

January 30

TODAY'S BIBLE STUDY & MEDITATION

KEY IDEAS: Do I recognize that God always does what is right and just? Do I see myself as God sees me, as a servant of righteousness (a slave of doing what is right)? Do I lay aside serving my own impulses in order to do what is right? Do I understand that I need to be diligent in serving the Lord?

1 **God is righteous** — *Daniel 9:14 Therefore hath the LORD watched upon the evil, and brought it upon us: for the LORD our God [is] righteous in all his works which he doeth: for we obeyed not his voice.*

What do I learn from the fact that God judged Israel for its disobedience?

For what times can I praise God for judging my life?

2 **I am a servant of the right way to live** — *Romans 6:18 Being then made free from sin, ye became the servants of righteousness.*

In what ways does my life demonstrate that I seek to do what is right?

In what ways does my life demonstrate that I serve my own impulses?

3 **I am to pursue serving God with diligence** — *Romans 12:11 Not slothful in business; fervent in spirit; serving the Lord...*

How does my life exhibit a fervency and diligence to do what is right?

In which areas am I slow to do what God expects of me?

Spirit of Truth, how do you want to apply these verses in my life today?

OPTIONAL BIBLE READINGS

Morning: Matthew 20:1-16

Evening: Exodus 23, 24