



When Anger Meets Chaos

Icebreaker Question

Did the events of the breach of the US Capitol last week have any affect on you? If so, how?

Watch the Sermon Summary Video Clip

Key Teaching Points & Scriptures

John 19:1-16

Decide to be on the right side of HIS story.

Ask yourself if Jesus would do it this way.

Speak the truth in love. But listen and learn before you speak.

James 1 (NIV)

19 My dear brothers and sisters, take note of this: Everyone should be quick to listen, slow to speak and slow to become angry.

If your hope is built on anything else than King Jesus, that hope will crumble and fall every time.

Next Step:

Come follow Jesus
and

let's storm the gates of hell with His gospel, His love, and humble service to others.

Discussion Questions

What is the most important think you needed to hear personally from this teaching?

In what ways do the climate and the actions surrounding the trial and crucifixion of Jesus resemble America today?

In what ways have you seen Christians use their words for good in the past week? In what ways have you seen Christians hurt God's Kingdom work with their words in the past week?

What advice would you give Christians right now in the wake of what happened at The Capitol last week?

In what ways have you sometimes "misplaced your hope" in something or someone other than King Jesus?

What are some practical things followers of Jesus can do right now to truly make a difference for Christ's Kingdom right where we live?

What do you think you could do personally this week to "storm the gates of Hell?"

Pray

As you close your discussion time in prayer, consider saying these things to the Father...

- Father, You alone are King and Master of the universe.
- Father, forgive me for putting my hope in other things and other people when I should be keeping it fixed on You.
- Father, help me to be quick to listen, slow to speak, and slow to anger.
- Father, according to your Word, we pray for all our nation's leaders. They hold the positions they have because you have established it to be so. May they look to you for wisdom and direction as they govern.
- Father, call on all your children to humble themselves and seek your face once again.
- Father, call on all your children to fight for your eternal Kingdom once again.
- Father, use my words and my actions to point someone to You, our Living Hope, this week.