"And (King Jehoshaphat) said to the judges, Take heed what ye do; for ye judge not for man, but for the Lord." 2 Chron. 19:6.

The wrath of God was upon good King Jehoshaphat of Judah, for joining forces with evil King Ahab of Israel in battle against Syria at Ramoth-gilead. Ahab was killed in the battle, and Jehoshaphat was on his way home to Jerusalem: "And Jehu the son of Hanani the seer went out to meet him, and said to Jehoshaphat, Shouldest thou help the ungodly, and love them that hate the Lord? therefore is wrath upon thee from before the Lord." 2 Chron. 19:2.

Get the picture: Though he was basically a God-fearing man, Jehoshaphat played the fool in making common cause with God-cursed Ahab — especially after the prophet Micaiah warned him that Ahab was doomed. With the threatened wrath of God upon him, Jehoshaphat humbled himself, repented, "and he went out again through the people from Beersheba to mount Ephraim, and brought them back unto the Lord God of their fathers." 2 Chron. 19:4.

And then, BANG! The first thing King Jeshoshaphat did in getting the nation right with God was to straighten out the judges: "And he set judges in the land throughout all the fenced cities of Judah, city by city, And said to the judges, Take heed what ye do: for ye judge not for man, but for the Lord, who is with you in (the matter) of the judgment." 2 Chron. 19:5,6. I.e., God is judging your judgments.

"Wherefore now let the fear of the Lord be upon you; take heed and do it; for there is no iniquity with the Lord our God, nor respect of persons, nor taking of gifts...And he charged them, saying, Thus shall ye do in the fear of the Lord, faithfully, and with a perfect heart."

2 Chron. 19:7,9.

<u>The lesson here is crystal clear</u>: The FIRST thing necessary to a righteous nation is a judiciary that fears God, and when that is gone, the nation is irreversibly cursed of God and doomed. America's judiciary is "deeply (i.e., irreversibly) corrupted" (Hos. 9:9), top to bottom, center to circumference. The Supreme Court of the United States and all inferior courts spat in the Face of God in Lawrence vs. Texas, commanding respect for sodomites — defying God's Word.

America's Judges are Sons of Samuel; To-wit:

"And it came to pass, when Samuel was old, that he made his sons judges over Israel. And his sons walked not in his ways, but turned aside after lucre, and took bribes, and perverted justice."

1 Sam. 8:1-3.

Furthermore, America's judges "resist the truth; men of corrupt minds, reprobate concerning the faith." 2 Tim. 3:8. However, in the vast majority of instances judges cover for each other in their crimes and sins against God Almighty. The Associated Press reported on May 22, 2006, that, "Most judges' ethical lapses (a euphemism for crimes and sins) are kept secret." But they are not secret from God — and God has sworn that He will expose them, to wit:

"But they shall proceed no further; for their folly shall be manifest unto all men."

(2 Tim. 3:9.) To wit:

Judge Stephen Thompson, age 57: A 14-year veteran of the New Jersey State Superior Court. Count one of federal complaint charges possession of child pornography on his computer, including 40-minute videotape depicting Judge Thompson engaging in sexual acts with a Russian teenager between 13 and 16 years of age, tape shot last year in Saint Petersburg, Russia. Scores of other material such as the North American Man Boy Love Association (NAMBLA), papers listing age of consent in countries around the world and in the United States, more than 300 printed images of child pornography and 57 computer disks containing thousands of images of child pornography — in a safe in Judge Thompson's home. Count two of federal complaint charges him with traveling to Russia to have sex with a teenage boy for the purpose of making a videotape.

<u>Judge Grafton M. Biddle, age 57</u>: A Castle Rock, Colorado, judge and a state prosecutor, Laurie Steinman, 29, admit relationship which included sex in the judge's chambers, and "on a number of occasions Judge Biddle would 'sneak' into the women's shower facilities in the courthouse early in the morning."

Remember the AP headline: "Most judges' ethical lapses are kept secret." Americans "have sown the wind, and they shall reap the whirlwind." Hos. 8:7.

God has cursed America with Bible-dumb, Satanic Judges.

When God has finally determined to destroy a nation, He sends them corrupt, incompetent leaders at every level of society; and that process is figuratively called taking away the stay and the staff, the whole stay of bread, and the whole stay of water; to wit:

"For, behold, the Lord, the Lord of hosts, doth take away from Jerusalem and from Judah the stay and the staff, the whole stay of bread, and the whole stay of water, The mighty man, and the man of war, the judge, and the prophet, and the prudent, and the ancient, The captain of fifty, and the honorable man, and the counsellor, and the cunning artificer, and the eloquent orator. And I will give children to be their princes, and the babes shall rule over them." Isa. 3:1-4.

By far the most important of these for a nation to lose due to incompetence and corruption, is, the JUDGE. No others among the sons of men are called by the Almighty God — "gods" — with a small "g". Psa. 82:1. The Lord Jesus personally ratified the solemn practice of calling human judges, "gods." See, Jn. 10:34-35: "Jesus answered them, Is it not written in your law, I said, Ye are gods? If he called them gods, unto whom the word of God came, and the scripture cannot be broken." Gill says that the reference here is to Ex. 22:9; to wit: "the cause of both parties shall come before the judges (gods); and whom the judges (gods) condemn, he shall pay double unto his neighbor."

Nail this down smartly: Human judges are called "gods" for two reasons: 1) They have relatively absolute power over the lives, liberties, property, reputations, and happiness of their fellow creatures; and, 2) in some special and mysterious way, the word of God comes to them – ("unto whom the word of God came," Jn. 10:35) – so that these evil judges absolutely know better than their godless decisions dictate. Therefore, it is impossible to avoid the conclusion:

Human judges have far more to answer for than mankind generally, and on the Great Judgment Day the Lord God will deal with them in wrath far more harshly than others.

Be warned, all ye cloven-hoofed shaggy Satyrs from Hell masquerading as judges:

When you gather to judge your fellow man, God Almighty gathers with you, to judge and condemn your Satanic judgments. To-wit:

"God standeth in the congregation of the mighty; he judgeth among the gods (judges). How long will ye judge unjustly, and accept the persons of the wicked?" Psa. 82:1,2.

The human judiciary is an institution of divine origin, empowered by God for the express purpose of delivering God's servants from — and punishing — their oppressors. Rom. 13:1-4: "For rulers are not a terror to good works, but to the evil"; and, Psa. 82:3-4: "Defend the poor and fatherless; do justice to the afflicted and needy. Deliver the poor and needy; rid them out of the hand of the wicked."

A perverted human judiciary does the exact opposite! They are a terror to good works, and they support and encourage evildoers in their oppression of God's servants; and they deliver the poor and needy into the hand of the wicked.

The truth of God on this subject is, that the American judiciary has been established and empowered by God primarily to protect and defend Westboro Baptist Church in her efforts to preach the truth of God to a doomed generation. The American judiciary at this hour in human history, has only one primary reason for its existence: To deliver Westboro Baptist Church out of the hand of the wicked; thereby to encourage those who alone are preaching God's Holy Word in these last of the last days.

But the perverted American judiciary does the exact opposite; to wit: They oppress Westboro Baptist Church, and deliver her into the hands of the wicked. They thus encourage violence and mayhem against God's servants on earth. A thing more diabolically evil – a thing more Satanic – could never be imagined.

American judges are a special breed of evildoers, estranged from God from the womb, speaking lies by nature, and whose malice and obstinacy is likened unto venomous serpents infecting all mankind with the fatal poison of their perverse, Satanic judgments. Psa. 58:3-4.