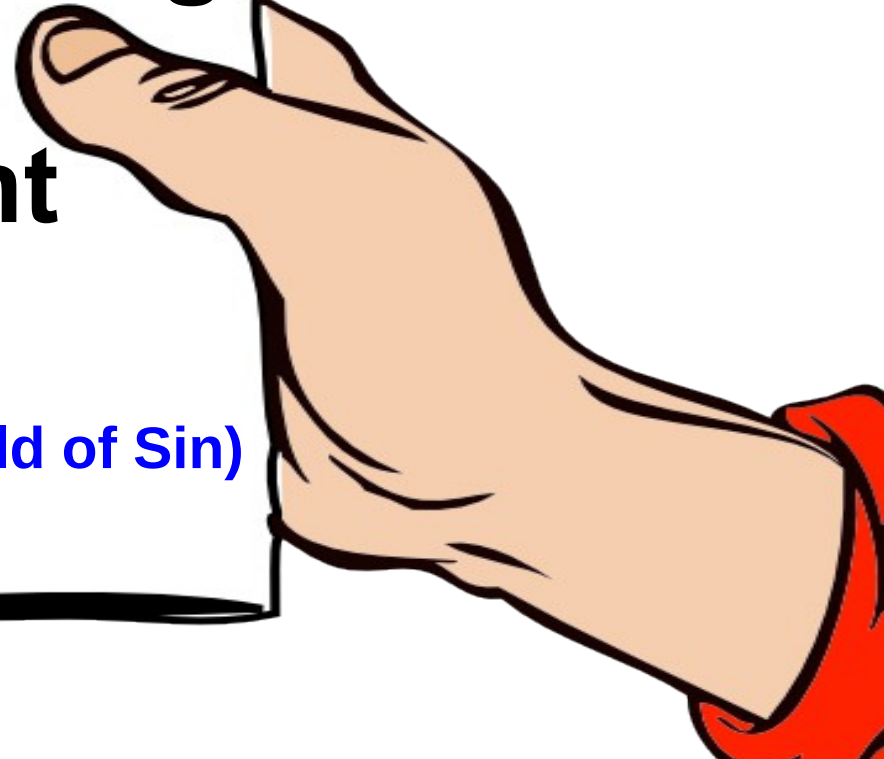


# INVESTIGATION

**Understanding  
The  
Judgement**

**(2-Convict the World of Sin)**



Nevertheless, I tell you the truth: it is to your advantage that I go away, for if I do not go away, the Helper will not come to you. But if I go, I will send him to you. And when he comes, he will convict the world concerning sin and righteousness and **judgement**: concerning sin, because they do not believe in me; concerning righteousness, because I go to the Father, and you will see me no longer; concerning **judgement**, because the ruler of this world is judged.

Before reading the rest of the passage:

convict the world of sin

Greek meaning

**correct**

**refute**

**reprove**

**expose**

**bring to the light**

**Concerning**  
(see YLT)

**That takes his statements well and truly out of the arena of hell-fire and judgement which the English translations usually portray the intent of the message**

→ of judgment, because the ruler of this world is judged. “I still have many things to say to you, but you cannot bear them now.

John 16:7-12 (NKJV)

I want you to see what Jesus is saying here because he makes a big statement and then he dissects it to provide the meaning

**Here's what he said...**

Holy Spirit will convict the world concerning:

- **Sin:** “Because they do not believe in Me”
- **Righteousness:** “Because I go to My Father and you see Me no more”
- **Judgement:** “Because the ruler of this world is judged”



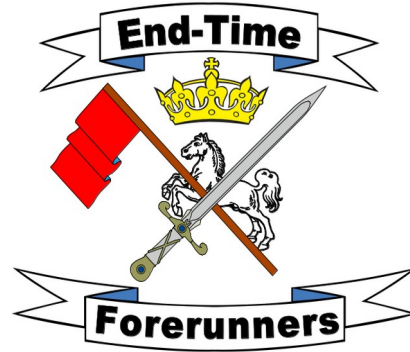
**He showed everyone what righteousness was,  
but now HS will do that job**

There's nothing in what Jesus said to bring fear that he'll bring judgement on us because of our sin.

Instead, Judgement has already taken place, **and** it was of Satan, not us.



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