

righteous1. ['raɪtʃəs] *n* (the righteous)

добродетельные люди; люди, ведущие безупречную жизнь
the righteous and the wicked - праведники и грешники

2. ['raɪtʃəs] *a*

1. праведный, добродетельный
2. справедливый, оправданный
righteous anger [indignation] - справедливый гнев [-ое негодование]
3. *амер. сл.* настоящий, подлинный, неподдельный, не фальшивый

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Oxford Advanced Learners Dictionary 8th Ed.

righteous *BrE* ['raɪtʃəs] ^ˈ *NAmE* ['raɪtʃəs] ^ˈ **adjective** (formal)

1. morally right and good
 - a righteous God
2. that you think is morally acceptable or fair
 - **righteous anger/indignation**, etc.

see also ↑self-righteousDerived Words ↑righteously ▪ ↑righteousnessWord Origin:

[**righteous righteously righteousness**] Old English rihtwīs, from riht 'right' + wīs 'manner, state, condition'. The change in the ending in the 16th cent. was due to association with words such as bounteous.

Example Bank:

- He considered himself to be holy and righteous in all his ways.
- I believe in a righteous God.

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[**Word Family:** **adverb** ↑right, ↑rightly, ↑rightfully, righteously, righteousness; **noun:** ↑right, ↑rightness, rights, ↑righteousness; **adjective:** ↑right, ↑righteous, ↑rightful; **verb:** ↑right]

[**Language:** Old English; **Origin:** rihtwīs, from riht 'right' (noun) + wīs 'wise']

1. **righteous indignation/anger etc** strong feelings of anger when you think a situation is not morally right or fair:
He was full of righteous indignation about the attack.
2. **formal** morally good and fair:
a righteous God

—**righteously** *adverb*—**righteousness** *noun* [uncountable]

⇒ ↑self-righteous

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