

Rom 3: 9-20. Acts - 3 ways of looking at Sin - Teacher, Doctor, Judge.  
 D looks at it thru the eyes of a lawyer - want see this in order to understand  
 Passage, may be to show of this soft age = we need to see sin as GUILT  
 relegate you to the object of a pep rally cheer leader this too disturbing

### I - The Charge - "proved" - court term - to accuse, incriminate

- 1- Dominion of Sin = "under sin" means under its power, control & authority
- 2- Deficiency from sin - v. 33 - present tense - continue to feel short  
 "out sinned" - & sin consequence - short - to lack, a deficit = By  
 Sin man lost what he had & what he was to receive.

### II - The Evidence - v. 10 ff - Remember this is how we appear in D's eyes, not ourselves

#### 1 - In Character

- ① unrighteous = righteous = being where we ought to be = less perfect than D -
- ② unmeasurable = v. 11
- ③ unresponsive - v. 12 some not going = to deviate, to go in a bad way  
 unprofitable = useless, unfit for good = used by  
 milk gone sour, meat rotten

all that's wrong in the world is result of  
 man's wrongness w/ D

#### 2 - In Conduct

- ① Capacity to Destroy man v. 13-17
- ② Capacity to Disregard D - v. 18 - D in center of our thoughts - D is  
 excluded from horizon of our thoughts = our life is characterized by  
 complete indifference to D.

### III - The Verdict - vs 19, 20

- 1 - Indefensible - we, man, stopped

man who fails to recognize his sin will never recognize  
 the Savior - Moses Ex 3 - "hol, brand" Isa 6 David Ps 51  
 Pauline Phil 18 Peter Luke 5-8