Sermon Discussion Guide: The Seven Bowls of God's Wrath

Sunday, September 5, 2021 Scripture: **Revelation 16:1–21** Series: **Revelation** 

## OVERVIEW

Sometimes we think we deserve better than we got; other times we get exactly what's coming to us. When we misunderstand what we truly deserve, due to entitlement or lack of joy, that often translates into our understanding of God. **We all deserve hell.** There are no exceptions.

## CORROBORATING TEXTS

Exodus 19:10, Psalm 78:44, Isaiah 49:10, Revelation 7:16, Ephesians 2:2. Deuteronomy 32:4, Acts 17:31, Romans 1:18-23, Romans 3:23-26, James 4:12

## **DISCUSSION QUESTIONS**

- 1. Does talking about God's wrath make you uncomfortable? Why or why not?
- 2. Why do we struggle with the concept of God's wrath and judgment?
- 3. For what reason do the angels, saints, and prophets praise God in the midst of wrath and judgment? [see verses 5–7]
- 4. Pastor Joe mentioned three ways to respond to this text. What were they and how would you rate how well you're doing in each of them?
- 5. Is this the end of the story for the unrepentant? Is this the end of the story for believers?

