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CLEAN HEARTS - MARK 7:9-23

I. GOD GIVES US CLEAN HEARTS - verses 9-23

A. Conflict results in confrontation, verses 9-13

- **Luke 11:46** - *Jesus replied, "And you experts in the law, woe to you, because you load people down with burdens they can hardly carry, and you yourselves will not lift one finger to help them."*

Religion requires clean hands – Jesus gives us clean hearts.

- **John 8:31&32** - *So Jesus said to the Jews who had believed him, "If you abide in my word, you are truly my disciples, and you will know the truth, and the truth will set you free."*

B. Conflict results in clarification, verses 14-16

- *To see the Law by Christ fulfilled
And hear His pardoning voice,
Changes a slave into a child,
And duty into choice. ~ William Cowper*

C. Conflict results in explanation, verses 17-23

- *Create in me a clean heart, O God, and renew a right spirit within me. ~ Psalm 51:10*