

No One Gets Away With Injustice

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1. There are always consequences for our actions.

I will take revenge; I will pay them back. In due time their feet will slip. Their day of disaster will arrive, and their destiny will overtake them. Deuteronomy 32:35 (NLT)

If a person does not repent, God will sharpen his sword; he will bend and string his bow. ¹³ He will prepare his deadly weapons and shoot his flaming arrows. ¹⁴ The wicked conceive evil; they are pregnant with trouble and give birth to lies. ¹⁵ They dig a deep pit to trap others, then fall into it themselves. ¹⁶ The trouble they make for others backfires on them. The violence they plan falls on their own heads. Psalm 7:12-16 (NLT)

2. Keep our focus where it needs to be.

For I was envious of the arrogant As I saw the prosperity of the wicked. ⁴ For there are no pains in their death, And their body is fat. ⁵ They are not in trouble as other men, Nor are they plagued like mankind. ⁶ Therefore pride is their necklace; The garment of violence covers them. ⁷ Their eye bulges from fatness; The imaginations of their heart run riot. ⁸ They mock and wickedly speak of oppression; They speak from on high. ⁹ They have set their mouth against the heavens, And their tongue parades through the earth. Psalm 73:3-9 (NASB)

There is a path before each person that seems right, but it ends in death. Proverbs 14:12 (NLT)

Godly people find life; evil people find death. Proverbs 11:19 (NLT)

Do not fret because of evildoers, Be not envious toward wrongdoers. ² For they will wither quickly like the grass and fade like the green herb. Psalm 37:1-2 (NASB)

Rest in the LORD and wait patiently for Him; Do not fret because of him who prospers in his way, Because of the man who carries out wicked schemes. ⁸ Cease from anger and forsake wrath; Do not fret; it leads only to evildoing. ⁹ For evildoers will be cut off, But those who wait for the LORD, they will inherit the land. ¹⁰ Yet a little while and the wicked man will be no more; And you will look carefully for his place and he will not be there. Psalm 37:7-10 (NASB)

For the arms of the wicked will be broken, But the LORD sustains the righteous. ¹⁸ The LORD knows the days of the blameless, And their inheritance will be forever. Psalm 37:17-18 (NASB)

3. Leave room for the LORD to work.

Never take your own revenge, beloved, but leave room for the wrath of God, for it is written, "VENGEANCE IS MINE, I WILL REPAY," says the Lord. Romans 12:19 (NASB)

That's the whole story. Here now is my final conclusion: Fear God and obey his commands, for this is everyone's duty. ¹⁴ God will judge us for everything we do, including every secret thing, whether good or bad. Ecclesiastes 12:13-14 (NLT)

Do all things without grumbling or disputing; ¹⁵ so that you will prove yourselves to be blameless and innocent, children of God above reproach in the midst of a crooked and perverse generation, among whom you appear as lights in the world, Philippians 2:14-15 (NASB)
