

Atoning Indemnity

1 Corinthians 1:18-31

Indemnity def: security or protection against a loss or burden; sum of money paid as compensation, especially by a victor in war.

**Atoning Indemnity- The Passion of Christ:
the place where all justice and all judgment
meet their maker.**

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18 For the word of the cross is foolishness to those who are perishing, but to us who are being saved it is the power of God. **19** For it is written,

“I WILL DESTROY THE WISDOM OF THE WISE,
AND THE CLEVERNESS OF THE CLEVER I WILL SET
ASIDE.”

20 Where is the wise man? Where is the scribe? Where is the debater of this age? Has not God made foolish the wisdom of the world?

21 For since in the wisdom of God the world through its wisdom did not *come to* know God, God was well-pleased through the foolishness of the message preached to save those who believe.

22 For indeed Jews ask for signs and Greeks search for wisdom **23** but we preach Christ crucified, to Jews a stumbling block and to Gentiles foolishness,

24 but to those who are the called, both Jews and Greeks,
Christ the power of God and the wisdom of God. **25** Because
the foolishness of God is wiser than men, and the weakness of
God is stronger than men.

26 For consider your calling, brethren, that there were not many wise according to the flesh, not many mighty, not many noble; **27** but God has chosen the foolish things of the world to shame the wise,

and God has chosen the weak things of the world to shame the things which are strong, **28** and the base things of the and the despised God has chosen, the things that are not,

so that He may nullify the things that are, **29** so that no man may boast before God. **30** But by His doing you are in Christ Jesus, who became to us wisdom from God, and righteousness

and sanctification, and redemption, **31** so that, just as it is written,
“LET HIM WHO BOASTS, BOAST IN THE LORD.”

“Many people will accept Christ’s character, but they reject His crucifixion.”-Billy Graham

Principle 1: The cross is the greatest proof that the world lies guilty.

Principle 2: The cross is the strongest evidence of God's disdain of sin.

Principle 3: The cross is the pinnacle and most glorious exhibition of God's love.

Principle 4: The cross demonstrates the supremacy of triumph.

“The cross of Christ is the moral victory which recovered the universe. The Vindicator has stood on the earth. The work of the cross is the eternal victory in history of righteousness, of holiness, of the moral nature and character of God as Love.”

–P.T. Forsyth