





The People were blind..

... to their own need of a Savior

...to who Jesus was.

...to the coming judgement.

Judgement is a part of Jesus Kingdom

God's Mercy & Grace do not replace judgement;
God's Love **mandates** judgement.

God said, "you are free to choose..." and he put
two trees in the garden.

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God, in love, gave us a choice (free will); that same love mandates judgement.

“Free to Choose” includes the consequence/judgement for our choice.

God's response to sin in our life:

- His love will not let sin go unpunished.
- His Mercy withholds immediate punishment.
- His grace provided an alternative punishment.

Love does not ignore judgement, it mandates it!

The Cross: A place of Love, Mercy, & Grace.

Jesus did not go to the cross to judge...

... he went to show mercy.

... he went to extend grace.

... he went to show love.

The Cross:
A place of Judgement
wrapped up in Love,
Mercy, and Grace.

