit. Romans 8:4

And if Christ be in you, the body is dead because of sin; but the Spirit is life because of **righteousness**. Romans 8:10

For he will finish the work, and cut it short in **righteousness**: because a short work will the Lord make on the earth. What shall we say then? That the Gentiles, which followed not after **righteousness**, have attained to **righteousness**, even the righteousness which is of faith. But Israel, which followed after the law of **righteousness**, has not attained to the law of **righteousness**. Romans 9:28, 30-31

For they being ignorant of God's **righteousness**, and going about to establish their own **righteousness**, have not submitted themselves to the **righteousness** of God. For Christ is the end of the law for **righteousness** to every one that believes. Romans 10:3-4

For Moses describes the **righteousness** which is of the law, That the man which does those things shall live by them. But the **righteousness** which is of faith speaks on this wise, Say not in your heart, Who shall ascend into heaven? (that is, to bring Christ down from above:) or, Who shall descend into the deep? (that is, to bring up Christ from the dead.) Romans 10:5-7

For with the heart man believes to **righteousness**; and with the mouth confession is made to salvation. Romans 10:10

For the kingdom of God is not meat and drink; but **righteousness**, and peace, and joy in the Holy Ghost. Romans 14:17

But of him are you in Christ Jesus, who of God is made to us wisdom, and righteousness, and sanctification, and redemption... 1 Corinthians 1:30

Awake to **righteousness**, and sin not; for some have not the knowledge of God: I speak this to your shame. 1 Corinthians 15:34

For if the ministration of condemnation be glory, much more does the ministration of **righteousness** exceed in glory. 2 Corinthians 3:9

For he has made him to be sin for us, who knew no sin; that we might be made the **righteousness** of God in him. 2 Corinthians 5:21

In all things approving ourselves as the ministers of God...By the word of truth, by the power of God, by the armor of **righteousness** on the right hand and on the left... 2 Corinthians 6:4, 7

Be you not unequally yoked together with unbelievers: for what fellowship has **righteousness** with unrighteousness? and what communion has light with darkness? 2 Corinthians 6:14

(As it is written, He has dispersed abroad; he has given to the poor: his righteousness remains for ever. Now he that ministers seed to the sower both minister bread for your food, and multiply your seed sown, and increase the fruits of your righteousness;) 2 Corinthians 9:9-10

Therefore it is no great thing if his ministers also be transformed as the ministers of **righteousness**; whose end shall be according to their works. 2 Corinthians 11:15

I do not frustrate the grace of God: for if **righteousness** come by the law, then Christ is dead in vain. Galatians 2:21

Even as Abraham believed God, and it was accounted to him for righteousness. Galatians 3:6

Is the law then against the promises of God? God forbid: for if there had been a law given which could have given life, truly **righteousness** should have been by the law. Galatians 3:21

For we through the Spirit wait for the hope of **righteousness** by faith. Galatians 5:5

Put off concerning the former conversation the old man, which is corrupt according to the deceitful lusts; And be renewed in the spirit of your mind; And that you put on the new man, which after God is created in righteousness and true holiness. Ephesians 4:22-24

(For the fruit of the Spirit is in all goodness and **righteousness** and truth;) Ephesians 5:9

Stand therefore, having your loins girt about with truth, and having on the breastplate of **righteousness**... Ephesians 6:14

That ye may approve things that are excellent; that ye may be sincere and without offence till the day of Christ; Being filled with the fruits of righteousness, which are by Jesus Christ, to the glory and praise of God. Philippians 1:10-11

Concerning zeal, persecuting the church; touching the **righteousness** which is in the law, blameless. Philippians 3:6

And be found in him, not having my own **righteousness**, which is of the law, but that which is through the faith of Christ, the **righteousness** which is of God by faith: That I may know him, and the power of his resurrection, and the fellowship of his sufferings, being made conformable unto his death; If by any means I might attain unto the resurrection of the dead. Philippians 3:9-11

Which is a manifest token of the **righteous** judgment of God, that you may be counted worthy of the kingdom of God, for which you also suffer: Seeing it is a **righteous** thing with God to recompense tribulation to them that trouble you... 2 Thessalonians 1:5-6

The law is good, if a man know how to use it lawfully; Knowing this, that the law is not made for a **righteous man**, but for the lawless and disobedient, for the ungodly and for sinners, for unholy and profane, for murderers of fathers and murderers of mothers, for manslayers, For whoremongers, for them that defile themselves with mankind, for menstealers, for liars, for perjured persons... 1 Timothy 1:8-10

But you, O man of God, flee these things; and follow after **righteousness**, godliness, faith, love, patience, meekness. 1 Timothy 6:11

Flee also youthful lusts: but follow **righteousness**, faith, charity, peace, with them that call on the Lord out of a pure heart. 2 Timothy 2:22

All scripture is given by inspiration of God, and is profitable for doctrine, for reproof, for correction, for instruction in **righteousness**... 2 Timothy 3:16

Henceforth there is laid up for me a crown of **righteousness**, which the Lord, the **righteous** judge, shall give me at that day: and not to me only, but to all them also that love his appearing. 2 Timothy 4:8

Teaching us that, denying ungodliness and worldly lusts, we should live soberly, **righteously**, and godly, in this present world... Titus 2:12

Not by works of **righteousness** which we have done, but according to his mercy he saved us, by the washing of regeneration, and renewing of the Holy Ghost... Titus 3:5

But to the Son he said, Your throne, O God, is for ever and ever: a scepter of righteousness is the sceptre of your kingdom. You have loved righteousness, and hated iniquity; therefore God, even your God, has anointed you with the oil of gladness above your fellows. Hebrews 1:8-9

For every one that uses milk is unskillful in the word of **righteousness**: for he is a babe. Hebrews 5:13

To whom also Abraham gave a tenth part of all; first being by interpretation King of **righteousness**, and after that also King of Salem, which is, King of peace... Hebrews 7:2

By faith Abel offered to God a more excellent sacrifice than Cain, by which he obtained witness that he was **righteous**, God testifying of his gifts: and by it he being dead yet speaketh. Hebrews 11:4

By faith Noah, being warned of God of things not seen as yet, moved with fear, prepared an ark to the saving of his house; by the which he condemned the world, and became heir of the **righteousness** which is by faith. Hebrews 11:7

... Who through faith subdued kingdoms, worked **righteousness**, obtained promises, stopped the mouths of lions. Hebrews 11:33

Now no chastening for the present seems to be joyous, but grievous: nevertheless afterward it yields the peaceable fruit of **righteousness** to them which are exercised thereby. Hebrews 12:11

For the wrath of man works not the **righteousness** of God. James 1:20

The scripture was fulfilled which said, Abraham believed God, and it was imputed to him for **righteousness**: and he was called the Friend of God. James 2:23

The fruit of **righteousness** is sown in peace of them that make peace. James 3:18

Confess your faults one to another, and pray one for another, that you may be healed. The effectual fervent prayer of a **righteous** man avails much. James 5:16

Who, when he was reviled, reviled not again; when he suffered, he threatened not; but committed himself to him that judges **righteously**: Who his own self bore our sins in his own body on the tree, that we, being dead to sins, should live to **righteousness**: by whose stripes you were healed. 1 Peter 2:23-24

For the eyes of the Lord are over the **righteous**, and his ears are open to their prayers: but the face of the Lord is against them that do evil. 1 Peter 3:12

But and if you suffer for **righteousness**' sake, happy are you: and be not afraid of their terror, neither be troubled... 1 Peter 3:14

And if the **righteous** scarcely be saved, where shall the ungodly and the sinner appear? 1 Peter 4:18

Simon Peter, a servant and an apostle of Jesus Christ, to them that have obtained like precious faith with us through the **righteousness** of God and our Savior Jesus Christ... 2 Peter 1:1

...And spared not the old world, but saved Noah the eighth person, a preacher of **righteousness**, bringing in the flood on the world of the ungodly... 2 Peter 2:5

(For that **righteous** man dwelling among them, in seeing and hearing, vexed his **righteous** soul from day to day with their unlawful deeds;) 2 Peter 2:8

For it had been better for them not to have known the way of **righteousness**, than, after they have known it, to turn from the holy commandment delivered to them. 2 Peter 2:21

Nevertheless we, according to his promise, look for new heavens and a new earth, wherein dwells **righteousness**. 2 Peter 3:13

My little children, these things write I to you, that you sin not. And if any man sin, we have an advocate with the Father, Jesus Christ the righteous... 1 John 2:1

If you know that he is **righteous**, you know that every one that does righteousness is born of him. 1 John 2:29

Little children, let no man deceive you: he that does **righteousness** is **righteous**, even as he is **righteous**. 1 John 3:7

In this the children of God are manifest, and the children of the devil: whoever does not **righteousness** is not of God, neither he that loves not his brother. 1 John 3:10

Not as Cain, who was of that wicked one, and slew his brother. And why slew he him? Because his own works were evil, and his brother's **righteous**. 1 John 3:12

And I heard the angel of the waters say, You are **righteous**, O Lord, which art, and wast, and shalt be, because you have judged thus. Revelation 16:5

And I heard another out of the altar say, Even so, Lord God Almighty, true and **righteous** are your judgments. Revelation 16:7

For true and **righteous** are his judgments: for he has judged the great whore, which did corrupt the earth with her fornication, and has avenged the blood of his servants at her hand. Revelation 19:2

And to her was granted that she should be arrayed in fine linen, clean and white: for the fine linen is the **righteousness** of saints. Revelation 9:8

And I saw heaven opened, and behold a white horse; and he that sat on him was called Faithful and True, and in **righteousness** he does judge and make war. Revelation 19:11

He that is unjust, let him be unjust still: and he which is filthy, let him be filthy still: and he that is **righteous**, let him be **righteous** still: and he that is holy, let him be holy still. Revelation 22:11

UNRIGHTEOUSNESS

Thou shalt not raise a false report: put not thine hand with the wicked to be an unrighteous witness. Exodus 23:1

Ye shall do no unrighteousness in judgment: thou shalt not respect the person of the poor, nor honour the person of the mighty: but in righteousness shalt thou judge thy neighbour... Ye shall do no unrighteousness in judgment, in meteyard, in weight, or in measure. Leviticus 19:15, 35

Let mine enemy be as the wicked, and he that riseth up against me as the unrighteous. Job 27:7

Deliver me, O my God, out of the hand of the wicked, out of the hand of the unrighteous and cruel man. Psalms 71:4

To shew that the LORD is upright: he is my rock, and there is no unrighteousness in him. Psalms 92:15

Woe unto them that decree unrighteous decrees, and write grievousness which they have prescribed... Isaiah 10:1

Let the wicked forsake his way, and the unrighteous man his thoughts: and let him return unto the LORD, and he will have mercy upon him; and to our God, for he will abundantly pardon. Isaiah 55:7

Woe unto him that buildeth his house by **unrighteousness**, and his chambers by wrong; that useth his neighbour's service without wages, and giveth him not for his work... Jeremiah 22:13

And I say unto you, Make to yourselves friends of the mammon of unrighteousness; that, when ye fail, they may receive you into everlasting habitations...If therefore ye have not been faithful in the unrighteous mammon, who will commit to your trust the true riches? Luke 16:9-11

He that speaketh of himself seeketh his own glory: but he that seeketh his glory that sent him, the same is true, and no **unrighteousness** is in him. John 7:18

Unto them that are contentious, and do not obey the truth, but obey unrighteousness, indignation and wrath... Romans 2:8

For the wrath of God is revealed from heaven against all ungodliness and unrighteousness of men, who hold the truth in **unrighteousness**... being filled with all **unrighteousness**, fornication, wickedness, covetousness, maliciousness; full of envy, murder, debate, deceit, malignity; whisperers... Romans 1:18, 29

But if our unrighteousness commend the righteousness of God, what shall we say? Is God unrighteous who taketh vengeance? (I speak as a man) Romans 3:5

Neither yield ye your members as instruments of unrighteousness unto sin: but yield yourselves unto God, as those that are alive from the dead, and your members as instruments of righteousness unto God.... What shall we say then? Is there unrighteousness with God? God forbid. Romans 6:13; 9:14

Know ye not that the **unrighteous** shall not inherit the kingdom of God? Be not deceived: neither fornicators, nor idolaters, nor adulterers, nor effeminate, nor abusers of themselves with mankind... 1 Corinthians 6:9

Be not unequally yoked together with unbelievers: for what fellowship hath righteousness with **unrighteousness**? And what communion hath light with darkness? 2 Corinthians 6:14

And with all deceivableness of **unrighteousness** in them that perish; because they received not the love of the truth, that they might be saved... That they all might be damned who believed not the truth, but had pleasure in **unrighteousness**. 2 Thessalonians 2;10, 12

For God is not **unrighteous** to forget your work and labour of love, which ye have shewed toward his name, in that ye have ministered to the saints, and do minister. Hebrews 6:10

For I will be merciful to their unrighteousness, and their sins and iniquities will I remember no more. Hebrews 8:12

And shall receive the reward of unrighteousness, as they that count it pleasure to riot in the day time....which have forsaken the right way, and are gone astray...who loved the wages of unrighteousness... 2 Peter 2:15

If we confess our sins, he is faithful and just to forgive us our sins, and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness...All unrighteousness is sin: and there is a sin not unto death. 1 John 1:9; 5:17