

Not Ashamed of God's Good Message (Romans 1:16-18)

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Introduction

Review

1:16 Not ashamed

Of the good message

Did Paul think the Romans were unbelievers? What "Gospel" did they need?

For it is the power of God to salvation

What does salvation mean here?

Much More

[From Wrath: preview of 1:18]

36 NT uses of *Orgē* ("Wrath")

1. Matthew 3:7	AD 70	20. Ephesians 5:6	By God here & now
2. Mark 3:5	Human anger	21. Colossians 3:6	By God here & now
3. Luke 3:7	AD 70	22. Colossians 3:8	Human anger
4. Luke 21:23	Tribulation (Wk 70)	23. 1 Thessalonians 1:10	Tribulation
5. John 3:36	By God here & now	24. 1 Thessalonians 2:16	By God here & now
6. Romans 1:18	By God here & now	25. 1 Thessalonians 5:9	Tribulation (Wk 70)
7-8. Romans 2:5ab	By God here & now	26. 1 Timothy 2:8	Human anger
9. Romans 2:8	By God here & now	27. Hebrews 3:11	By God here & now
10. Romans 3:5	By God here & now	28. Hebrews 4:3	By God here & now
11. Romans 4:15	By God here & now	29. James 1:19	Human anger
12-13. Romans 5:9	By God here & now	30. James 1:20	Human anger
14. Romans 9:22ab	By God here & now	31. Revelation 6:16	Tribulation (Wk 70)
15. Romans 12:19	By God here & now	32. Revelation 6:17	Tribulation (Wk 70)
16. Romans 13:4	By God here & now	33. Revelation 11:18	Tribulation (Wk 70)
17. Romans 13:5	By God here & now	34. Revelation 14:10	Tribulation (Wk 70)
18. Ephesians 2:3	By God here & now	35. Revelation 16:19	Tribulation (Wk 70)
19. Ephesians 4:31	Human anger	36. Revelation 19:15	Tribulation (Wk 70)

- ▶ **Human anger** (6 uses): Mark 3:5; Eph 4:31; Col 3:8; 1 Tim 2:8; James 1:19-20
- ▶ **AD 70** (2 uses): Matt 3:7; Luke 3:7
- ▶ **70th Heptad** (9 uses): Luke 21:23; 1 Thess 1:10; 5:9; Rev 6:16-17; 11:18; 14:10; 16:19; 19:15
- ▶ **God's here-and-now discipline** (19 uses): John 3:36; Romans 1:18; 2:5ab, 8; 3:5; 4:15; 5:9; 9:22ab; 12:19; 13:4-5; Eph 2:3; 5:6; Col 3:6; 1 Thess 2:16; Hebrews 3:11; 4:3
- ▶ **Lake of Fire** (Zero uses): ———

1:16 (continued) What Does Salvation from Wrath Mean Here?

Who Can Receive this Salvation?

1:17 Corrected translation:

For in it the righteousness-of-God-by-faith, granted to faith, is revealed; just as it is written, "Now the one who is righteous-by-faith shall live."

The one who is righteous-by-faith shall live.

~~The one who is righteous shall live by faith.~~

Background to Habakkuk 2:4 (quoted in Romans 1:17b)
Habakkuk's Complaint

God's Answer

The Remnant

1:18 Wrath of God

Is revealed from heaven

Against all ungodliness and unrighteousness of men

Who suppress the truth in unrighteousness

Conclusion