Monday, 29 February 2016 Romans 2:3-5

Do you suppose, O man—you who judge those who practice such things and yet do them yourself—that you will escape the judgment of God? Or do you presume on the riches of his kindness and forbearance and patience, not knowing that God's kindness is meant to lead you to repentance? But because of your hard and impenitent heart, you are storing up wrath for yourself on the day of wrath when God's righteous judgment will be revealed.

The patience of the LORD, God the Almighty is perfect but can and will be withdrawn when the willfulness of man's heart drives Him to it. He is not some nambypamby, wishy-washy, lovey-dovey blob of sentimentality but is an awesome and fear inducing being of absolute perfection and justice to all who refuse His offer of salvation. Beware!

Tuesday, 1 March 2016

2 Peter 3:14-15

Therefore, beloved, since you are waiting for these, be diligent to be found by him without spot or blemish, and at peace. And count the patience of our Lord as salvation, just as our beloved brother Paul also wrote to you according to the wisdom given him,

Sometimes as I cry, "Come, Lord Jesus, come and take me out of this mess," His soft answer is, "Patience little man, have patience and continue to do the work I have set you to. Have patience and continue to preach the Kingdom of God in the here and now."

Wednesday, 2 March 2016 Romans 3:25

whom God put forward as a propitiation by his blood, to be received by faith. This was to show God's righteousness, because in his divine forbearance he had passed over former sins. LORD, God the Almighty, You have passed over many of our sins but when will that patience come to an end with the Church as it did with Israel? Has the Church, with its limited refusal to confront the Sin of Moloch, finally brought about a withdrawal of Your favor? Forgive us, Lord, and wash Your Bride with a cleansing revival.

Thursday, 3 March 2016 Job 37:21-24

"And now no one looks on the light when it is bright in the skies, when the wind has passed and cleared them. Out of the north comes golden splendor; God is clothed with awesome majesty. The Almighty—we cannot find him; he is great in power; justice and abundant righteousness he will not violate. Therefore men fear him; he does not regard any who are wise in their own conceit."

Elihu uses a beautiful and apt simile to make the justice of the LORD, God the Almighty real and potent. Just as I cannot look into the brightness of the sun on a clear day, so I cannot stand in the presence of the perfection of the LORD's justice. It is without flaw and there are no appeals other than the blood of Christ.

Oh, foolish man who says there is no God; the Day of Reckoning is coming.

Friday, 4 March 2016 Psalms 99:4

The King in his might loves justice. You have established equity; you have executed justice and righteousness in Jacob.

The LORD, God the Almighty loves justice. Why? Is it because it is His perfect justice that does and will continue to restore His Creation to its pristine state? I believe the answer is yes.

Saturday, 5 March 2016 Luke 18:7-8 a And will not God give justice to his elect, who cry to him day and night? Will he delay long over them? I tell you, he will give justice to them speedily.

This is a passage with great promise for the LORD, God the Almighty will distribute His justice, which He loves, to those whom He loves. but I must never forget that this is in His timing, not mine.

Lord's Day, 6 March 2016 Psalm 119:74

Those who fear you shall see me and rejoice, because I have hoped in your word.

This verse speaks to me of the importance of my spoken and lived testimony as an encouragement to other believers. O, Lord, that my life would reflect the transformation of the Kingdom to all but especially to those who desire to follow You more fully in their lives. Let that hope that is within me be evident to all.



Daily Meditations from the Scriptures



February 29-March 6, 2016

I was dealing with a very difficult and perplexing problem in the spring of 1989 and tackling it by trying to learn everything I could on the subject. One evening, as I continued my studies, God told me very clearly that the root of the problem was that I did not know Him. I put down the book I was reading and picked up a Bible figuring that was where I was going to find Him. That began what has been a 27-year search to know, really know in a John 17:3 way, the Lord, God the Almighty.

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LORD, God the Almighty always refers to the Trinitarian God.