

**THE MINISTRY OF THE HOLY SPIRIT**

*Christian Doctrine Compendium Series*

Sin, Justification, Sanctification, Reconciliation

**God's Judgement on Deeds**

Romans 2:11-15

11 For there is no partiality with God. 12 For all who have sinned without the Law will also perish without the Law, all who have sinned under the Law will be judged by the Law. 13 For it is not the hearers of the Law who are just before God, but the doers of the Law will be justified. 14 For when Gentiles who do not have the Law naturally do the things of the Law, these, not having the Law, are a law to themselves, 15 in that they demonstrate the work of the Law written in their hearts, their conscience bearing witness and their thoughts alternately accusing or else defending them, 16 on the day when, according to my gospel, God will judge the secrets of men through Christ Jesus.

**Notes:** 6 Principals of Judgement (John MacArthur)

- 1) Knowledge 2) Truth 3) Guilt 4) Deeds 5) Impartiality 6) Motive

**Discussion Questions:**

1. List God's Law. (Exodus 20:3-17)

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5.	10.

2. What does vv.11-12 mean? What does this mean for the Gentiles and the Jews?
3. Can you be justified by the Law? Why or why not?
4. How can the Gentiles be held accountable although they were not given The Law as the Jews were?
5. How will you respond to someone that ask, "How can God judge an innocent man if he has never heard the ten commandments?" What's wrong with this question in the first place? What are some verses that comes to mind?
6. What truths revealed in these verses which you may use for evangelizing?

**Reflect and Apply:**

Ignorance is no excuse for God's judgement; therefore, it is important to read God's Word. How can you improve this area in your life? Be intentional, create a plan. One simple way to start a new habit of reading daily is by reading Proverbs. Read Proverbs daily to coincide with the day in the month. For example, today is September 11, therefore read Proverbs 11. On September 12, read Proverbs 12 and so on. Ask someone to keep you accountable.