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In Trust With The Gospel

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The Same Measure

[Mat 7:2 KJV] 2 For with what judgment ye judge, ye shall be judged: and with what measure ye mete, it shall be measured to you again.

I feel impressed to share this. Hopefully it will help someone.

Lets say your a witness to something bad that is taking place. Instead of praying for the people who are committing this "badness" and asking God to help them, show mercy and forgive and save them, you utter from your heart;

"These fools need to go down hard."

Well OK, lets see then how our text in Matt 7:2 plays out.

A few days later someone you love very much, or even yourself goes down hard for doing something very similar to those "fools" you judged a few days ago. Know what just happened?

Your were judged with the same measure that you were measuring out from your heart towards others.

I am not saying we should justify badness when we see it, but we better remember that we too are sinners and stand much in need of the mercy and forgiveness of God. If we are not asking for God to help others who stand in need of His saving grace, just where is our heart really at?

I used to spend a lot of time giving lip service to God and cursing people in my heart. This is hypocrisy.

If I am taught to love my enemies, I had better start blessing others from my heart first and the lips.

Spoken in love.