

QUESTIONS FOR ADDITIONAL STUDY

1. Tell your story. Describe a time in your life when you had to share some bad news, or difficult news, with another person. How did they respond to the news?

2. In your opinion, what is the strongest evidence for the existence of God that can be seen in our universe?

3. Read the following passages and note the Bible says about wrath?
 - a) Psalm 37:8
 - b) Proverbs 11:23
 - c) Proverbs 15:1
 - d) John 3:36
 - e) Romans 5:9
 - f) Romans 12:19
 - g) Colossians 3:5-6

4. Explain the difference between God personally intervening in a situation and God allowing a person to experience the consequences of the “moral order” of the universe.

5. What practical application are you going to make from this week’s message? (*Share your decision with another person.*)
 - I am going to invite a person to church who is not a believer.
 - I am going to make a list of ways I see God’s presence in the universe and share those thoughts with a friend.
 - I am going to memorize John 3:36.

Cornerstone Church
Romans 1:18-23

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Study Series #003

The Guilt of the World in the Eyes of God ***Part 1: The Reason the Gentiles are Guilty***

I. Introduction

A. Will There be Golf in Heaven?

B. First, the Bad News

(See Habakkuk 1:13; Romans 6:23; Romans 3:23;
Romans 5:12; Romans 3:20; Galatians 2:16)

C. Now, the Good News

(See Romans 6:23; Titus 3:5; Ephesians 2:8-9;
II Corinthians 5:21; John 5:24)

II. All Gentiles are Guilty Before God

A. The Revelation

(See Romans 1:18; Genesis 3:8-24; Genesis 7:11-24;
Genesis 19:1-29; Exodus 14:13-31; Numbers 16:1-40)

Passage of Study
Romans 1:18-23

B. The Recipients

(See Romans 1:18; Genesis 3:8; Psalm 139:7-12;
Genesis 3:9-12; Exodus 32:1-35; Exodus 32:21-24;
I John 1:8-10)

C. The Reasons

(See Romans 1:19; Romans 10:9-10; Romans 1:20;
Psalm 19:1-3; Psalm 139:14)

D. The Results

(See Romans 1:21; II Timothy 3:13; Titus 3:3;
I Corinthians 10:31; I Timothy 1:3-4; Colossians 2:8;
John 3:19-20; Psalm 14:1; Psalm 53:1; Romans 1:23;
Exodus 20:3-5)

¹⁸ For the wrath of God is revealed from heaven against all ungodliness and unrighteousness of men who suppress the truth in unrighteousness, ¹⁹ because that which is known about God is evident within them; for God made it evident to them. ²⁰ For since the creation of the world His invisible attributes, His eternal power and divine nature, have been clearly seen, being understood through what has been made, so that they are without excuse. ²¹ For even though they knew God, they did not honor Him as God or give thanks, but they became futile in their speculations, and their foolish heart was darkened. ²² Professing to be wise, they became fools, ²³ and exchanged the glory of the incorruptible God for an image in the form of corruptible man and of birds and four-footed animals and crawling creatures.

III. Conclusion

If you would like to know more about what it means to be a Christian, or if you would like to talk with someone or have someone pray for you, please see the pastor after the service and he or one of our church leaders will be glad to speak with you.

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