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God Does Not Play Favorites - Acts 10:9-48

What brought this about?

Peter highlights to characteristics:

- 1) the person who reveres God Prov 1:7 Beginning of wisdom
- 2) does right, or “performs righteousness”

Healing those under the power of the devil.

Tell that Jesus is the one who will judge the living and the dead
God intends that through his people the nations will know Him

Grace: getting what you don't deserve Mercy: not getting what you deserve

Favor vs favorite

Ps 82:2 How long will you defend the unjust and show partiality to the wicked?

Gen 4:4 The LORD looked with favor on Abel and his offering,
⁵ but on Cain and his offering he did not look with favor.

Gen 4:6-7 Why are you angry? Do what's right and you will be accepted.

Jesus not swayed: **Mark 12:14**

Jesus will not entrust: **John 2:23-25**

God cannot be corrupted because he has no regard for persons.

He makes no distinction in how he reacts to people.

“Create In Me”

Viewing of self: Over estimating or underestimating – All have sinned

View of others: Not mindlessly swayed, Nor entrusted

Prov 19:20, 21 Listen to advise

2Peter 3:8, 9 God want all to be saved

1 Cor 5:12 We don't judge others who have not committed

Conc: God's favor rests on you as Cornelius

Because God is good, Continue to do good to other **Matt 7:12**