

Genesis 18-19 • The Lord Investigates

1. (18:1-8) **Judgment** always begins first with the house of the **Lord**.
2. (18:9-15) The Lord is not just looking faithfulness in **deed** but **thought**.
3. (18:16-21) The purpose of the Lord's "**chosen**" is not just that they will be personally **faithful**, but that they will raise up others who will likewise be **faithful**.
4. (18:22-23) The Lord's **judgment** comes when all men have made their final **choice** for or against the **Lord** and will not **change** no matter what.
5. (19:1-3) The **righteous** are always proven so in their treatment of **others**.
6. (19:4-11) The **unrighteous** are always proven so in their treatment of **others** and uninterrupted pursuit of **pleasing** themselves.
7. (19:12-14) The Lord **lingers** as long as possible before executing **judgment**.
8. (19:15-22) The Lord's wrath of final judgment does not come until His people are first **rescued** and **removed**.
9. (19:23-29) What the Lord uses for the purposes of judgment on the **wicked** has an entirely different purpose for the **righteous** in the course of their **service** and **commitment** to Him.