

AUGUST 27

**“HE’S NEVER DISAPPOINTED  
IN ME BECAUSE HE IS LOOKING  
AT JESUS INSIDE OF ME.”**

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**READ**

*Romans 8:29-30, Romans 5:1-11 and 18-19*

What is this thing justification? It is a one-time act of God, whereby the gavel in heaven falls, and He declares those who believe in Christ to be His — sinless, perfected, holy, righteous. When that gavel falls, God says, “I no longer see you as a sinner. I see you as a new creation, because when I look at you, I’m seeing you through the blood of my son, Jesus.” Old things have passed away. You don’t have a past when you come to Jesus. He has cancelled the record that stood against you. Being justified by faith, you now have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ. Remember, it’s not that you are now at peace with God; it’s that God is now at peace with you. There is no reason for Him to be angry with you. Jesus satisfied all the demands of a Holy God. There’s no reason for the Father to be disappointed in you, because He’s looking at Jesus inside of you. So, when you are justified, you are justified from all things and you start a brand-new life.

**PRAY**

Dear God, my righteous Judge, You have justified me and declared me “not guilty.” I stand in Your grace today and rejoice.

*From December 6, 2015*