

ROMANS



What about those
who never hear
Gospel? - 1:18-23

Colosseum

**Temple of Vespasian,
Arch of Severus,
Temple of Saturn**





- city
- ⊙ addressee of Pauline Epistle
- ⌋ mountain pass
- ▲ mountain peak
- Third Missionary Journey: Paul



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Timothy, P
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ten from

1 Timothy written
from Macedonia

Titus written
from Ephesus

Lost in
storm at sea

● city
— Paul's journey
to Rome
— Roman provincial or regional name



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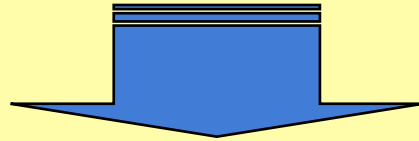
Arch of Titus

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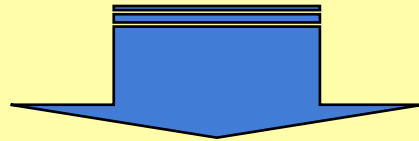
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**God Rendering
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GOD'S

WRATH



It is not:

- ✓ Irrational state
- ✓ Loss of control
- ✓ Bad temper
- ✓ Cruelty
- ✓ Vindictive rage

GOD's ...

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**Justice
against sin**

It Is:

- **Necessary reaction to evil**
- **Right & Righteous**
- **Indignation against injustice**
- **Always judicial**
- **Punitive justice**

“Wrath is the holy revulsion of God's being against that which is the contradiction of His holiness.”

John Murray

“Wrath is God’s personal (though never malicious or, in a bad sense, emotional) reaction against sin.”

CK Barrett

IMPLICATIONS

- **God's attitude toward sin**
- **Appreciate God's grace**
- **Fear God**

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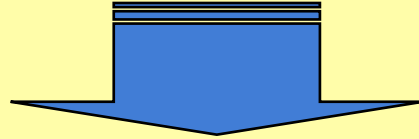
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KNOWN

- 1. γνωστος (gnostos) -
something known, capable of
being known, intelligible**
- 2. Miracles - Act 9:42**
- 3. Spiritual truth - Act 13:38**
- 4. God - 1:19**

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2. **φανeroω (faneroo) - to make known or evident, to manifest**
Col 3:4, 1Tim 3:16

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➤ **Creation - design**

➤ **History -
interventions**



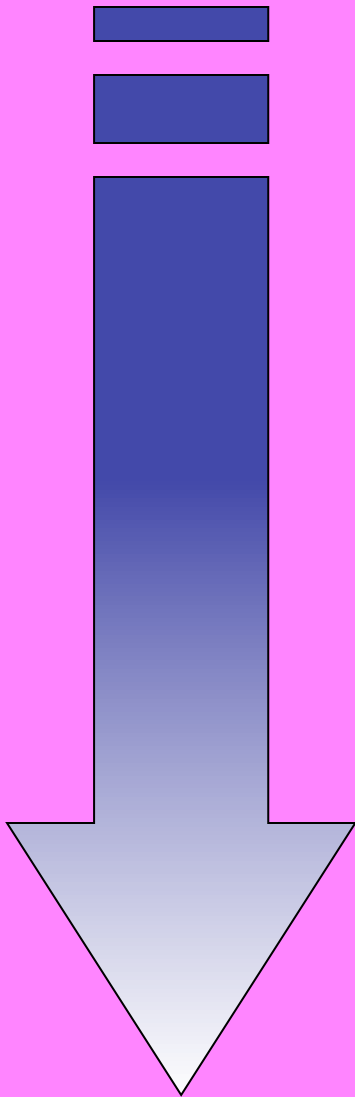
➤ **Conscience - 2:14-15, Eccl 3:11**

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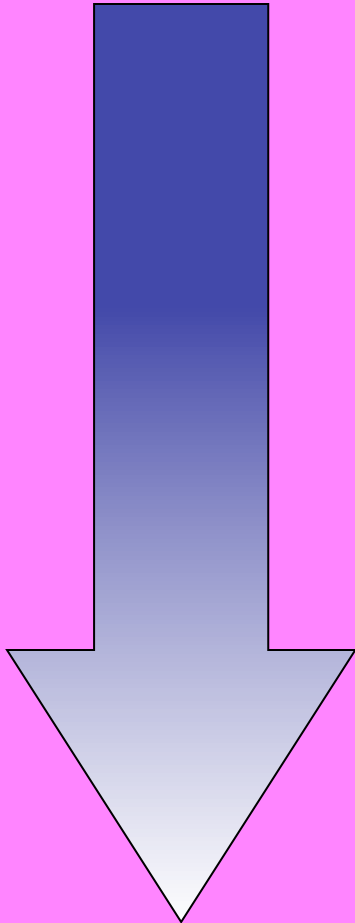
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Realization - 19-20

Responsibility - 20



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- 3. Examples**

EXAMPLES

A woman with dark hair, wearing a dark jacket, is speaking into a microphone at a wooden podium. Behind her is a large green plant and an American flag. The scene is set in a formal room, likely a legislative chamber.

1. Ransford Sinabow

2. Helen Keller

3. Grace Hensarling (above)

A photograph of a sunset over a large body of water, likely the Sea of Galilee. The sun is a bright, glowing orb on the horizon, with its light reflecting on the water's surface. The sky is filled with soft, golden clouds, and the overall atmosphere is serene and peaceful. The text is overlaid in the center of the image.

**All have received adequate
REVELATION
to seek the One True God!!!**

Sea of Galilee from Kursi