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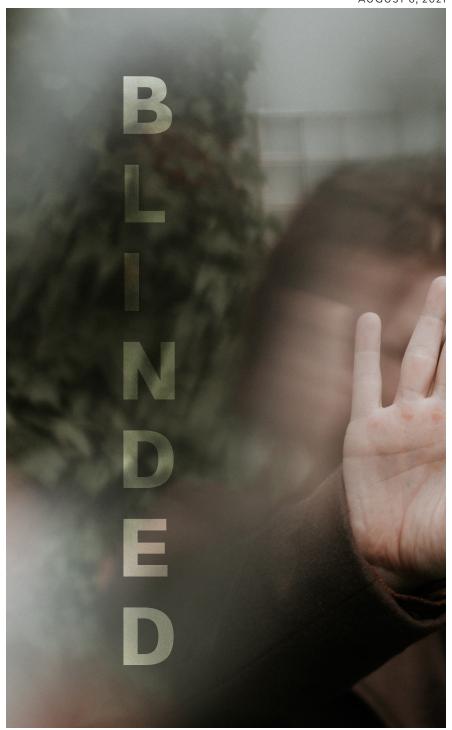


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24 Then they crucified him and divided his clothes, casting lots for them to decide what each would get. 25 Now it was nine in the morning when they crucified him. 26 The inscription of the charge written against him was:

The King of the Jews. 27 They crucified two criminals with him, one on his right and one on his left. 29 Those who passed by were yelling insults at him, shaking their heads, and saying, "Ha! The one who would destroy the temple and rebuild it in three days, 30 save yourself by coming down from the cross!"

31 In the same way, the chief priests with the scribes were mocking him among themselves and saying, "He saved others, but he cannot save himself!

32 Let the Messiah, the King of Israel, come down now from the cross, so that we may see and believe." Even those who were crucified with him taunted him.

Mark 15:24-32 (CSB)

### THEY WERE BLINDED BY THEIR OWN \_\_

9 To some who were confident of their own righteousness and looked down on everyone else, Jesus told this parable: 10 "Two men went up to the temple to pray, one a Pharisee and the other a tax collector. 11 The Pharisee stood by himself and prayed: 'God, I thank you that I am not like other people—robbers, evildoers, adulterers—or even like this tax collector. 12 I fast twice a week and give a tenth of all I get.' 13 "But the tax collector stood at a distance. He would not even look up to heaven, but beat his breast and said, 'God, have mercy on me, a sinner.' 14 "I tell you that this man, rather than the other, went home justified before God. For all those who exalt themselves will be humbled, and those who humble themselves will be exalted."

Luke 18:9-14 (NIV)

### THEY WERE BLINDED BY THEIR OWN \_\_\_\_

9 Then a large crowd of the Jews learned he was there. They came not only because of Jesus but also to see Lazarus, the one he had raised from the dead. 10 But the chief priests had decided to kill Lazarus also, 11 because he was the reason many of the Jews were deserting them and believing in Jesus.

John 12:9 (CSB)

42 Nevertheless, many did believe in him even among the rulers, but because of the Pharisees they did not confess him, so that they would not be banned from the synagogue. 43 For they loved human praise more than praise from God.

John 12:42-43 (CSB)

#### THEY WERE BLINDED BY THEIR OWN

1 Then Jesus spoke to the crowds and to his disciples:
2 "The scribes and the Pharisees are seated in the chair of Moses.
3 Therefore do whatever they tell you, and observe it. But don't do what they do, because they don't practice what they teach.

Matthew 23:1-3 (CSB)

### THEY WERE BLINDED BY THEIR OWN \_\_\_\_\_

But the Pharisees and the teachers of the law were furious and began to discuss with one another what they might do to Jesus.

Luke 6:11 (NIV)

1 When Jesus had finished saying all these things, he told his disciples,
2 "You know that the Passover takes place after two days,
and the Son of Man will be handed over to be crucified." 3 Then the chief priests and
the elders of the people assembled in the courtyard of
the high priest, who was named Caiaphas, 4 and they conspired to arrest Jesus in a
treacherous way and kill him. 5 "Not during the festival," they said,

"so there won't be rioting among the people."

Matthew 26:1-5 (CSB)