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- **Three qualities of God found in Mal. 3**
 - **Truth – v.6-7, 14-15**
 - **Mercy – v.6-7, 10-12**
 - **Justice – v.5-9**

- **V.16-18 – Truth, mercy, justice**

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- **What do these things (truth) mean for us?**
 - **Means we must obey Christ for salvation**
 - **Mark 16:16 – Must believe AND be baptized**
 - **Acts 2:38 – Must repent AND be baptized**
 - **Acts 8:37-38 – Must confess AND be baptized**

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- **What do these things (mercy) mean for us?**
 - **Means we must live faithfully**
 - **Rom. 6:4 – Must arise to walk a new life**
 - **Rom. 11:22 – Must continue in His goodness**
 - **Gal. 5:4-7 – Must not fall from grace**

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- **What do these things (justice) mean for us?**
 - **Means that not all will be saved**
 - **Matt. 7:21-23 – “Many” will be lost, except those who “do” the Father’s will**
 - **Acts 17:30-31 – Christ will judge the world in righteousness (Rom. 1:16-17)**
 - **II Thess. 1:8 – Only those who obey the Gospel will be saved (Eph. 4:4-6 – one)**