Let's look <u>briefly</u> at ____ **major judgments** in scripture:

THE JUDGMENT OF THE NATIONS

(Matthew 25:31-46)

• Does the bible teach that God is a God of <u>Judgment</u>? (Psa. 96; 98; Rom 1-2; 2 Tim 4:1)

1.	The Judgment of Time: ca 29-30 AD The Place: Calvary
Becau 2.	se of the cross - our sin debt was paid in full—that is! - God was satisfied—that is! - sinful man could beor declared +R through faith alone in Christ alone! - sinful man could beor declared +R through faith alone in Christ alone! The Judgment of Time: now The place: earth The judgment of self goes on throughout the believers life. In (1 Cor. 11:31) Paul said, "For if we would
	judge ourselves, we would not be judged." If we are careful to evaluate our own spiritual lives (1 Jn 1:9) we will avoid the chastening of the Lord.
3.	The Judgment of the
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6.	The Judgment ofand his
7.	The Judgment of the – Time: end of the Kingdom The Place: heaven This is the judgment of the unsaved of all ages (Rev. 20:11-15). Called the Great White Throne Judgment & happens after the 1000 year kingdom. At this time all the unsaved are resurrected to stand before God and are judged based on their good works. Since their names are not written in the Lamb's Book of Life, and since no one is saved by their good works, they are cast into the Lk of Fire with Satan and his demons.

	5. Th	ne Judgment of the
	The '	Time: the of the tribulation (when the Son of Man)
	The	Place: on Earth where the Kingdom will be set up
		Subjects: allor individual(the ethnos) who have the tribulation
	a.	There is a time period ofbetween Jesus gloriousand the establishment of the This is determined by (c.f. Rev. 12:6 & Daniel 12:11-12
•	Why	is that a blessing?
•	How	will this purging take place? (25:32)
•	- the - the	e are 3 groups of people mentioned here: sheep - the goats - the y brethren" vs 40 - the people of who lived during the tribulation
	b.	The Test of this judgment: theby individual Gentiles of those Christ calls "My" (the people of during the tribulation when the Antichrist was trying to them)
	c.	vs 34 - The invitation to those on his right hand – the Gentiles – "Come, you blessed of My Father, prepared for you from the foundation of the world"
		*Keep in mind, the good treatment of Jesus brethren, the remnant, did notthese gentiles; it wasof their& salvation in Christ.
		*How were these Gentiles <u>saved</u> during the tribulation?
	d.	The <i>condemnation</i> of the goats on his <u>left hand</u> was based on their&
	e.	Indifference toward the Jews by the Gentiles during the time of "Jacob's Trouble" in the mind of Christ = in the gospel of the Kingdom and the person of Christ!

So what does all this mean to you?