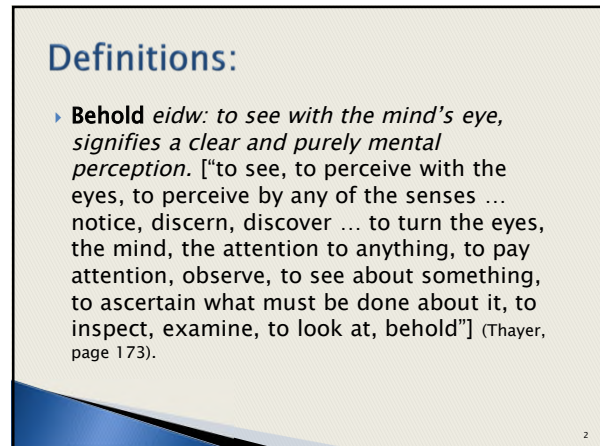
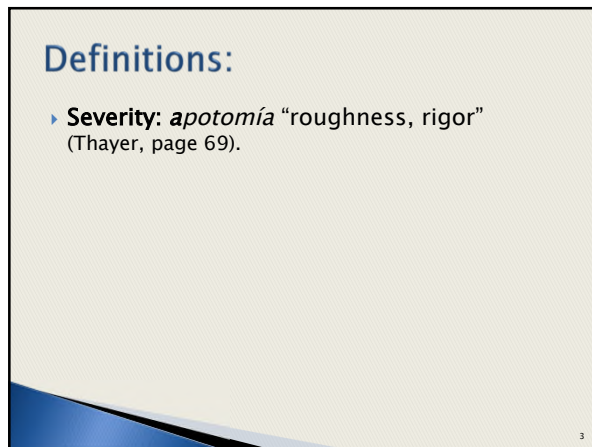


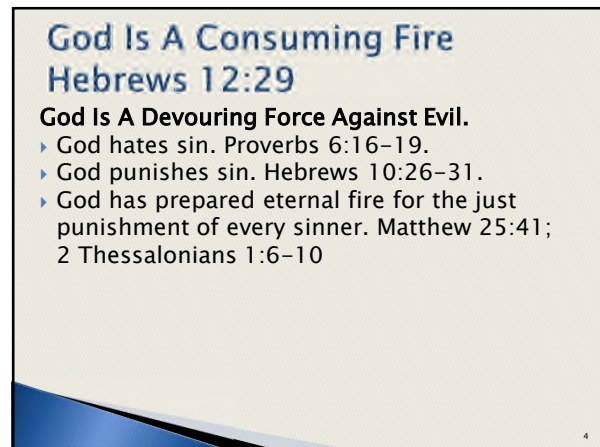
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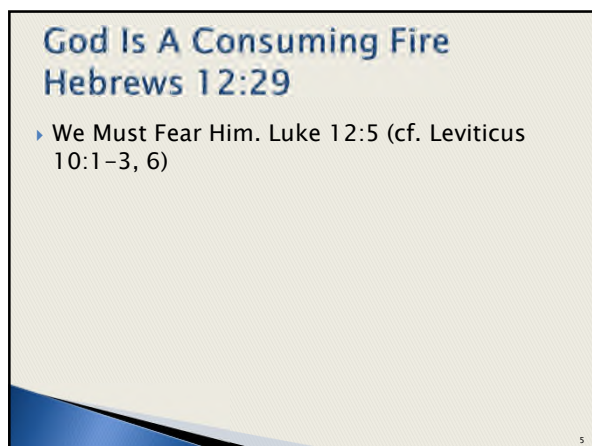
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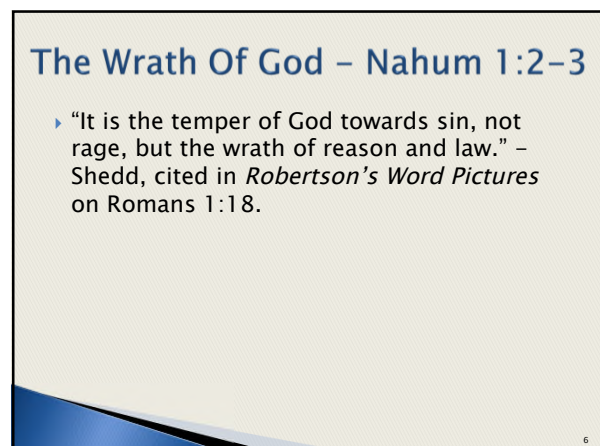
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## The Wrath Of God – Nahum 1:2–3

### Traits Of God's Wrath:

- ▶ *Reserved for His enemies.* 1:2; Romans 1:18
- ▶ Those who reject God and His word. Numbers 14:22–23; Psalms 95:7–11 (cf. Hebrews 3:7–11)
- ▶ Those who hinder the truth in their unrighteousness.

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### Traits Of God's Wrath:

- ▶ *Just and righteous.* Romans 2:5.
  - It is always due to sin – never fickle, careless.
- ▶ *Applied without partiality.* Romans 2:5–11
- ▶ *Cannot be resisted by anyone.* Nahum 1:6; Jeremiah 10:10.
- ▶ *Terrible, without escape.* Zephaniah 1:2ff, 12–18
- ▶ *Abides upon the faithless.* John 3:36

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### God's Wrath Can Be Avoided By Repentance. Zephaniah 2:1–3

- ▶ Nineveh. Jonah 1:2; 3:4, 5–10
- ▶ Sinners today. Acts 2:37–38; 8:20–24.
- ▶ Like the reform in the days of Hezekiah, we must put away sin to avoid wrath! 2 Chronicles 29:3–10.

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### Providing A Way Of Escape From God's Wrath Against Our Sin Is An Expression Of His Longsuffering and Mercy. 2 Peter 3:9

### The Sacrifice Of Jesus Appeases The Wrath Of God. Romans 3:23–26; 1 John 2:2

(*Propitiation* – Appeasement, atonement, to make amends)

- ▶ He is the sin offering God will accept, which removes our sin (forgiveness), and thus His indignation toward our sins. Hebrews 10:17–18
- ▶ You need the offering of Christ applied to your sins to escape the wrath of God! (Acts 22:16)

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## Conclusion

- ▶ Romans 11:22, "*Behold ... the ... severity of God.*" God will punish all sin. Revelation 21:8
- ▶ Proverbs 11:23, "*The desire of the righteous is only good; (But) the expectation of the wicked is wrath.*"
- ▶ Will you treasure up peace or wrath against the day of eternity? Romans 2:5, "*but after thy hardness and impenitent heart treasurest up for thyself wrath in the day of wrath and revelation of the righteous judgment of God*"

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