

Series: Joshua, God's Warrior
Sermon: Signposts and Shelters
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Lex talionis (retribution; eye for an eye) is technically _____,
and our natural desire is for this type of _____.

God provided "cities of _____" for people to flee to if they _____ killed someone.

1. Before being allowed to stay permanently the offender had to _____: was this intentional or unintentional?
2. If the offender was guilty of _____ killing (murder) they should be put to death.
3. If the killing was _____ the offender had to settle and stay in the city of refuge. There he would learn a trade to _____ himself.
4. If the offender ever left the city of refuge, the _____ could _____. The city was great protection, and his only protection.

God gives, what we would consider, "a _____ level of forgiveness and _____" for the offenders.

JUSTICE demands _____.

The truth is, as Martin Luther pointed out, no indulgence, pardon, good deeds, or money can remove even _____ (_____) sins.

Our city of refuge, our protection from punishment, is _____.

If that belief really affects us, we should have at least two changes:

- 1) a change in our relationship to _____.
- 2) a change in our relationship to _____.

Israel had to enlarge roads to the cities of refuge, and _____ every obstruction that might hurt the _____ or hinder the speed of someone fleeing.

There were _____ pointing the way to the refuge!

PRACTICAL APPLICATION:

I should read _____ as though my life depended upon it, because _____ the highway and signpost taking me to _____ (my refuge).

I should _____ to non-Christians how God is a _____ for them. I should explain with my life, my work, my attitude, and especially _____.

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