

Obedience

(SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST FUNDAMENTAL PRINCIPLE 18 OF 28 FROM 1889)

That as all have violated the law of God,
(Romans 3:23; Psalm 32; Revelation 12:9)

and cannot of themselves render obedience to his just requirements,
(Genesis 5:3; Isaiah 64:6; Jeremiah 13:23)

we are dependent on Christ,
(John 15:5; Colossians 2:9-10)

first, for justification from our past offenses,
(Romans 3:24-26)

and, secondly, for grace whereby to render acceptable obedience to his holy law in time to come.
(James 2:14-26)