

Beholding

the Glorious One

“How to be Pleasing to God.2”

PART 140 • Luke 18:9-14

INTRODUCTION

- the greatest question...

Deut. 32:4
Lev. 11:4; Mt. 5:48; Ps. 143:2
Ezk. 18:4; Job 9:2

1. The problem of self-made righteousness

- asserting our own “righteousness”

Mt. 5:20

- universal attempt at self-righteousness
case study: Roman Catholicism

+ the place of faith

Eph. 2:8-9

+ why did they stray so far from the truth?

- ✓ Rome’s source of truth
- ✓ Rome’s understanding of justification

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+ the counter argument by Protestants

- ✓ concept of “imputation”

Is. 53:6

- ✓ being “declared” righteous

2. The gospel of divinely-granted righteousness

- the tax collector’s knowledge of sin

Lk. 23:48; Ps. 51:3-4

- an earnest plea for mercy

Jer. 13:23; 1 Tim. 1:15; Heb. 2:17
Is. 53:4-5

CONCLUSION

- Rome’s view of justification:

_____ + _____ = _____

- biblical view of justification:

_____ = _____ + _____

Eph. 2:10