

WHO ARE THE RIGHTEOUS IF NONE ARE RIGHTEOUS?

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1. The Righteousness of man does not exist.

- a. Rom. 3:10
- b. Rom. 3:23
- c. Isa. 64:6
- d. Isa. 59:2

2. Heaven is Perfect

- a. 2Pet. 3:13 Nevertheless we, according to his promise, look for new heavens and a new earth, wherein **dwelleth righteousness**.
- b. Rev 21:27 And there shall in no wise enter into it any thing that defileth, neither whatsoever worketh abomination, or maketh a lie: but they which are written in the Lamb's book of life.

3. The Righteousness of Christ (He was without sin THEN and without sin NOW)

- a. Heb_4:15 For we have not an high priest which cannot be touched with the feeling of our infirmities; but was in all points tempted like as we are, yet **without sin**.
- b. Heb_9:28 So Christ was once offered to bear the sins of many; and unto them that look for him shall he appear the second time **without sin** unto salvation.
- c. Isa. 59:16-17 His righteousness

4. The Righteousness of God IMPUTED (put to one's account) by faith alone

- a. Isa. 61:10 The Robe of Righteousness
- b. II Cor. 5:21 We are made righteous
- c. Phil. 3:9 By Faith Righteousness
- d. Rom. 4:5-6 Imputed Righteousness
- e. Rom. 4:22-24 If we believe
- f. Rom. 3:21-22 His Righteousness is offered unto all

5. You are declared Righteous by the judicial decree by the God of the universe

- a. I Cor. 6:9-11
- b. Rom. 8:33

6. We are commanded to live a righteous life (not to become righteous), because we are righteous in Christ

II Pet. 2:8-9