

Foundations 6

God Winks at Sin?

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Introduction: And the times of this ignorance God winked at; but now commandeth all men every where to repent. Acts 17:30 KJV

God Winks?

What then shall we say? Is God unjust? Not at all! ¹⁵For he says to Moses, "I will have mercy on whom I have mercy, and I will have compassion on whom I have compassion."^[1] ¹⁶It does not, therefore, depend on man's desire or effort, but on God's mercy.

But the Bible is clear he is a J_____t God.

God Winked at the Athenians Temples Acts 17:22-27

The wrath of God is being revealed from heaven against all the godlessness and wickedness of men who suppress the truth by their wickedness, ¹⁹since what may be known about God is plain to them, because God has made it plain to them. ²⁰For since the creation of the world God's invisible qualities—his eternal power and divine nature—have been clearly seen, being understood from what has been made, so that men are without excuse. Romans 1:18-20

Because God is the _____ not the creation.

God winked at the Athenians Idolatry Acts 17:28-31

God No Longer Winks when the truth is heard Acts 17:30

"God is now declaring to men that all everywhere should repent."

Conclusion: What is your response to the Truth?

Homework:

Monday Read the following Web Article:

<http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Areopagus>

Tuesday and Wednesday: Read the Following Web Article:

<http://www.rzim.org/USA/USFV/tabid/436/ArticleID/10206/CBModuleId/881/Default.aspx>

Thursday Read the Following Article on the Resurrection:

http://www.leestrobels.com/newsletters/2007APRIL/LS_RealJesusTo mb

Friday Read Acts 2:29-41

What Historical Evidence of Christ Resurrection is in the passage?

Saturday Read 1 Corinthians 15:1-11

How many eyewitnesses of the resurrection were there?