

Be Holy for I Am Holy:

Psalms 26: 1~5 **Judge me**, O LORD; for I have walked in **mine integrity**: I have trusted also in the LORD; therefore I shall not slide. **Examine me**, O LORD, and **prove me; try my reins and my heart**. **For thy lovingkindness is before mine eyes**: and I have walked in thy truth. I have not sat with vain persons, neither will I go in with dissemblers. I have hated the congregation of evil doers; and will **not sit** with the wicked.

*David is bold to come before Yah and ask Him to judge him in his actions. Not only does he ask Yah to judge his actions, but to examine him. **Examine** is defined as; to test, to investigate, prove, tempt, try (trial). David is asking Yah to observe his actions and compare them to His laws, His ways. David goes on and mentions some of his deeds, such as, walking in truth, avoiding the evil doers and their ways all examples of his righteousness. All this boldness is based on one fact stated in ver 3. “**For thy loving-kindness is before mine eyes.**”*

Loving-kindness #02617. *dox checed, keh'-sed: kindness; by implication piety: beauty: as in favour, mercy, pity.*

*David is banking on Yah's grace; His mercy shown to him through blessings, actions on the part of Yah. David is not crazy to come before the Creator of mankind in boldness to set his righteousness before Him called “**mine integrity**,” a term describing, David's completeness as a shield of defense or as a mark of accomplishment. But David came as a wise servant, not fearful of Yah's love. Through correction, he states his case. “**For I have walked in mine integrity: I have trusted also in the LORD; therefore I shall not slide.**” In other words, David did all that was shown him to do, so there is no fear of Yah's wrath.*

Integrity #08537. *Mt tom, tome: from 8552; completeness; figuratively, prosperity; usually (morally) innocence; fullness, perfection, simplicity, uprightness, according to my undertaking.*

Did you ever have a past offender come before you with joy, with no reservation, to show you an accomplishment of theirs, that you would be proud of and approve? They come with no regard or thought of the many errors in their character or previous offenses. They come as if you have forgotten their other offenses or as if they no longer matter. Why, because you have shown your love to them in the past and that you are merciful. Ergo, Yah deal's with us in the same way. And that is why David is bold in asking Yah to judge his actions...for there is nothing bigger than love.

Psalms 26: 6~12 I will wash mine hands in innocency: so will I compass thine altar, O LORD: That I may publish with the voice of thanksgiving, and tell of all thy wondrous works. LORD, I have loved the habitation of thy house, and the place where thine honour dwelleth. Gather not my soul with sinners, nor my life with bloody men: In whose hands is mischief, and their right hand is full of bribes. But as for me, **I will walk in “mine integrity:**” redeem me, and be merciful unto me. My foot standeth in an even place: in the congregations will I bless the LORD.

*David states again that he will walk in “**his integrity**” or his completeness as Yah has shown him to walk, and request that Yah's redemption and mercy be shown to him. He stands in Yah's love.*

1 John 4:1~6 Beloved, **believe not every spirit, but try the spirits whether they are of God**: because many false prophets are gone out into the world. Hereby know ye the Spirit of God: Every spirit that confesseth that Jesus Christ is come in the flesh is of God: **And every spirit that confesseth not that Jesus Christ is come in the flesh is not of God**: and this is that spirit of antichrist, whereof ye have heard that it should come; and even now already is it in the world. Ye are of God, little children, and have overcome

them: because greater is he that is in you, than he that is in the world. **They** are of the world: therefore speak **they** of the world, and the world heareth **them**. We are of God: he that knoweth God heareth us; he that is not of God heareth not us. Hereby know we the **spirit of truth**, and the **spirit of error**.

*Notice; just as we read of David asking Yah to judge him, we are asked to try the spirits to determine truth from error. One such spirit of error denies that Yahshua came in the flesh, to His own and also to the gentiles. It is the “**them and they**” that he is speaking of here, the nation of Israel, who denies that the Messiah has come. There are also many others with this false doctrine, the doctrine of the Antichrist.*

1John 4: 7~13 Beloved, let us love one another: **for love is of God**; and every one that loveth is born of God, and knoweth God. He that loveth not knoweth not God; **for God is love**. In this was manifested the love of God toward us, because that God sent his only begotten Son into the world, **that we might live through him**. Herein is love, not that we loved God, **but that he loved us, and sent his Son to be the propitiation for our sins**. Beloved, if God so loved us, we ought also to love one another. No man hath seen God at any time. If we love one another, God dwelleth in us, and his love is perfected in us. Hereby know we that we dwell in him, and he in us, because he hath given us of his Spirit.

*Once again, the **love of Yah** is shown towards us; **by His action**. “In this was manifested the love of God toward us, because God sent his only begotten son, **to be the propitiation for our sins, that we might live through him**”. He is not just telling us that He loves us, but showing it **through action**. With that seen, felt and observed action on His part, He affords us the opportunity for life, as His Holy Spirit lives in us, through Our Action.*

*Living through Him, by way of His sacrifice for our sins, is one aspect. We can appear before the throne of Yah with boldness, by way of Yahshua’s righteousness as our High Priest. But much more, He allows us to walk in His presence without fear, as we walk according to His righteousness in “**our integrity**.” That means that we are freed from fear of wrath, retribution, as we walk according to that which He has shown us in His law. That does not mean that we are perfect in all things, but are doing all that we have been given...freed from fear of His wrath, as affirmed in the parable of the talents. I have done all that was given to me, overcoming the world and self...evident, seen by my actions.*

Also note that being freed from His wrath is not the same as correction. David asked to be examined, to be tested, to be investigated, proven and tempted through trials, and was willingly corrected to have an intimate relationship with Yah. With such a heart there is no fear of Yah. For you become like Him as His Spirit lives through us. Imitation is the greatest flattery. Yah is not going to quench His own Spirit, as you zealously desire to be as He is... through your actions.

1John 4:14~21 And we have seen and do testify that the Father sent the Son to be the Saviour of the world. Whosoever shall confess that Jesus is the Son of God, God dwelleth in him, and he in God. And we have known and believed the love that God hath to us. **God is love; and he that dwelleth in love dwelleth in God**, and God in him. Herein is our **love made perfect**, that we may have **boldness** in the day of judgment: **because as he is, so are we in this world**. **There is no fear in love; but perfect love casteth out fear:** because fear hath torment. He that feareth is not made **perfect in love**. We love him, because he first loved us. If a man say, I love God, and hateth his brother, he is a liar: for he that loveth not his brother whom he hath seen, how can he love God whom he hath not seen? And this commandment have we from him, That he who loveth God love his brother also.

*Do you see your future in those words? “Herein is our love **made perfect**, that we may have **boldness** in the Day of Judgment: **because as he is, so are we in this world**”. He that dwells in love, “Yah’s law is love”, dwells in Yah, and Yah, through His Holy Spirit dwells in you. So my love can be made perfect as I apply myself according to His laws, His way. And as I walk accordingly, I can walk boldly, without fear of*

judgment which is His wrath, for perfect love cast out fear. But most importantly the statement “because as he is, so are we in this world”. We are as He is, if we walk in perfect love. Remember perfect love is doing all you are given, shown to do according to His will, walking in “your integrity.”

Matthew 5:43~48 Ye have heard that it hath been said, Thou shalt love thy neighbour, and hate thine enemy. But I say unto you, Love your enemies, bless them that curse you, do good to them that hate you, and pray for them which despitefully use you, and persecute you; **That ye may be the children of your Father which is in heaven:** for he maketh his sun to rise on the evil and on the good, and sendeth rain on the just and on the unjust. For if ye love them which love you, what reward have ye? do not even the publicans the same? And if ye salute your brethren only, what do ye more than others? do not even the publicans so? **Be ye therefore perfect, even as your Father which is in heaven is perfect.**

As He is perfect, so are we asked to be like Him...perfect in our walk! So as we dress ourselves in our new white robes, we are to have the same mind set, as did David. We are to be walking with boldness, in Holiness, for that is what we are, a new creation in the likeness of our Creator. Carrying His Spirit, applying His laws, for I am my Father’s Child, an ambassador of His House.

Leviticus 11:43~45 Ye shall not make yourselves abominable with any creeping thing that creepeth, neither shall ye make yourselves unclean with them, that ye should be defiled thereby. For I am the LORD your God: ye shall therefore sanctify yourselves, **and ye shall be holy; for I am holy:** neither shall ye defile yourselves with any manner of creeping thing that creepeth upon the earth. For I am the LORD that bringeth you up out of the land of Egypt, to be your God: **ye shall therefore be holy, for I am holy.**

Leviticus 20:6~7 And the soul that turneth after such as have familiar spirits, and after wizards, to go a whoring after them, I will even set my face against that soul, and will cut him off from among his people. Sanctify yourselves therefore, **and be ye holy: for I am the LORD your God.**

Leviticus 21:7~8 They shall not take a wife that is a whore, or profane; neither shall they take a woman put away from her husband (*divorced*): for he is holy unto his God. Thou shalt sanctify him therefore; for he offereth the bread of thy God: **he shall be holy unto thee: for I the LORD, which sanctify you, am holy.**

1Peter 1:13~23 Wherefore gird up the loins of your mind, be sober, and hope to the end for the grace that is to be brought unto you at the revelation of Jesus Christ; As **obedient children**, not fashioning yourselves according to the former lusts in your ignorance: But as he which hath called you is holy, **so be ye holy** in all manner of conversation; Because it is written, **Be ye holy; for I am holy.** And if ye call on the Father, who without respect of persons **judgeth according to every man's work**, pass the time of your sojourning here in **fear** (*respectful of Yah’s ways*): Forasmuch as ye know that ye were not redeemed with corruptible things, as silver and gold, from your vain conversation received by tradition from your fathers; But with the precious blood of Christ, as of a lamb without blemish and without spot: Who verily was foreordained before the foundation of the world, but was manifest in these last times for you, Who **by Him** do believe in God, that raised him up from the dead, and gave him glory; that your faith and hope might be in God. Seeing ye have **purified your souls in obeying the truth through the Spirit unto unfeigned love** of the brethren, see that ye **love one another** with a pure heart fervently: **Being born again**, not of corruptible seed, but of incorruptible, by the word of God, which liveth and abideth for ever.

We can appear before the throne of Yah with boldness, through Yahshua’s sacrifice as our High Priest. We can also walk daily in His presence without fear, as we walk according to His righteousness in “Our Integrity” freed from fear of hypocrisy, walking according to Him as He will show us in His law. We should be perfect in all things shown to us, doing all that we have been given to see and understand, to never deny the truth. Thus we will be able to declare “In My Integrity” I have done all that was given to me, overcoming the world and self...evident, seen by my actions...examine me My Lord.

Be ye holy; for I am holy. He has given us all that we need to be like Him...Holy. It's all in the doing!!!
If we are walking in fear of His wrath upon our heads, we are not walking in love. Judge for yourself:

“There is no fear in love; but perfect love casts out fear”

*Love is seen as an attraction to an object
Fear is a flight from it*

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