

Parity; A Divine Requirement

MATTHEW 5:1-12

**“And now, Israel,
what does
the Lord your God
require of you,
but to fear
the Lord your God,
to walk
in all His ways
and to
love Him,
to serve
the Lord your God
with all your heart
and with
all your soul.”**

Deuteronomy 10:12

DO JUSTICE
LOVE MERCY
WALK HUMBLLY
WITH YOUR GOD !

He has told you, O mortal, what is good: and what does the Lord require of you
but to DO JUSTICE, and to LOVE MERCY
and to WALK HUMBLLY with your God

LOVE THE LORD YOUR GOD WITH ALL YOUR

HEART

SOUL

STRENGTH

MIND

LUKE 10:27



“Truly I tell you,
anyone who
will not receive
the kingdom of God
like a little child
will never enter it.”

*Blessed are the Pure of Heart
for they will see God
- Matthew 5:8*





God never changes.

"REMEMBER YOUR LEADERS, WHO SPOKE THE WORD OF GOD TO YOU.
CONSIDER THE OUTCOME OF THEIR WAY OF LIFE AND IMITATE THEIR FAITH.
JESUS CHRIST IS THE SAME YESTERDAY AND TODAY AND FOREVER."

HEBREWS 13:7-8

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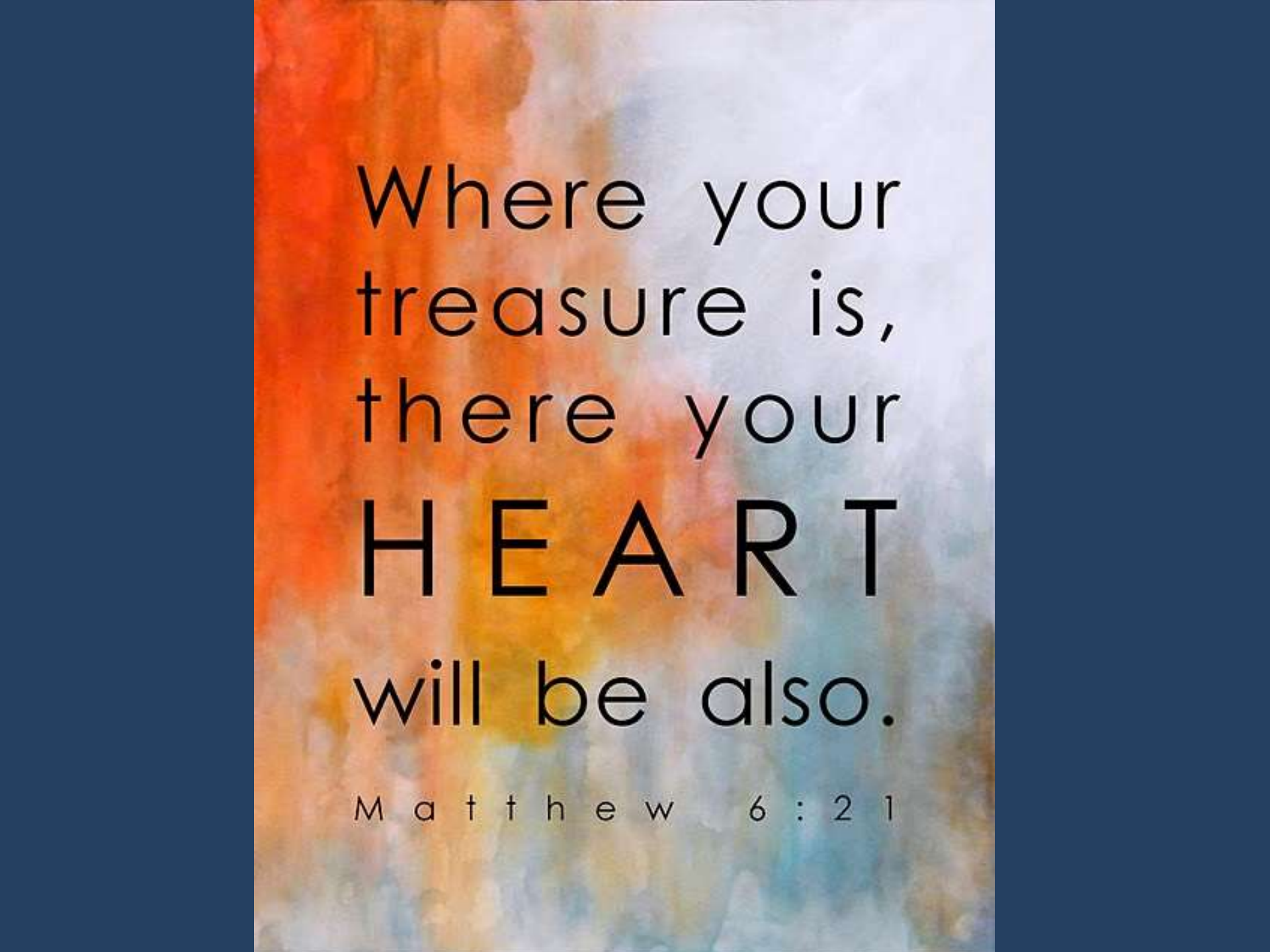
Matthew 5:8

What is a pure heart?



God blesses those whose
HEARTS ARE PURE,
FOR THEY WILL SEE GOD.

-Matthew 5:8



Where your
treasure is,
there your
HEART
will be also.

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This is my desire
To honor You
Lord, with all
my heart
I worship You

**WHAT
DO YOU
TREASURE
MOST?**





“Woe to you scribes and Pharisees, hypocrites. For you are like whitewashed tombs which on the outside appear beautiful, but inside they are full of dead men’s bones and all uncleanness. So

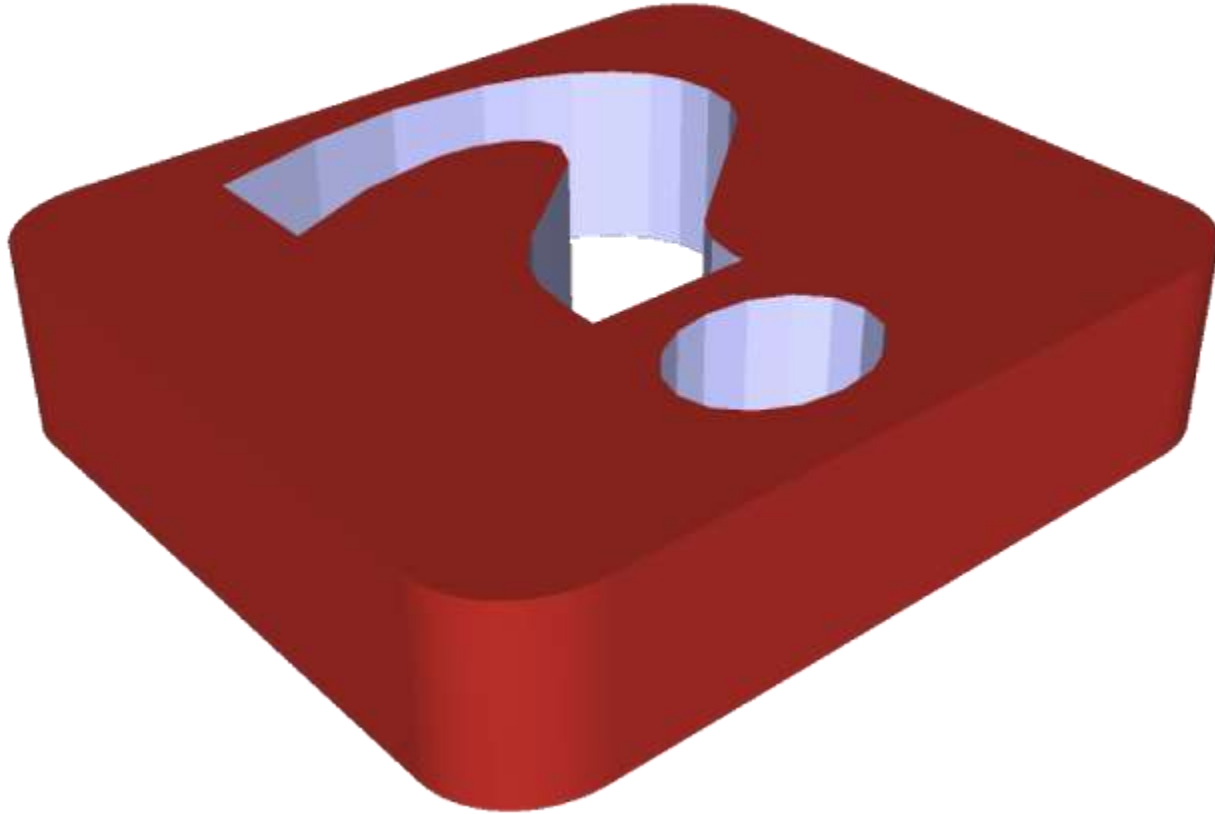
you, too, outwardly appear righteous to men, but inwardly you are full of hypocrisy and lawlessness.”




Matthew 23:27-28

The

PROBLEM



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“The heart is
deceitful above all
things, and
desperately sick; who
can understand it?”

Jeremiah 17:9

**Can you name a perfect person
In the Bible**



Matthew 5:48

Be ye therefore perfect, even
as your Father which is
in heaven is perfect.

The biblical definition of “perfect” is complete, whole, finished, it means to be as God created us, blameless, without sin, without impurity, to be whole.




And the LORD said unto Satan, Hast thou considered my servant Job, that there is none like him in the earth, a perfect and an upright man, one that feareth God, and escheweth evil? and still he holdeth fast his integrity, although thou movedst me against him, to destroy him without cause.

— Job 2:3 (KJV)

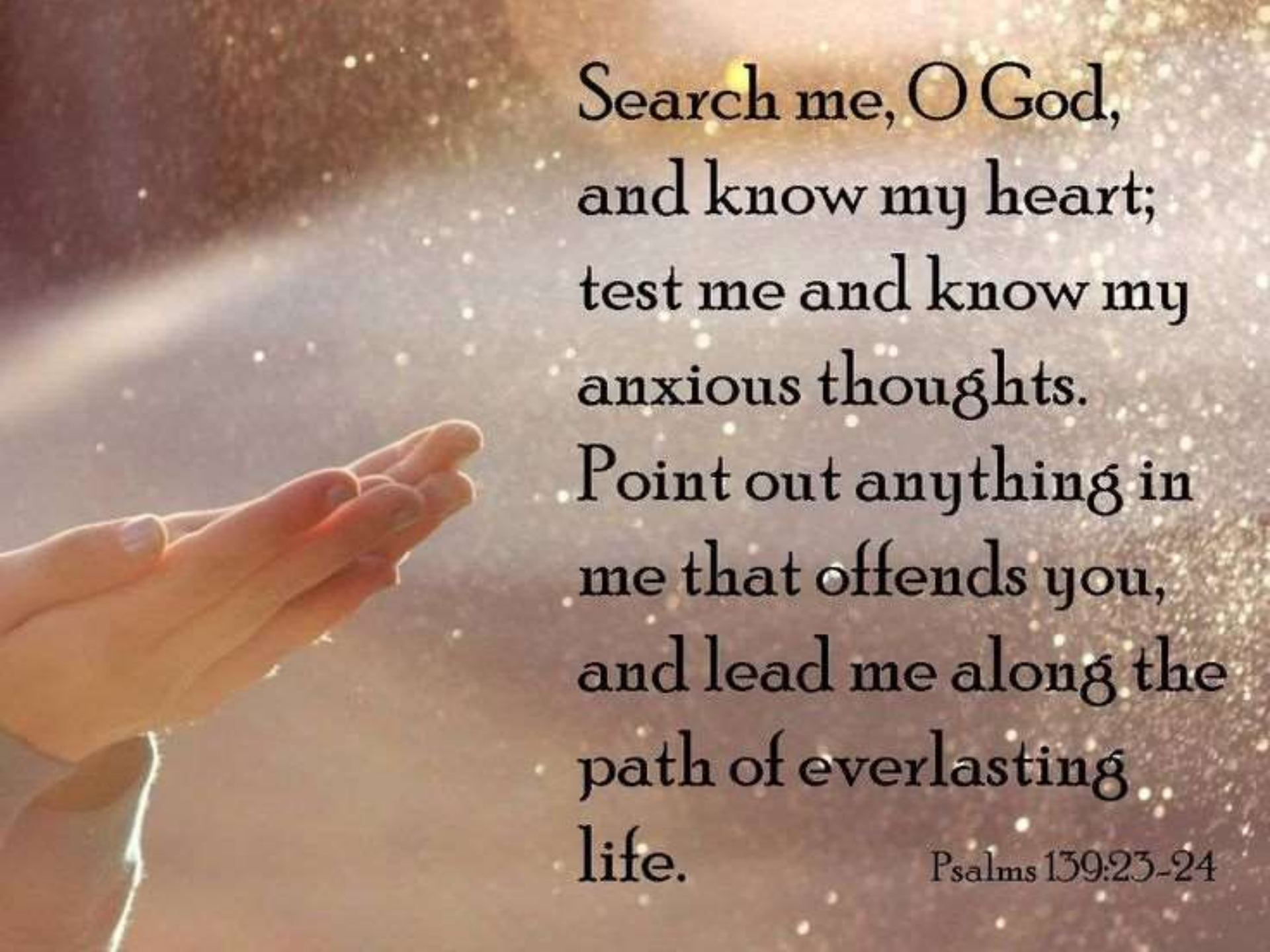
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³ Then the LORD said to Satan, “Have you considered My servant Job? No one else on earth is like him, a man of perfect integrity, who fears God and turns away from evil. He still retains his integrity, even though you incited Me against him, to destroy him without just cause.”



Who may ascend into the hill
of the LORD? And who may
stand in His holy place?

He who has
clean hands
a pure heart
not lifted up his soul to falsehood
not sworn deceitfully
— Psalm 24:3-5

A close-up of a hand reaching out from the left side of the frame. The hand is positioned as if offering or presenting something. The background is a soft, golden glow with numerous small, bright sparkles or dust particles, creating a dreamy and ethereal atmosphere. The lighting is warm and directional, coming from the upper left, highlighting the contours of the hand and the texture of the background.

Search me, O God,
and know my heart;
test me and know my
anxious thoughts.

Point out anything in
me that offends you,
and lead me along the
path of everlasting
life.

Psalms 139:23-24

And he said to her, "Daughter,

**YOUR FAITH
HAS MADE
YOU WELL:
GO IN PEACE."**

Luke 8:48



"Come now,

and let us reason together, saith

the Lord:

though your sins be

as scarlet,

they shall be as **white** as snow..."

Isaiah 1:18

First clean
the inside
of the cup
and the plate,
that the outside
also may be clean.


Matthew 23:26



Jesus Is Lord

John 15:3

*3 You are already clean because of the word
which I have spoken to you.*



**Blessed are they
whose iniquities are forgiven,
and whose sins are covered.**

Romans 4:7 (KJV)

if we confess our sins

He is *faithful* and *just*

to **forgive our sins**

and cleanse us from all unrighteousness.

1 John 1:9



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