

## WHY ARE PEOPLE EVIL AND INSANE?

### Herod and the little Children of Bethlehem

**Ecclesiastes 9:3** The hearts of the sons of men are full of evil and insanity is in their hearts throughout their lives.

**Romans 3:10-12** as it is written, “THERE IS NONE RIGHTEOUS, NOT EVEN ONE;

THERE IS NONE WHO UNDERSTANDS,

THERE IS NONE WHO SEEKS FOR GOD;

ALL HAVE TURNED ASIDE,

TOGETHER THEY HAVE BECOME USELESS;

THERE IS NONE WHO DOES GOOD,

THERE IS NOT EVEN ONE.”

**Romans 13:4** It {Human government} is a minister of God to you for good.

But if you do what is evil, be afraid; for it does not bear the sword for nothing;

for it is a minister of God, an avenger who brings wrath on the one who practices evil.

**Genesis 1:27** God created man in His own image, in the image of God He created him; male and female He created them.

**Ecclesiastes 8:11** Because the sentence against an evil deed is not executed quickly, therefore the hearts of the sons of men among them are given fully to do evil

**1 Timothy 4:2** ... the hypocrisy of liars seared in their own conscience as with a branding iron

**Romans 2:15** ... their conscience bearing witness and their thoughts alternately accusing or else defending them

**Ephesians 4:24** ~~and put on the new self, which in the likeness of God has been created in righteousness and holiness of the truth.~~

**Put on the new self which has been created exactly in the likeness of God, righteous and holy.**

**2 Corinthians 5:14** The love of Christ controls us

**1 John 4:18** There is no fear in love; but ~~perfect~~ **perfecting** love casts out fear,

because fear involves punishment,

and the one who fears is not **being** perfected in love.

**Psalm 111:10** The fear of the LORD is the beginning of wisdom;

**1 Peter 2:2-3** like newborn babies, long for the pure milk of the word, so that by it you may grow in respect to salvation,  
if you have tasted the kindness of the Lord.

**1 Timothy 1:9** realizing the fact that law is not made for a righteous person, but for those who are lawless and rebellious, for the ungodly  
and sinners, for the unholy and profane, for those who kill their fathers or mothers, for murderers

**1 John 3:2** Beloved, now we are ~~children~~ **sons and daughters** of God, and it has not appeared as yet what we will be.

We know that when He appears, we will be like Him,

because we will see Him just as He is.

**3** And everyone who has this hope ~~fixed~~ on Him purifies himself, just as He is pure.

**2 Corinthians 3:18** But we all, with unveiled face, beholding as in a mirror the glory of the Lord, are being transformed  
into the same image from glory to glory, just as from the Lord, the Spirit