



*Torah Portion Mishpatim - The Judgments -
"The Law and The End!"*

*Exodus 21:1-27:19; Jeremiah 34:8-22;33:25-26; Mark 9:40-50
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*Exodus 21:1 And these are the ordinances (judgments) that you shall place before them.

*Numbers 15:38-39 Speak to the Israelites and tell them that throughout the generations to come they are to make for themselves tassels for the corners of their garments, with a blue cord on each tassel. These will serve as tassels for you to look at, so that you may remember all the commandments of the LORD that you may obey them and not prostitute yourselves by following your own heart and your own eyes.

*Jeremiah 23:5-6 Behold, the days are coming, says the LORD, That I will raise to David a Branch of righteousness; A King shall reign and prosper, And execute judgment and righteousness in the earth. In His days Judah will be saved, And Israel will dwell safely; Now this is His name by which He will be called: THE LORD OUR RIGHTEOUSNESS. *Proverbs 17:23 Corrupt judges accept secret bribes, and then justice is not done.

*2 Timothy 4:8 And now the prize awaits me—the crown of righteousness, which the Lord, the righteous Judge, will give me on the day of his return. And the prize is not just for me but for all who eagerly look forward to his appearing.

*Proverbs 17:23 Corrupt judges accept secret bribes, and then justice is not done.

*I John 4:10 This is love: not that we loved God, but that he loved us and sent his Son as an atoning sacrifice for our sins.

*II Peter 3:12 Therefore, since all these things will be dissolved, what manner of persons ought you to be in holy conduct and godliness, as you anticipate and hasten the coming of the day of God, when the heavens will be destroyed by fire and the elements will melt in the heat.

*Psalm 119:105-112 (NUN - REPRESENTING LIFE) Your word is a lamp to my feet And a light to my path. I have sworn and confirmed That I will keep Your righteous judgments (MISHPATIM). I am afflicted (DOWNCAST) very much; Revive me (GIVE ME LIFE), O LORD, according to Your word. Accept, I pray, the freewill offerings of my mouth, O LORD, And teach me Your judgments (MISHPATIM). My life is continually in my hand, Yet I do not forget Your law (TORAH). The wicked (EVIL MEN) have laid a snare (TRAP WITH A NET)

for me, Yet I have not strayed from Your precepts (**MISHPATIM**). Your testimonies (**admonitions/WARNINGS FROM THE COMMANDMENTS**) I have taken as a heritage forever, For they are the rejoicing of my heart. I have inclined my heart to perform Your statutes (THE THINGS GOD HAS PRESCRIBED) Forever, to the very end.

***Luke 24:4** Then he said to them, These are my words that I spoke to you while I was still with you, that everything written about Me in the Law of Moses and the Prophets and the Psalms must be fulfilled.

***Exodus 20:18-19** Now all the people witnessed the thunder and the flashes of lightning and the sound of the trumpet and the smoking mountain; and as they looked, **the people were afraid**, and they trembled [and moved backward] and stood at a [safe] distance. Then they said to Moses, You speak to us and we will listen, but do not let God speak to us or we will die.

***Exodus 20:20** Do not be afraid, Moses replied. For God has come to test you, so that the fear of Him may be before you, to keep you from sinning.

***Exodus 23:26-27** If you ever take your neighbor's garment as a pledge, you shall return it to him before the sun goes down. For that *is* his only covering, it *is* his garment for his skin. What will he sleep in? And it will be that when he cries to Me, I will hear, for I am compassionate.

***Matthew 5:21-26** You have heard that it was said to those of old, 'You shall not murder, and whoever murders will be in danger of the judgment.' But I say to you that whoever is angry with his brother without a cause shall be in danger of the judgment. And whoever says to his brother, 'Raca!' shall be in danger of the council. But whoever says, 'You fool!' shall be in danger of hell fire. Therefore, if you bring your gift to the altar, and there remember that your brother has something against you, leave your gift there before the altar, and go your way. First be reconciled to your brother, and then come and offer your gift. Agree with your adversary quickly, while you are on the way with him, lest your adversary deliver you to the judge, the judge hand you over to the officer, and you be thrown into prison. Assuredly, I say to you, you will by no means get out of there till you have paid the last penny.

***Matthew 5:27-30** You have heard that it was said to those of old, 'You shall not commit adultery. But I say to you that whoever looks at a woman to lust for her has already committed adultery with her in his heart. If your right eye causes you to sin, pluck it out and cast it from you; for it is more profitable for you that one of your members perish, than for your whole body to be cast into hell. And if your right hand causes you to sin, cut it off and cast it from you; for it is more profitable for you that one of your members perish, than for your whole body to be cast into hell.

***Matthew 5:33-37** Again you have heard that it was said to those of old, 'You shall not swear falsely, but shall perform your oaths to the Lord.' But I say to you, do not swear at all: neither by heaven, for it is God's throne; nor by the earth, for it is His footstool; nor by

Jerusalem, for it is the city of the great King. Nor shall you swear by your head, because you cannot make one hair white or black. But let your 'Yes' be 'Yes,' and your 'No,' 'No.' For whatever is more than these is from the evil one.

***Psalm 101:7** He that speaks falsehood shall not be established before My eyes.

***Matthew 5:38-42** You have heard that it was said, 'An eye for an eye and a tooth for a tooth.' But I tell you not to resist an evil person. But whoever slaps you on your right cheek, turn the other to him also. If anyone wants to sue you and take away your tunic, let him have your cloak also. And whoever compels you to go one mile, go with him two. Give to him who asks you, and from him who wants to borrow from you do not turn away.

***Romans 12:17-21** Do not repay anyone evil for evil. Be careful to do what is right in the eyes of everybody. If it is possible, as far as it depends on you, live at peace with everyone. Do not take revenge, my friends, but leave room for God's wrath, for it is written: It is mine to avenge; I will repay, says the Lord. On the contrary: If your enemy is hungry, feed him; if he is thirsty, give him something to drink. In doing this, you will heap burning coals on his head. Do not be overcome by evil, but overcome evil with good.

***Matthew 5:3-45** You have heard that it was said, You shall love your neighbor and hate your enemy. But I say to you, love your enemies, bless those who curse you, do good to those who hate you, and pray for those who spitefully use you and persecute you, that you may be sons of your Father in heaven; for He makes His sun rise on the evil and on the good, and sends rain on the just and on the unjust.

***Romans 5:8,10**...but God shows his love for us in that while we were still sinners, Christ died for us. Since, therefore, we have now been justified by his blood, much more shall we be saved by him from the wrath of God. For if while we were enemies we were reconciled to God by the death of his Son, much more, now that we are reconciled, shall we be saved by his life.

***Mark 13:2** Jesus said, Do you see all these great buildings? Not one stone will be left on another. Every stone will be thrown down to the ground.

***Psalm 119:113-120** I hate the double-minded, (THOSE WHO ARE HALF-HEARTED/LUKEWARM)- THEY CAN'T GIVE THE WORLD AND THEIR POWER UP) But I love Your law. (LOVE FOR HIS LAW WILL KEEP US) You are my hiding place and my shield I hope in Your word. Depart from me, you evildoers, (THOSE WHO HURT, OR INJURE AND DO EVIL THINGS ---EVILDOERS WILL SURROUND US) For I will keep the commandments of my God! Uphold me according to Your word, that I may live; And do not let me be ashamed of my hope. Hold me up, and I shall be safe, And I shall observe Your statutes continually. You reject all those who stray from Your statutes, For their deceit (LYING AND TREACHERY) is falsehood. (AGAIN DECEITFULNESS THAT BRINGS TREACHEROUS TIMES) (WHEN PEOPLE AND PEOPLE IN LEADERSHIP ROLES BEGIN TO LEAVE THE LAW OF GOD BEHIND - THERE WILL BE DECIET EVERYWHERE - THEN TROUBLE

COMES - BUT) You put away all the wicked of the earth like dross; (THE LORD IS GOING TO DEAL WITH THEM - DROSS IS REMOVED FROM METAL) Therefore I love Your testimonies. My flesh trembles for fear of You, And I am afraid of Your judgments.

*Ezekiel 22:18 The word of the Lord came to me, saying, Son of man, the house of Israel has become dross to Me; they are all bronze, tin, iron, and lead, in the midst of a furnace; they have become dross from silver. Therefore thus says the Lord God: 'Because you have all become dross, therefore behold, I will gather you into the midst of Jerusalem. As men gather silver, bronze, iron, lead, and tin into the midst of a furnace, to blow fire on it, to melt it; so I will gather you in My anger and in My fury, and I will leave you there and melt you. Yes, I will gather you and blow on you with the fire of My wrath, and you shall be melted in its midst.

*Daniel 2:28 But there is a God in heaven who reveals secrets, and He has made known to King Nebuchadnezzar what will be in the latter days. Your dream, and the visions of your head upon your bed, were these.....

*Revelation 9:20 But the rest of the men who were not killed by these plagues still did not repent of the works of their hands, that they might not worship demons, and idols of gold and silver and brass and stone and wood, which do not have the power to see, nor to hear, nor to walk.

*Revelation 18:9 Those who, when the devil rules the earth, grow wealthy using silver and gold will be made to "weep and mourn" when God destroys their ability to gain riches.

*Exodus 21:1-2 These are the ordinances that you are to set before them: If you buy a Hebrew servant, he is to serve you for six years. But in the seventh year, he shall go free without paying anything.....

*Jeremiah 34:8-10 This is the word that came to Jeremiah from the HASHEM, after King Zedekiah had made a covenant with all the people who were at Jerusalem to proclaim liberty to them: that every man should set free his male and female slave—a Hebrew man or woman—that no one should keep a Jewish brother in bondage. Now when all the princes and all the people, who had entered into the covenant, heard that everyone should set free his male and female slaves, that no one should keep them in bondage anymore, they obeyed and let them go.

*Exodus 24:6-8 Moses took half of the blood and put it in bowls, and the other half he sprinkled on the altar. Then he took the Book of the Covenant and read it to the people, who replied, All that HASHEM has spoken we will do, and we will will hear. So Moses took the blood, sprinkled it on the people, and said, This is the blood of the covenant that HASHEM has made with you in accordance with all these words.

*1 Corinthians 11:25 In the same way He took the cup also after supper, saying, This cup is the new covenant in My blood; do this, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of Me.

***Jeremiah 34:13-15** This is what the Lord, the God of Israel, says: I made a covenant with your ancestors when I brought them out of Egypt, out of the land of slavery. I said, Every seventh year each of you must free any fellow Hebrews who have sold themselves to you. After they have served you six years, you must let them go free. Your ancestors, however, did not listen to Me or pay attention to Me. **And you repented;** today you did what is right in My eyes to proclaim freedom, each man for his fellow, and you established a covenant before Me in the Temple which is called by My Name which is upon it.

***Jeremiah 34:17** Therefore thus said the Lord; Ye have not hearkened to me, to proclaim a release everyone to his neighbor: behold, I proclaim a release to you, **to the sword, and to the pestilence,** and **to the famine;** and I will give you up to trouble among all the kingdoms of the earth.

***Revelation 6:8** And I looked, and behold, a pale horse! And its rider's name was Death, and Hades followed him. And they were given authority over a fourth of the earth, to **kill with sword and with famine and with pestilence**

***Jeremiah 30:7** Alas! For that day is great, so that none is like it; And it is the time of Jacob's trouble, but he shall be saved out of it.

***John 14:26:** But the Advocate, the Holy Spirit, whom the Father will send in my name, will teach you all things and will remind you of **everything I have said to you.**

***Revelation 2:1-7** summarizing He says that He knows their **works, their labor, their patience and that they cannot bear those who are evil.** They **have persevered, had patience and labored for His name sake and have not become weary.....**But they had left their first love - - repent - or He will come and remove their lampstand. Then He commends them for hating the deeds of the Nicolaitans, which He also hates.

***Revelation 2:8-11** He knows their works, tribulation and poverty; but tells them they are really rich. He knows about the synagogue of Satan. He tells them not to fear the things that are coming, but to be faithful until death and He will give them the crown of life.

***Revelation 2:12-17** They dwell where Satan's throne is, hold fast the His name, and did not deny His faith even in the days in which Antipas was His faithful martyr. But He has against them that they hold the doctrine of Baalam, and they allow those among them who hold the doctrine of the Nicolaitans - which He hates. He says repent now or He will come against them and fight with the sword of His mouth. Overcome and receive hidden manna and a white stone.

***Revelation 2:18-23** Their works are love, service, faith patience and service, and their last works are more than the first. But they allow Jezebel who calls herself a prophetess to seduce my servants to commit sexual immorality and teach other the same....but she will not repent though He has given her time. The consequences are terrible tribulation for adultery, and even

the death of her children. Then Yeshua warns: And I will give to each one of you according to your works.

***Colossians 3:6** Because of these, the wrath of God is coming on the sons of disobedience.

***Psalm 82:1** God takes His stand in His own congregation; He judges in the midst of the rulers (judges).

***Ezekiel 5:11** Therefore, as I live, declares the Lord God, surely, because you have defiled my sanctuary with all your detestable things and with all your abominations, **therefore I will withdraw.**

***Luke 16:17** But it is easier for heaven and earth to pass away than for a single stroke of a pen to drop out of the Law.

***Psalm 82:3-5** Defend the poor and fatherless; do justice to the afflicted and needy. Deliver the poor and needy; **free from the hand of the wicked.** They do not know, nor do they understand; they walk about in darkness; **all the foundations of the earth are unstable.**