

# Malachi 2:17-3:5

gravity, glory & grace

- **the wonder of God's love**  
(1.2-5)
- **the blessing of God's kingship**  
(1.6-14)
- **the ministry of God's Word**  
(2.1-9)
- **the grace of God's faithfulness**  
(2.10-16)
- **the hope of God's coming**  
(2.17-3.5)

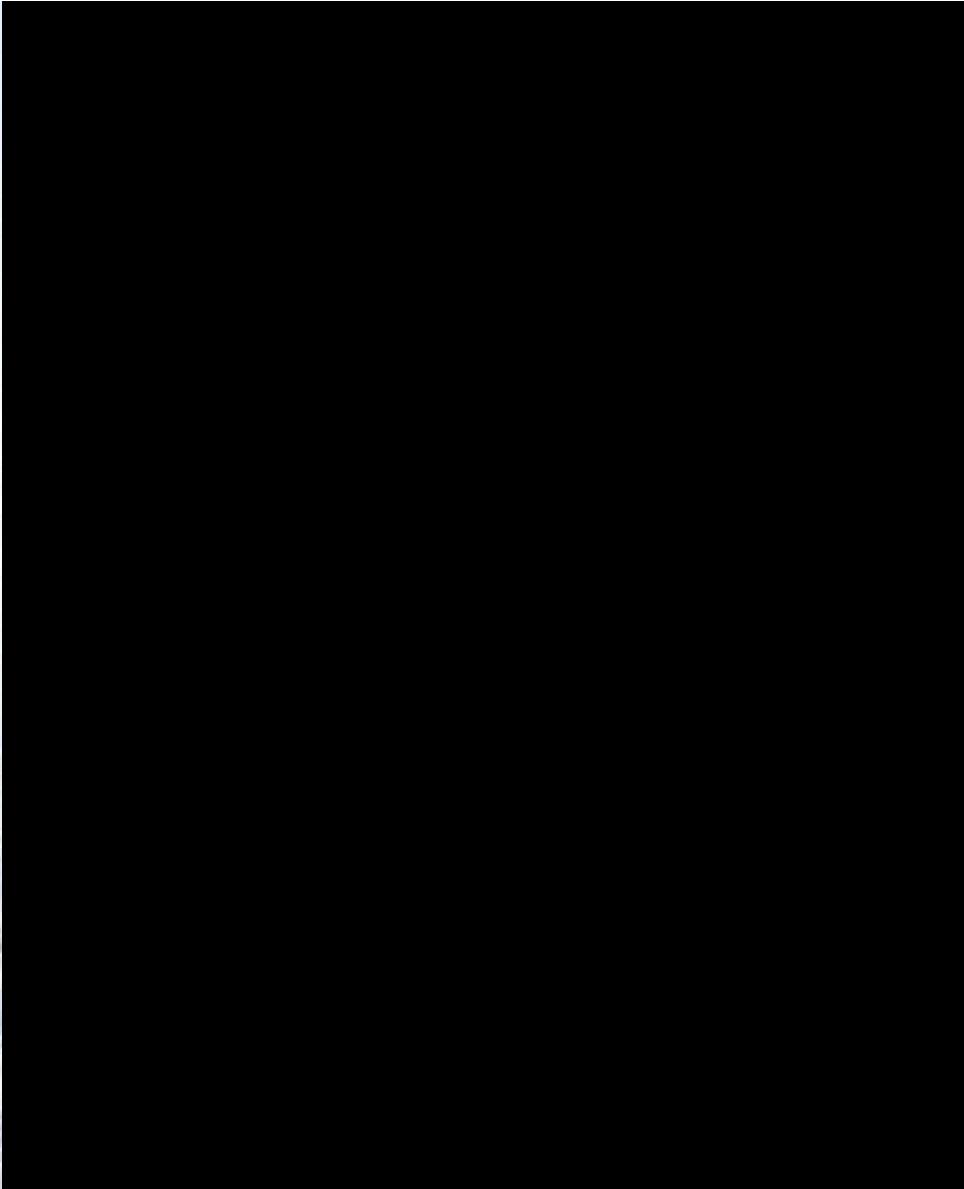




# hope

## the problem (2.17)

- the 'prosperity of the wicked'





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**the problem** (2.17)

**the answer** (3.1-5)

- unsurprising (3.1)
- unexpected (3.1)
- uncomfortable (3.2-5)
  - the Lord will purify (3.2-4)
  - the Lord will testify" (3.5)



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**the problem** (2.17)

**the answer** (3.1-5)

## lessons

- act prudently
- wait patiently
- live purposefully