

Romans 1: 18-20 3 Verses

Recap: We talked about ~~the~~ Jesus, declared to be the Son of God with Power according to the spirit of holiness, by the resurrection from the dead.

- We talked about the power of the Gospel
 - It's the power of God unto salvation.
 - to everyone that believeth.
- We left that section of Romans with Paul, speaking of the Gospel, singing "For therein is the righteousness of God revealed from faith to faith; as it is written, the just shall live by faith..."
- The righteousness of God is revealed in the gospel of Jesus Christ. And it's when we put our faith in Him, does God put his righteousness in us...
- Seems pretty simple doesn't it. God has revealed his righteousness in Jesus Christ...
- The sting on sin has plagued man since the Garden of Eden. Man has lived all his days under the shadow of sin... No hope, no remedy... ~~It~~ ^{about the babe lying in a manger:}
- The Christmas Song says, "The hopes & fears of all the years are met in thee tonight..."
- God has opened the Door in Jesus Christ...
- Jesus said, "I am the Door, by me if any man enter in, he shall be saved..." John 10:9

- God has placed the remedy to man's malady in Jesus Christ...
- And has revealed it to all of Man...
- He placed it atop a hill called Calvary and hoisted up ~~the~~ an old rugged cross for all the world to see...
- For therein is the righteousness of God revealed.
- God pulled back the curtain that hid the holy of holies and revealed to all, the lamb slain before the foundation of the earth...

- John ^{the Baptist} pointed Jesus out, he thought, "There is the righteousness of God" and cried, "Behold the Lamb of God which taketh away the sin of the world..."

- Paul begins his letter to the Romans speaking of God's Righteous Revelation
- But as we move into his next part of Romans, Paul shows us that God's mercy and love are not the only things revealed to man...

vs 18 For the wrath of God is revealed from heaven against all ungodliness... (READ)

vs 18

What is Revealed?

The wrath of God is revealed.

John the Baptist also said. (^{John} 3:36) "He that believeth on the Son hath everlasting life; and he that believeth not the Son shall not see life; but the wrath of God abideth on him..."

Revelation 14:19 says, "...If any man worship the beast and his image, and receive his mark in his forehead, or in his hand,

The same shall drink of the wine of the wrath of God, which is poured out without mixture into the cup of his indignation; and he shall be tormented with fire and brimstone in the presence of the holy angels, and in the presence of the Lamb:

And the smoke of their torment ascendeth up for ever and ever; and they have no rest day nor night, who worship the beast and his image, and whosoever receiveth the mark of his name.

Rev Chp 15: Verse 1 (Read)

Verse 5, 6, 7 (Read)

16: Verse 1 (Read)

- What is the wrath of God.
- Wrath is what ~~is~~ is left when all mercy and grace is expired.
- God extends his hand to us unconditionally
- He offers us pardon and mercy and forgiveness.
- He offers us his son.
- When that is refused and rejected,
- Wrath is what remains.

- The wrath of God (from heaven) ^{is revealed} against ALL ungodliness and unrighteousness.

- All of it, every single bit of it.

- Not just the U+U of Kermit Gosnell or Adolf Hitler, murderers + killers.

- Not just the U+U of the government or any institution that is a front to God.

- Not just the guy @ work that cheats on his wife or the drug dealer down the street.

- Not just Hollywood & all of its flaming liberals + sodomites.

ALL unrighteousness + ungodliness. This includes ~~the~~ every imagination of the thoughts of ~~the~~ your hearts, not somebody else's.

The Flood → "Gen 6:6" and it repented

the LORD THAT HE HAD MADE MAN ON THE EARTH, AND IT GRIEVED Him at his heart.

- God is grieved, (the long suffering of God)
- God is hurt + angry
- God has felt pain since the dawn of time.

- The Law of God is the heart of God
- Every transgression, every sin against the Law of God
- Is a stab at the heart of God

Verses "My spirit shall not always strive with man..."

- God has got limits...
- One day God will close the Lamb's book of Life... No more will be added to it...
- Daniel's Book will be opened...
And in it is ~~the~~ the judgment that man has treasured up & stored up...
- You realize that in the Book of Revelations every seal that is opened,
Every trumpet that is sounded,
Every vial that is poured out upon the earth
Every plague that is fulfilled...
- Every single one of them was treasured up by man... Man has brought every single one of these on himself...
- The wrath of God is revealed, The anger of God is revealed. His indignation is on display to be seen...

"I don't know anything about the wrath of God,
No body showed me anything about it...?"

Verse 19:20a

(Read)

I didn't write this.

Holy men God wrote this. Paul the Apostle wrote this.

~~He says~~
"I didn't know God was angry at my sin"
Paul's saying, "You're a liar."

"That which may be known of God"

"If there's something you need to know, God has put it in you. God has showed unto you!"

You say, "Nobody has showed me anything"
Paul, "Nobody has to, because God has..."

How? How is this possible? It just is.
God gives all his creation, everything it needs to survive.

Chickens come out eating & scratching

And they've passed them the straight ones.

- Cats know how to nurse, then kittens

In that same manner, "That which may be known of God, is manifest in them."

The works of God is revealed from Heaven!
Where is it revealed? It's revealed in you.

"For the invisible things of him from the creation of the world are clearly seen."

- Paul says, things clearly seen, the invisible things...
- The invisible things of ~~the world~~ Him of God are more real and pertinent than what stands before our very eyes...

- What is happening on the inside is more important than the outside...

- How does God reveal his wrath in you?
 - Usually we talk about how God reveals his love toward you. Reveals his mercy toward us. How God manifests his love in our life. What about his wrath?

- Ponder on that for a little while. Like I said I didn't write this. Paul did.
[READ IT AGAIN]

- I don't have all the answers. Just like love & mercy, it's different for everyone...
- It's not something we think about much...

#1 When you pass judgment on someone you emulate the indignation of God upon your self.

#2 The small voice that says, "Think about what you're doing before you do it." "Don't do that." "That's not right"

#3 Something missing... an emptiness that causes your soul to cry out for God.

? Why did Adam hide from God? What was he afraid of? I'll tell... He feared the wrath of God...

? Why do you hide from God?

? Why don't you just come into the light?

"Light has come into the world, and men loved darkness rather than light--

Why? Because their deeds were evil...
They're evil and they know they're evil...
They know because God has manifested his wrath in them and shined it onto them...

I don't know how God has done it, but he has... God has ~~revealed~~ not only revealed his love toward us and his mercy, but he's also revealed his wrath upon our sin...

- When God turned the lights on over me and shined me how lost I was. He was showing me something that was inside of me. It was something I knew deep down inside that was brought to light...

What I'm trying to say is that if it's in you, it's your responsibility. It's your body, your mind, and your soul.

* Personal responsibility is the core of Christianity.

And this is 3rd party. What? Why?
Why is it revealed?

verse 20
So that they are without excuse...

THREE
I WANT TO KNOW
DOESN'T IT MEAN
IT'S NOT THERE

LAD IS
NOT SALVING
SHIN A CAT
I WAS TOGETHER
HEAVEN

REPEAT

No excuses. That means no one will be excused...

LORD LORD May I be excused I prophesied in thy name?
LORD Lo " " " " I cast out devils in thy name?
" " " " " I did many wonderful works?

No Excuses

What about children that die at an early age?
What about the babies? What about
the mental ill? Don't they have an excuse?

#1 When did you become so worried about children +
mental ill folk. Usually, that? is
asked only to punch a hole in a preacher's message.
Cast doubt on the word of God...

Try to find some exception....

#2 (Read again)

Nobody needs to be taught about the W.O.G.^{math}
because God has already put it in them...

- Just like the LOVE of God + salvation.

- No body gets educated into the kingdom of God

- Salvation is not a mental ascent to some facts

- It's a revelation by the Holy Spirit.

- It's a spiritual ascent to a Savior.

" All that the Father giveth me, shall come to me,
and he that cometh to me, I will in no wise
cast out..."

- That which may be known of God is revealed
inside. We judge by the outside. We see
a child, a mental ill person. Can't see the insider -

#3 And I heard a preacher say this and it has stuck with me a long time...

If babies do go to heaven, there's only one way they'll make it in, and that will be by the blood of Jesus Christ...

[God ^{and} When ^{and} puts an ^{end} to all of this... There will be no exception to deal with. No special circumstances to have to deal with...

Why would God reveal his wrath?

- So they'll have no excuse...

- LORD I just needed more time...

- LORD that preacher taught me wrong...

- LORD I was mad at you because you took my loved one away

- LORD my dog ate my bible...

1 Thes 5: 9

For God ~~has~~ not appointed us to wrath, but to obtain salvation by our LORD Jesus Christ...