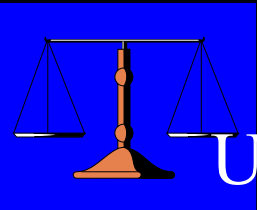


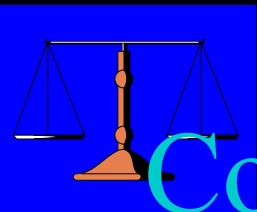
Christ in the Penalties of Mosaic Law

Leviticus 20



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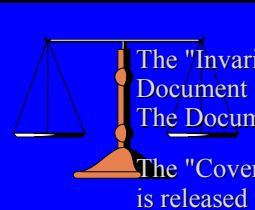
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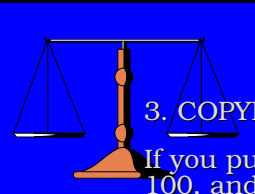
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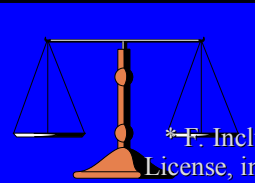
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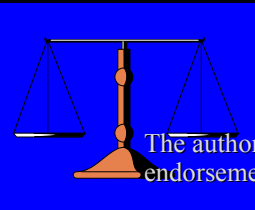
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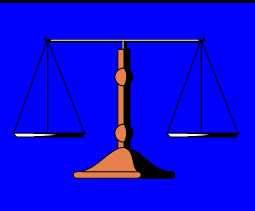
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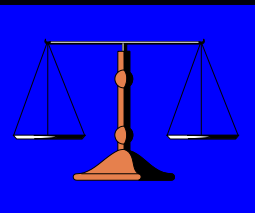
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Human Desire for Fairness

It's not fair!

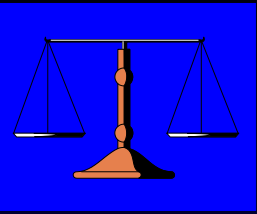


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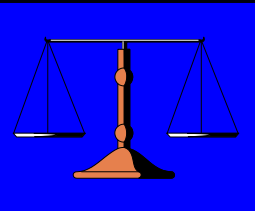
Let's have some terrorism!





Outline of Leviticus

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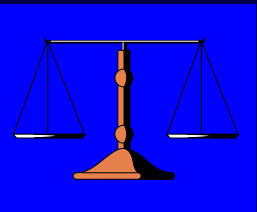
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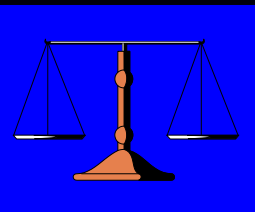
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A. The Principle of Right



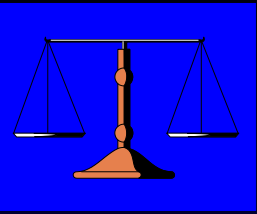
God's Pledge in Christ

“As surely as I live forever, ... I will take vengeance on my adversaries and repay those who hate me” (Deut. 32:40-43).

“He will judge the world with righteousness and the peoples with equity” (Ps. 98:9).

“With justice he judges and makes war” (Rev. 19:11).





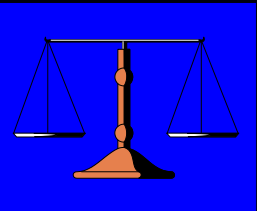
Answering Our Sense of Right

It's not fair!



God will bring
what's fair.





Punishment Matching Crime

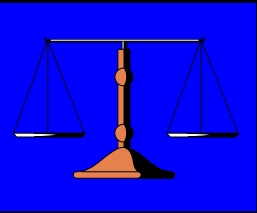
“Eye for eye, tooth for tooth, ...” (Exod. 21:24; Lev. 24:18-20; Deut. 19:21).

“As you have done, it will be done to you ...” (Obad. 15; Matt. 7:2; Rev. 18:6).

Caught in one's own trap (Ps. 7:15-16; 35:7-8; Dan. 6:24; Esth. 7:9-10).

He deserves it!





Making It Right

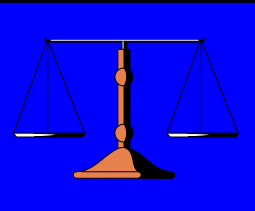
Daddy,
make it right.



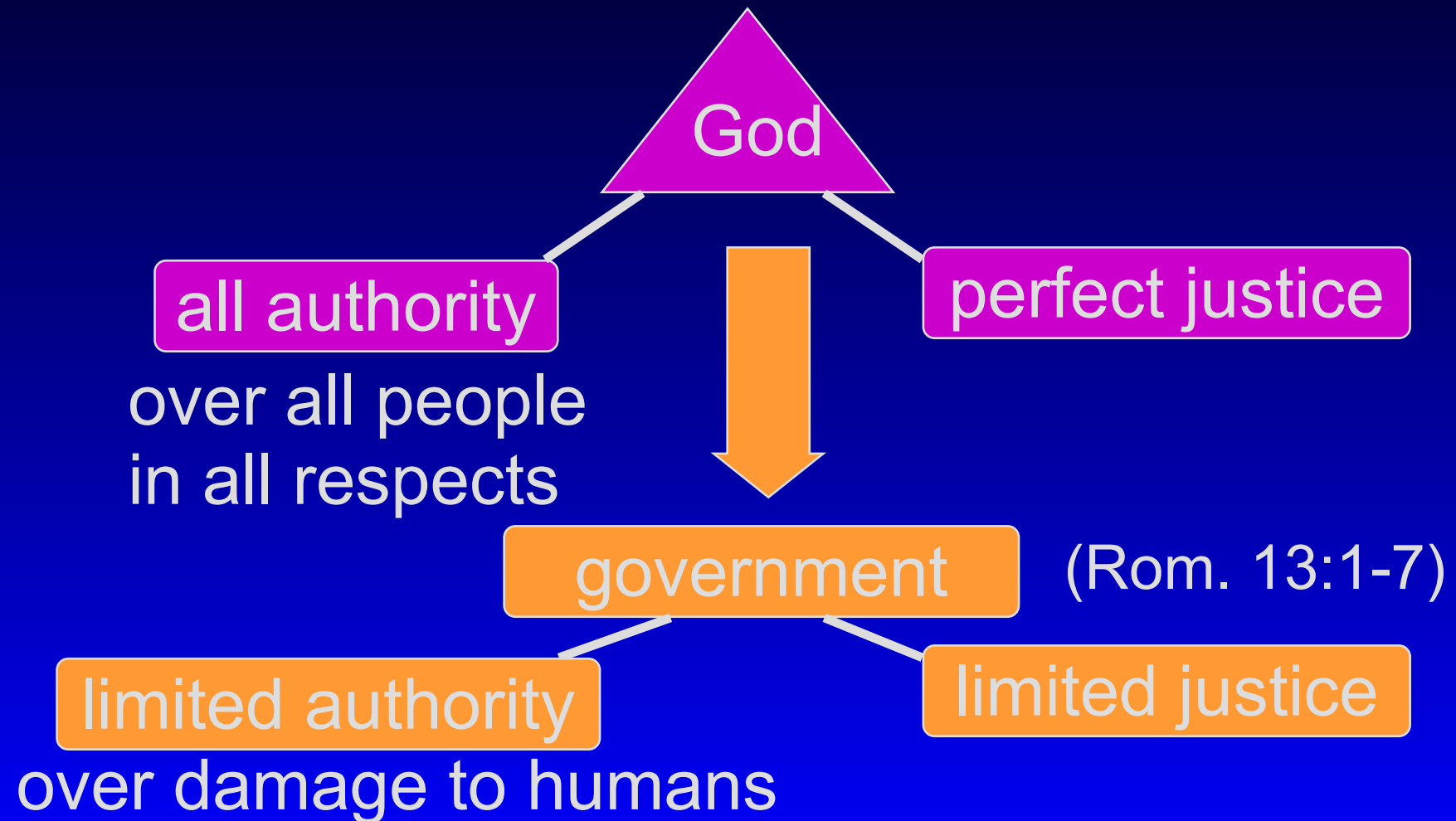
Sometimes I can
make it right.

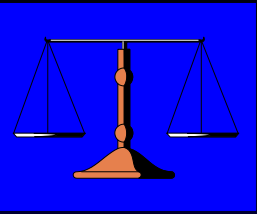
The ball
belongs to you.





Authority of Human Governments





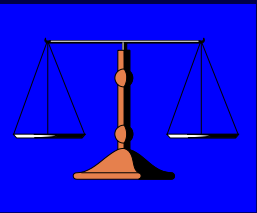
Human Limitations

Make it so that
people never steal.

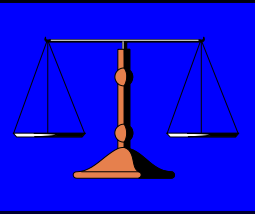


Only God
can do that.



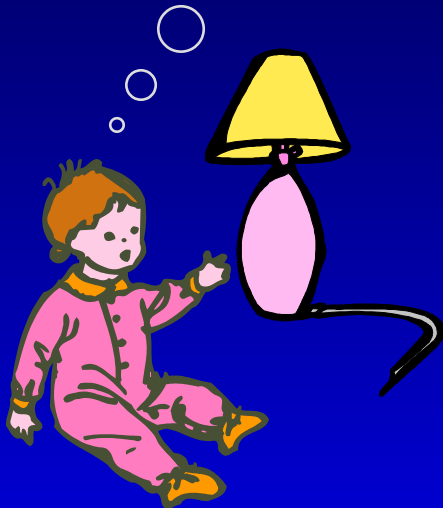


B. Working out What Is Fitting



Fit Punishment

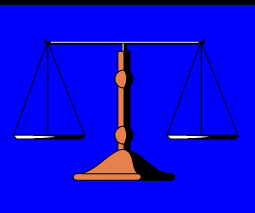
I want it,
and I will do it!



No!

What do I do
to punish him?





Theft

Exod. 22:4

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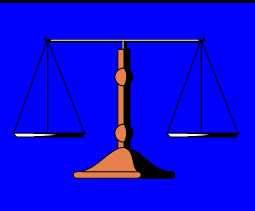
He takes it

God takes it
from him

(punishment)

Tit for tat.





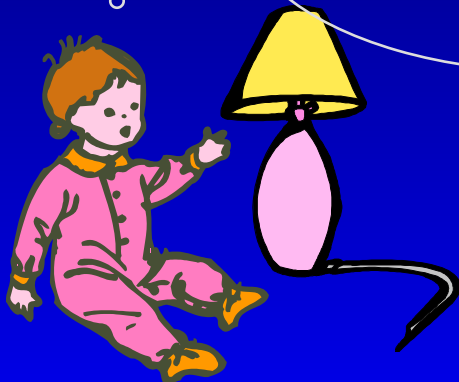
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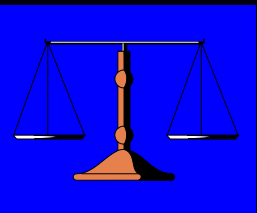
Rod of authority hits violators of authority.

Ooww!

Your hand touched it.
Your hand gets smacked!

Sin has
consequences!





Murder

Gen. 9:5-6

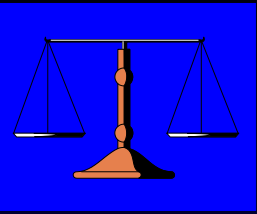
He takes life



God takes life from him

Tit for tat
again.

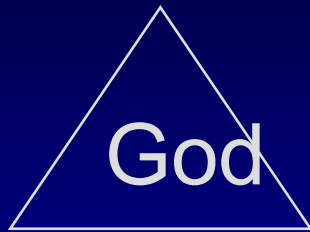




Sin and its Punishment

Gen. 3:5

Sin:

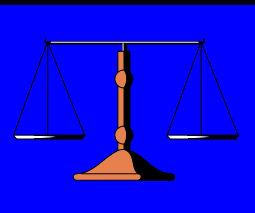


you

you would destroy
honor and life

Consequences:

God destroys your
honor and life



Justice in the Cross

2 Cor. 5:21; Rom. 4:25; 1 Pet. 2:24

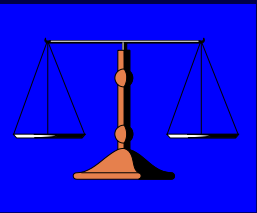
YOU

sin,
guilt,
punishment

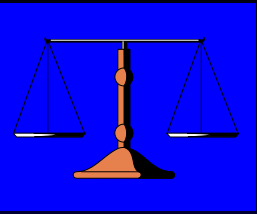
Christ takes
your sin;
you take his
righteousness

CHRIST

holiness,
innocence,
reward



C. Holy War



Holy War with Joshua

Josh. 6:17; Deut. 13:16-17

idolatrous
town

desecrates

holy
people

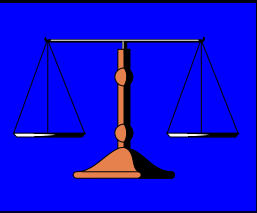
**God's
protection**

desecrates

town receives total
desecration in destruction

Not cruel,
but just.





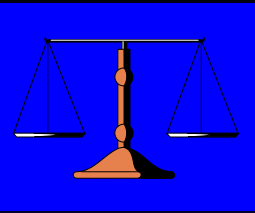
Desecrating Acts in Lev. 20

idols, spiritism,
curse parents,
sexual violation

desecrates

God desecrates
the offender

usually by death



Holy War in Christ

sin
= idolatry

desecrates

world

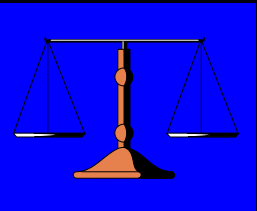
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desecrates
in hell

sin receives total
desecration in destruction

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protection**

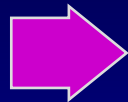
world

reconsecration



Your Refuge in Christ

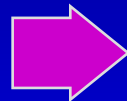
Cyou
hrist dies



sin
destroyed

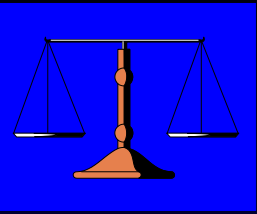
Col. 2:20-23

Cyou
hrist is risen



restoration
of life and
peace

Col. 3:1-4



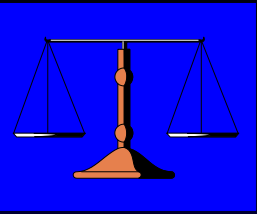
Fit Punishment for Sin

How do I
avoid God's
punishment?



Only Christ has
taken it away!





Holy War in the Church

sin
= idolatry

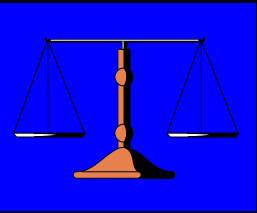
desecrates

church

**God's
protection**

excommu-
nication

sin receives
desecration



Working It Out

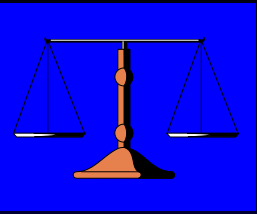
Zech.
13:1

Rom.
6:2-4

Rom.
6:12-18

Rom.
8:18-25





Universal Justice

judgment

judgment



all people

No one escapes.

