

what the world needs

He has shown you, O mortal, what is good. And what does the Lord require of you? To act justly and to love mercy and to walk humbly with your God.

MICAH 6:8

You are unjust. You are merciless. You are narcissistic.

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Who is a God like you, who pardons sin and forgives the transgression of the remnant of his inheritance? You do not stay angry forever but delight to show mercy. You will again have compassion on us; you will tread our sins underfoot and hurl all our iniquities into the depths of the sea. You will be faithful to Jacob, and show love to Abraham, as you pledged on oath to our ancestors in days long ago.

MICAH 7:18-20

WHAT DOES IT MEAN TO ACT JUSTLY?

REAL ZE:

Injustice is not just about doing wrong, it is also about not doing right.

JUSTICE = acting honorably



- > The Vulnerable
- >The Hungry
- > The Under-resourced
- > The Homeless
- > The Sick
- > The Hurting

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ONE DAY'S WAGE

GOAL = \$50,000

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"There are people in the world so hungry that God cannot appear to them except in the form of bread." GANDHI

"Poverty is a very complicated issue, but feeding a child isn't."

JEFF BRIDGES

"Hunger is not a problem. It's an obscenity. How wonderful it is that nobody need wait a single moment before starting to improve the world."

ANNE FRANK

... The Spirit of the Lord is on me, because he has anointed me to proclaim good news to the poor...

LUKE 4:16-19

...Blessed are you who are poor...
Blessed are you who hunger...

LUKE 6:20-26

RESCUE: What compels you and propels you to act honorably?



Raise the bar, lift the standard, and determine how you can be more just and honorable.

...the least of these...

MATTHEW 25:40

not less <u>valuable</u>, more <u>vulnerable</u>

REQUIRE: What does justice require of me?

There will always be poor people in the land. Therefore I command you to be openhanded toward your fellow Israelites who are poor and needy in your land.

DEUTERONOMY 15:11

Whoever is kind to the poor lends to the Lord, and he will reward them for what they have done. PROVERBS 19:17

The generous will themselves be blessed, for they share their food with the poor.

PROVERBS 22:9

Is not this the kind of fasting I have chosen: to loose the chains of injustice and untie the cords of the yoke, to set the oppressed free and break every yoke? Is it not to share your food with the hungry and to provide the poor wanderer with shelter—when you see the naked, to clothe them, and not to turn away from your own flesh and blood?

ISAIAH 58:6-7

Defend the weak and the fatherless; uphold the cause of the poor and the oppressed. PSALM 82:3

Whoever oppresses the poor shows contempt for their Maker, but whoever is kind to the needy honors God.

PROVERBS 14:31

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