

TGABL –Part 4

Extended Verse Study:

This Week's Memory Verse Focus

**“But I say, if you are even angry with someone,
you are subject to judgment...”
Matthew 5:22**

2017 Motto:

It's always 3:30 (John 3:30)

Ask yourself and apply to your daily prayer:

How can I apply the theme to my daily living and connect that understanding in my active part of the local Body of Christ where I am committed at HCC

Current Sermon Title:

TGSBL- part 4

Ask yourself how can participating in the soul habit practice of reforming the center of your life to Christ by making a Spiritual Formation Plan to be led by the love of God

1: Read Matthew 5:21-22

2: Read Genesis 13:8

3: Read Ephesians 4:25-27

4: Read John 14:1

5: Read Romans 12:9-18

6: Read Romans 14:17, John 3:30

FOR THE GROUP: Working it out together

1. Can you name something that caused you to feel and or act out in anger?
2. Read Matthew 5:21-22. What does Jesus say makes one subject to the same judgement as murder?
3. Pastor Steve said, “The false narrative that the world has taught us is that we are not responsible for our negative feelings...Biblical narrative always puts the responsibility squarely upon our shoulders.” Thinking of an anger you experienced, was the root of the anger caused by you feeling offended or feeling an injustice?
4. Read Matthew 5:22. Who does this scripture say is responsible for anger and subject to judgement?
5. Pastor Steve said, “The Good and Beautiful Life is lived without unjust anger...just anger acts for justice.” What is the difference between unjust anger that acts to defend one’s ego and just anger that acts on behalf of injustice?
6. Can you take hold of your unjust anger own the responsibility and turn it over? Read Ephesians 4:25-27.
7. Pastor Steve’s challenge is for each of us to own our anger and challenge emotional ownership in others. What happens if we take ownership of self and turn over ownership to God? Read John 3:30.

FOR THE INDIVIDUAL: Take Away

The Good and Beautiful Life:

- ...TGABL is a life lived without unjust anger
- ...in TGABL, just anger, acts for justice. Just anger is about principled issues not personal egos.
- ...in TGABL you take responsibility for your emotional ownership of unjust anger.
- ... in TGABL you turn ownership of yourself over to God’s ownership and – He becomes greater than i
- ...living in TGABL it’s always 3:30