

Class #4 Main Points:

- **Righteousness is a FREE GIFT**
- **Our own righteousness is filthy rags, but we have been given His righteousness**
- **The Gospel is powerful because it reveals the righteousness of God**
- **We have been imputed and imparted righteousness**
- **Receiving righteousness will cause us to reign in life**
- **I am justified by faith alone - To be justified is to be declared righteous**
- **Righteousness is the way to true peace with God**
- **The promises for righteous people are yours**
- **Maturity in Christ is a result of feeding on righteousness**

Verses Used/For Further Consideration:

- 2 Corinthians 5:21
- Philippians 3:8-9
- 2 Timothy 3:16-17
- Romans 10:3
- Romans 5:17
- Romans 3:21-22
- Ephesians 6:14
- Romans 9:30-33
- 1 Corinthians 15:34,56
- Matthew 5:20
- Romans 1:16-17
- Hebrews 5:13
- Romans 4

Read Proverbs 10 - What are 3 of your favorite promises to righteous people in this chapter?

What does “reigning in life” mean to you?

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What are some ways your bible reading changes when you know you're righteous?

Read Romans 4 - why do you think Paul used these Old Testament examples to explain righteousness?

Paraphrase Romans 5:16-17 in your own words:

In light of righteousness, how do you view "works"? Search out your answer in scripture.

What do you think Jesus meant when He said He must "fulfill all righteousness"(Matthew 3:15)?

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How would you answer someone who states that you can't be righteous because you sin?

Do you have any areas that you are aware of that you've been leaning on your own righteousness? What's God's truth for that area?

How does the right understanding of the Law help you to appreciate righteousness?

Find 3 Verses outside of the ones given on this page about righteousness:

In light of what we've learned, what do you think Jesus meant in Mark 2:17?

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