

Sermon series: Fight for Joy!

Text: Matthew 5:21-26

Big Idea: The battle against anger is won by treasuring the grace & trusting the justice of God.

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Joy vs Anger

The Shape of Anger:

- Anger is _____ in its expressions.

A Warning about Anger:

- You will be _____ for your anger.

The Roots of Anger:

- Anger is rooted in our love for _____.
- Sinful anger is rooted in our _____ view of _____.
- We get angry when our _____ are threatened.

The Fight against Anger:

- Our aim is not to _____ or _____
but _____ anger.
- Remember, we have a _____.
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Citizens of God's Kingdom are _____, not _____.

Follow-Up Questions:

- Where do you see expressions of anger in society & yourself?

- When is it good to be angry?

- Why is anger so deadly?

- What made you angry this week?

- Was it right for you to be angry? Explain.

- Why does it feel good to be angry?

- How does believing the gospel help us avoid the danger of sinful anger?