

Resurrection Life of Jesus Church

PREPARING FOR ETERNITY

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PART 20: MERCY 101

Mercy is based upon two simple but important concepts and cannot exist without them.

LAW

The law of God demands the death penalty for all human beings and after death there is eternal banishment to the Lake of Fire. Mercy cannot exist without the concept of law.

Romans 5:6-21; Revelation 20:10-15

Mercy is provided by God through Jesus Christ! **Romans 10:6-13**

There is no mercy without truth, integrity and love. **John 8:28-36**

No intelligent person questions the need for doctrinal truth when it comes to God's physical laws concerning mathematics, chemistry, aerodynamics, electricity, etc. **James 3:11-12**

CORE QUESTIONS

Did doctrinal truth make a difference to the people that drowned at the time of Noah? **Genesis 6:5-13; 7:17-24**

Did doctrine matter to the people who died a violent death in Sodom and Gomorrah? **Genesis 19:24-28**

Did doctrinal truth matter to King Jehoram who died of a terrible bowel disease? **2 Chronicles 21:4-20**

The golden rule says, "Do unto others as you would have them do unto you." **Matthew 7:13-27**

There is an epidemic of cheating and lying in America today that is destroying the fabric of our society. Bill and Hillary Clinton have surrounded themselves with lying spin doctors and half the population doesn't care! **Isaiah 59:1-15; Hosea 4:1-6**

LOVE

The second concept of mercy is based upon the law of love.

Jesus demands that you and I to show mercy to other people! **Matthew 18:21-35**

If mercy is applied in our marriages, churches, work places, in traffic, etc., there will be joy unspeakable. **1 John 4:7-21**

There was no mercy when Lucifer ruled this earth. **Isaiah 14:12-17**

Jesus demands that you show mercy to anyone who has a genuine need! **Luke 10:25-37**

The following spiritual law of Jesus will never fail:



*“Therefore all things whatsoever ye would that men should do to you, do ye even so to them: for this is the law and the prophets.” **Matthew 7:12***

Do you plan to start and finish your classes?