

LEGALISM is the attitude that says, “I live by MY own power and MY own rules to earn God’s favor and impress others.”

JESUS + or JESUS ONLY?

JESUS + says it’s up to me to **EARN** my place with God . . . JESUS ONLY says I **RECEIVE** it by grace, through faith in Jesus.

JUSTIFIED – Being made right with God. The guilty status of my sin is removed. Jesus’ perfect, sinless record is given to me.

JESUS + says it’s up to me to **KEEP** my place with God . . . JESUS ONLY says my place is **SECURED** by the grace of Jesus.

For it is by grace you have been saved, through faith—and this is not from yourselves, it is the gift of God—not by works, so that no one can boast. – **Ephesians 2:8-9**