

KING OF KINGS MESSAGE DISCUSSION GUIDE

REVELATION 6-16 - DECEMBER 3, 2023

Week 4

Icebreaker

How did God bless you during this past week?

Key Passage

Revelation 15:3-5

“Great and marvelous are your deeds, Lord God Almighty. Just and true are your ways, King of the nations. Who will not fear you, Lord, and bring glory to your name? For you alone are holy. All nations will come and worship before you, for your righteous acts have been revealed.”

Discussion Questions

1. When you read about the coming of God’s wrath in Revelation, how does it make you feel? How does it affect what you think about God?
2. Do you believe you deserve God’s wrath? Why or why not?
3. Read Romans 1:18-20. How does God’s “divine nature” affect His ability to inflict wrath?
4. Theologian Stephen Charnock once said, “A love of holiness cannot be without a hatred of everything that is contrary to it.” Do you agree with this statement? Why or why not? And how does that statement apply to God and His just wrath?
5. How do you balance having a sense of and desiring justice with the truth that God, not you, is the one who must administer it?
6. The original readers of Revelation were Christians who were intensely judged and persecuted for their faith. The idea of God’s wrath coming upon their enemies would’ve been something they looked forward to. How does your current situation affect how you think about the coming of God’s wrath?
7. Does the knowledge that God is just give you a sense of peace in regard to those who have wronged you?
8. Zach said: “Jesus became the temporary object of God’s wrath so that you and I can be eternal recipients of His mercy.” How does the book of Revelation, especially the intense imagery about God’s wrath, make you greater appreciate what Jesus did for you?
9. Read Revelation 16:15. How can we as Christians “stay awake” and “remain clothed” in preparation for what’s to come?

Close with Prayer