Rectitude

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I would like to have more rectitude. Or rather, I would like to provide a better portrayal of rectitude. What exactly does that mean though? I ran into this word while reading, and although I've heard the word used, I've not yet come to understand it's meaning. I will be researching the use of this word as I write this, so please forgive me if my usage of the word isn't as accurate in the beginning of this article as it is by the end of it.

The Google Definition (provided by Oxford Languages) of the word is as follows:

morally correct behavior or thinking; righteousness.

I can touch a little bit on the righteousness aspect of the word later on in this reading. For starters though, I want to break down the verbage used for the definition, so that I may better understand the definition itself.