

**When we don't have a right understanding of who God is,
then we cannot have a right view of who we are or of how we are to live.**

Three Primary LIES People Believe About God:

1. **H_____ -Filled Judge:** God is only just, just waiting to punish me when I "mess up."
2. **Loving G_____:** God is all love. He won't really punish my sins.
3. **D_____ Creator:** With billions of people in the world, God wouldn't want a relationship with me.

Two TRUTHS About Who God Is . . .

1. **God's justice demands He will not i_____ our sin.** (Rom. 3: 10-12; Jn. 3:16-18)
2. **God's love caused Him to initiate the plan of s_____ to deal with our sin.**
(Rom. 5:6-8)

BOTTOM LINE . . .

The clearest picture of God's justice and God's love is seen at the c_____.

Through Jesus' death, our sin was paid for in f_____, satisfying God's justice.

Through Jesus' death, God has made the way possible for us to be r_____ with Him.