



While the God of the Bible is a God of Love, He is also a God of justice. Justice, while sometimes difficult to understand, is actually an Integral part of love.

*"And I saw a great white throne, and him that sat on it, from whose face the earth and the heaven fled away; and there was found no place for them. And I saw the dead, small and great, stand before God; and the books were opened: and another book was*

*opened, which is the book of life: and the dead were judged out of those things which were written in the books, according to their works. And the sea gave up the dead which were in it; and death and hell delivered up the dead which were in them: and they were judged every man according to their works. And death and hell were cast into the lake of fire. This is the second death. And whosoever was not found written in the book of life was cast into the lake of fire"* (Rev. 20:11-15).

A fear of God, likewise, may at first glance seem like a bad thing, but if it leads to wisdom isn't it really something to be cherished? The Bible says:

*"The fear of the LORD is the beginning of wisdom"...Ps. 111:10*

The very "Good News" is that the God of Love and Justice has provided a way of escape from this temporarily Satan dominated, sin filled world. The sinless God-man Jesus Christ, in keeping with true justice, has paid the sin debt for all who will simply come to him in repentance and faith.

*For God so loved the world, that he gave his only begotten Son, that whosoever believeth in him should not perish, but have everlasting life. (John 3:16)*

Please remember these words: "He came to pay a debt He did not owe because we owed a debt we could not pay." This is the purpose for which Christ came into the world.