The Covenant Names of God: Yahweh Tsidkenu and Shammah

Scripture

- **Jeremiah 23:5-6**
  
  “Behold, the days are coming,” declares the LORD, “When I will raise up for David a righteous branch; And He will reign as king and act wisely and do justice and righteousness in the land. In His days Judah will be saved, and Israel will dwell securely; and this is His name by which He will be called, ‘The LORD our righteousness’ (Yahweh Tsidkenu).”

- **Titus 3:5**
  
  He saved us, not on the basis of deeds which we have done in righteousness, but according to His mercy…

- **Ezekial 48:35**
  
  “…’The LORD is there’ (Yahweh Shammah)…”

Other Scriptures

- 2 Cor. 5:21
- Galatians 2:16
- 1 John 4:18
- Matt. 28:26
- Exodus 6:3
- Eph. 2:6
- Romans 8:38
- Psalm 23:6

Main Points

- Yahweh Tsidkenu-The Lord Our Righteousness
- Jesus stands before the Father for you!
- When you are in Jesus, you are accepted before the Father.
- In Christ, you stand righteous before the Father.
- When we understand what God has done for us we won’t have fear of judgment.
- God wants us to be assured of our righteousness in Messiah Jesus.
- Yahweh Shammah-The Lord is Present
- No matter where you go, the Lord is there!
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- Review:
  - Yahweh Yireh-The Lord our Provider
  - Yahweh Rophe/Ropheka-The Lord Our Healer
    - Believe God to bring healing to you here and now.
  - Yahweh Nissi-The Lord Our Banner/Victory
  - Yahweh Macadesh-The Lord Our Sanctifier
  - Yahweh Shalom-The Lord Our Peace
  - Yahweh Rohi-The Lord Our Shepherd
  - Yahweh Tsidkenu-The Lord Our Righteousness
  - Yahweh Shammah-The Lord is Present

Discussion Questions

1. In ourselves, standing before the Father we would be condemned. How does His name Yahweh Tsidkenu change this for us? Our standing in Jesus assures us of His favor and eternal life, rather than condemnation. Write about this work of God. How does this build your confidence in your standing?

2. God’s name—Shammah—assures that we will never be anywhere that He is not already there. What does this mean personally to you today? What places are you currently experiencing, physically and spiritually, where the certainty of His presence brings great comfort?

3. Take a moment to summarize each of the names of God and their meaning. Finish this statement for each name. Because God is Yahweh ____________, I know God ____________________________________________________________________________________.
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