

Introduction:

Five questions to deepen our knowledge of God.

Question #1: What can we learn from the history of the Jewish people who were destroyed for lack of knowledge? (Hosea 4:6; 1 Cor. 10:1-13)

Question #2: How can God be God of love and God of wrath at the same time? (John 3:16-18, 36)

Question #3: What is the imbalanced emphasis on the love of God that could be destructive to the moral and spiritual life of God's people? (Rom. 5:8; 8:1, 12-13)

Question #4: Where did God show His love and His wrath at the same time? (Gal. 6:14)

Question #5: When will God's wrath be finally meted out? (John 5:22-23; Rev. 20:11-15)

REFLECTIONS:

TABLETALK:

1. Why are God's people destroyed? Read Hosea 4:6.
2. What can we learn from the bad examples of the Israelites that will save us from being destroyed? Read 1 Cor. 10:1-13.
3. What is the blessing for believing in Jesus, and what is the penalty for rejecting Jesus? Read John 3:16-18, 36.
4. What is the balanced teaching on the love of God that will keep us from continuing in sin? Read Rom. 5:8; 8:12-13.
5. How did Christ meet both the demand of God's love and the demand of God's justice, and where did it happen? Read Rom. 4:25; 5:8-11.
6. In what book should your name be written to avoid destruction in the Lake of Fire? Read Rev. 20:11-15.
7. How will the sermon last Sunday influence you to live a holy life?

Pray