

Good and Mad

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Matthew 5:2–26

Introduction

- A holy obsession
- Conflict, peacemaking, forgiveness

Our God is obsessed with reconciliation done in a right and timely manner

1. The Lord desires peace where I am the aggressor. 21–22

- anger when it is not sin (cf. Eph. 4:26)
- anger and it's very root
- anger and it's escalation

2. The Lord desires peace when I fail to initiate restoration. 23–26
(again, an issue of right and timely)

- before you worship
- before you go to court

Our God desires to be at peace with us.

"God was reconciling the world to himself through Christ" 2 Cor 5:19

Are you at peace with God?

Read for next week: Akron–Matthew 18:21–35
Green–Proverbs 26:20–28