



## God's Wrath

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### TODAY'S READING: Revelation 16

When you think about the many attributes of God, what comes to your mind? We think of God as loving, faithful, kind, powerful, glorious, etc. He is absolutely all of those things! There are other aspects of God that we do not talk about as much because they are less pleasant, such as His judgment and wrath. Wrath is not a common answer when we describe God. But it is important for us to consider.

Focusing on and elevating one aspect of God is dangerous and deprives us of seeing the entire picture of who God is. God is love; however, if God's love is elevated above His other attributes, then we are in danger of diminishing His justice, wrath, and the seriousness of our sin. God is love, but He also takes sin seriously, and atonement is necessary for the forgiveness of sin so that we are not objects of His holy wrath.

Revelation 16 is a prime example of God demonstrating His wrath through the seven bowls. Thankfully for the believer, we are no longer the recipients of His wrath. God's wrath was poured out while Jesus was on the cross as the ultimate sacrifice for our sins. As we read today's chapter, let's rejoice that the price for our sins has been paid by Jesus Christ while also telling others of the hope and life that is Jesus Christ. Today, spend some time in prayer for your ONE who is far from God and give Him thanks that Jesus bore His wrath on the cross in paying the debt for our sins.

### TOMORROW'S READING: Revelation 17

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