

# The Biblical Doctrine of Judgment; 9781597528177; 2006; Leon Morris; Wipf and Stock Publishers, 2006; 72 pages

The expression "the judgment seat of Christ" in the English Bible has tended to cause some to draw the wrong conclusion about the nature and purpose of this evaluation. A common misconception which arises from this English translation is that God will mete out a just retribution for sins in the believer's life, and some measure of retributive punishment for sins will result.<sup>1</sup> As it will be shown below, though it is tremendously serious with eternal ramifications, the judgment seat of Christ is not a place and time when the Lord will mete out punishment for sins committed by the child of God. It is significant that among the final words of Revelation, the last book of the Bible, we find these words of the Lord: Rev. This is a judgment that only considers the cases of professed believers, and is the antitype to the ancient Day of Atonement when the sanctuary was annually cleansed. Is there a Biblical basis for these views? 1. A separation of true believers from mere professors must take place at the end. Again, the kingdom of heaven is like unto a net, that was cast into the sea, and gathered of every kind: 48Which, when it was full, they drew to shore, and sat down, and gathered the good into vessels, but cast the bad away. 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. Great Doctrines of the Bible (T - Martyn Lloyd-Jones.pdf. Angelic Wisdom Concerning the Divine Love and the Divine Wisdom , By E. Swedenborg. Document\_The End Times. The function of the people whose title gives the book its name was not primarily legal. While there is no reason to doubt that these men did on occasion perform functions that we should recognize as judging, their primary function lay elsewhere. More than anything else they were deliverers, 9 men raised up by God to meet special needs, and to deliver their nation in specific times of oppression.