

Man's Greatest Need, God's Provision: His Righteousness

Text: Romans 3:21-26

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A. The Nature of Gospel Righteousness

1. Initiated by God

Rom. 3:21, Rom. 1:4, Rom. 1:17, Rom. 3:25-26, Heb. 1:1-2, John 1:18

2. Witnessed through all of scripture

Rom. 3:21, 1 Cor. 1:31, John 5:39, Luke 24:25-27

B. The Ground of Gospel Righteousness

1. God's provision in Christ as a propitiation

Rom. 3:22-25a, Heb. 2:17, 1 John 2:2, 1 John 4:10 2 Cor. 5:21

2. God's provision in Christ received by faith

Rom. 3:22-25a, Rom. 1:16-17, Heb. 11:8

3. God's provision in Christ as a gift of grace

Rom. 3:24, Rom. 5:16-17, 2 Cor. 1:29-31

C. The Display of Gospel Righteousness

1. God's judicial action against sin on display

Rom. 3:25b-26, Gal. 3:13, Matt. 27:45-46

2. God's wisdom in the plan of salvation on display

Rom. 3:26, Ps. 85:10, Eph. 3:7-10