

Gospel Power

Week 2 - None are Righteous

Day 1: Clearly Known

Ps 19:1, Isaiah 40:28–29

John 1:3, Romans 1:18-21

Have you ever thought about the wind? You can't see it, but you know it's there—rustling leaves, cooling your face, or bending trees in its path. In the same way, God's presence is undeniable. His invisible attributes—His power, glory, and creativity—are clearly revealed in creation.

The heavens declare His glory. Every sunrise, ocean wave, and star-studded night sky shouts His existence. Romans 1:20 reminds us that no one can claim ignorance. God has made Himself known, both in creation and through His Word, so that we may stand in awe and worship Him.

Day 2: God's Wrath

Exodus 32:11, Romans 1:22-29

Ephesians 5:6, Colossians 3:5-6

God's wrath is a hard concept to grasp. It's not an outburst of anger but His holy, just, and righteous response to sin. Romans 1:18 tells us that God's wrath is revealed from heaven against all godlessness and unrighteousness—against those who suppress the truth.

Think of suppressing like trying to hold a beach ball underwater. The ball naturally resists and wants to rise back up. In the same way, the truth about God's righteousness is evident, but humanity often pushes it down, refusing to acknowledge Him.

God's wrath isn't arbitrary; it's His perfect justice in action. Sin cannot coexist with His holiness, and His wrath ensures that justice is served. Take this as a reminder to reflect on areas of your life where you might be "suppressing" God's truth, and invite Him to reveal His righteousness to you.

Day 3: The Judge

Romans 2:1-4, Romans 2:12-16

Romans 2:1 reminds us that when we judge others, we condemn ourselves because none of us measures up to God's divine standard. God's judgment isn't based on how we see ourselves or others—it's based on His perfect truth. Romans 2:12 tells us that God will judge people according to the light they've received. Even those without the Jewish law have their conscience, an inner sense of right and wrong, which is enough to accuse and convict them.

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Day 4: The Law

Romans 2:17-23, Romans 2:28-29,

Jeremiah 7:4-10, James 1:22

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Day 5: Not Even One

Romans 3:10-20

"As it is written: There is no one righteous, not even one" (Romans 3:10). These words are a sobering reminder that no one is exempt from the

grip of sin. Every one of us stands under condemnation, and every one of us is in desperate need of salvation.

The law wasn't given to fix us or make us righteous—it was given to reveal our sin. It's like a mirror showing us the dirt on our face. The law points out what's broken and our inability to fix it on our own.

This truth might feel heavy, but it's also freeing. Recognizing our need for salvation opens the door to God's grace. Only through Jesus can we be made right with God. Today, thank Him for His mercy and the gift of salvation that we could never earn on our own.