

# The Two Righteousnesses – Part 2



Read: *The Two Righteousnesses – Part 2 (CBCG)*.

What are the two righteousnesses? List each & complete the table with 1 or 2 details that describe them. Some are done for you.

•	• received from Christ
• actions & thoughts	•

The letter of the Law is referring to God's \_\_\_\_\_.



## Sin & the Law

Read I John 3:4-8. What does it mean to “practice sin”?

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Who is the Lawgiver & Judge? \_\_\_\_\_

What are God's universal moral laws?

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Who are they for? \_\_\_\_\_

When were they given? \_\_\_\_\_

Which command does God give first? \_\_\_\_\_

Where there is no \_\_ \_\_ \_\_, there is no \_\_ \_\_ \_\_. When a religion/church claims that the “law has been done away with”, what are they really saying?

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**True or False:**

- \_\_\_ Sin and lawlessness are two different things.
- \_\_\_ If you dwell in Christ, you will not practice sin.
- \_\_\_ Where there is no law, there is no sin.
- \_\_\_ God expects only those He has called to obey His laws.
- \_\_\_ The first righteousness can bring us eternal life.
- \_\_\_ The law was away with by Christ’s death on the cross.
- \_\_\_ The first law God gave is related to loving one another.
- \_\_\_ Practicing sin & making a mistake on occasion are two different things.
- \_\_\_ God’s laws are still in effect today.





## Adam & Eve

Satan always comes with a benefit. What did he offer Eve?

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In what 2 ways did Adam & Eve's relationship with God change when they sinned?

1. \_\_\_\_\_
2. \_\_\_\_\_

In what 3 ways did their sin impact mankind?

1. \_\_\_\_\_
2. \_\_\_\_\_
3. \_\_\_\_\_



## Obeying God's Laws

The Pharisees kept the \_\_\_e\_\_\_r\_ of the law, but also  
\_\_\_d\_\_\_d\_ to it with their own laws.

What did Jesus mean when He said we are to exceed what the Pharisees did in keeping His laws?

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Obedience alone allows you to enter the Kingdom of God.    Yes    No

The addition of God's spirit given when He draws you to Him & you are baptized allows you to keep the spirit of the law.                      Yes    No

If you truly love God, you will obey His voice.                                      Yes    No



### True or False:

- \_\_\_\_\_ Because we are human, we must give in to temptation.
- \_\_\_\_\_ We can continue in unrepentant sin and expect to enter God's Kingdom.
- \_\_\_\_\_ God provides a way out of every temptation.
- \_\_\_\_\_ We can fully keep God's laws without the help of His spirit.
- \_\_\_\_\_ The second righteousness is dependent upon being called by God.



### Seeking His Righteousness

Read Matt. 6:33. Write it out here:

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Read Matt. 22:37-38. How do these two verses prove we are to keep God's commands as well as love God and others?

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All of God's commands are based on \_\_\_\_\_.

Read Matt. 7:21. Write it out here:

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### True or False:

- \_\_\_\_\_ It is God's will that we reject His commandments.
- \_\_\_\_\_ We need to be practicing the will of the Father here on Earth.
- \_\_\_\_\_ Doing good things in God's name gives you the right to ignore His laws.
- \_\_\_\_\_ Doing what you think is right is pleasing to God.
- \_\_\_\_\_ Only Christians have trials.



### The Wise Man Knows God

Read I John 2:3 & Matt. 7:23-25.

The only way to enter the Kingdom of God is by having a \_\_\_\_\_ relationship with Him.

How do we KNOW God? \_\_\_\_\_

Most of the religions of today claim to know God.	Yes	No
You can know God but not keep His commands.	Yes	No
You can know God but not spend time with Him.	Yes	No
You can know God & also follow the world.	Yes	No
You can know God without talking with Him.	Yes	No
You can know about God without knowing Him.	Yes	No

Fill in the missing words.

Christ is the Rock, the \_\_\_\_\_ for a life that \_\_\_\_\_  
God. We cannot build the house (life with God) without \_\_\_\_\_.  
In the New Testament, the work we are to do is based on  
\_\_\_\_\_. A strong house (Christian life) can weather the  
storms & \_\_\_\_\_ that will come.

Compare the wise & foolish men in the diagram below. Be sure to  
describe each based on what you have learned today.

WISE MAN	FOOLISH MAN

How does the Parable of the Ten Virgins fit with this theme of  
knowing God?

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## Understanding Righteousness

Righteousness #1 is everyone's duty to do.                      Yes                      No

If you do Righteousness #1, it will lead you to God.                      Yes                      No

God will empower you to do Righteousness #2 through faith & the help of His spirit.                      Yes                      No

Write the kind of righteousness (#1 or #2) next to the current symbol below that shows its source.



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Explain this in your own words.

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Who is the great motivator?    \_ \_ \_ \_ \_    in    \_ \_ \_



## Your Response

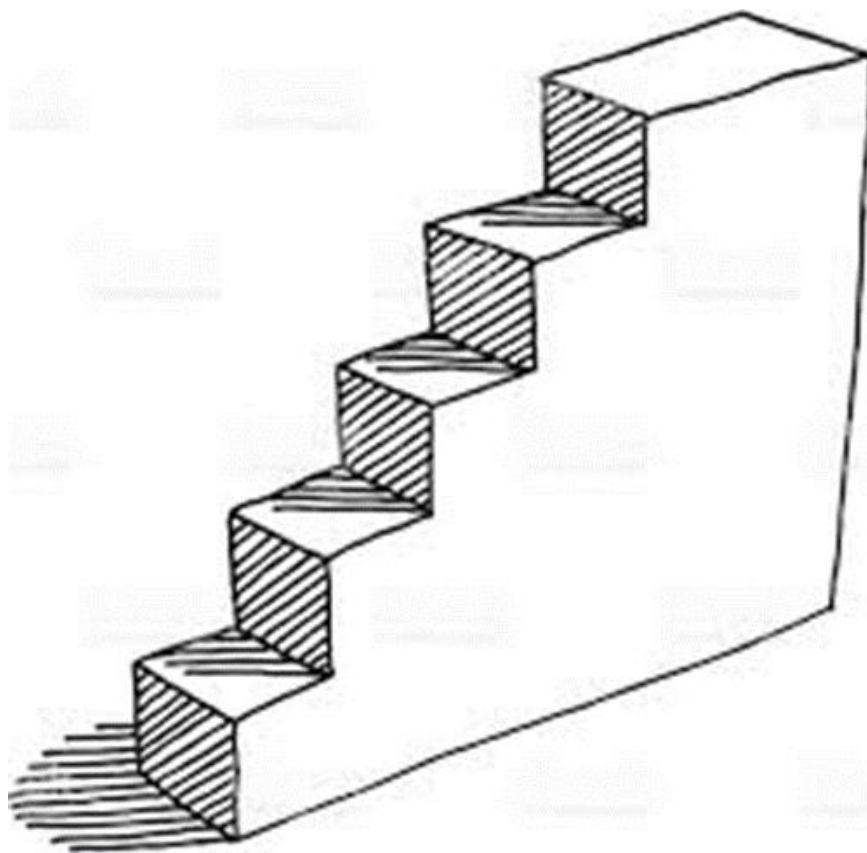
How well do you know God?



*Not at All*

*A Lot*

What do you need to do to seek His righteousness? Place these steps on the steps shown below.





Seek ye  
First  
the  
Kingdom  
of  
GOD

