

**Kingdom Living**  
**Overcoming Anger**

Matthew 5:21-26



I challenge you today: \_\_\_\_\_

**I. The \_\_\_\_\_ of the Kingdom of God (Matthew 5:21,22).**

1. \_\_\_\_\_ of where \_\_\_\_\_ can \_\_\_\_\_.

2. \_\_\_\_\_ is \_\_\_\_\_ than anger.

**II. The \_\_\_\_\_ of the Kingdom of God (Matthew 5:23,24).**

1. \_\_\_\_\_.

**III. The \_\_\_\_\_ of the Kingdom of God (Matthew 5:25,26).**

1. What \_\_\_\_\_?

Questions for more in-depth study  
Read through Matthew 5:21-26

1. As you look at the political, social, educational, worldly affairs landscape what makes you angry?
2. Read Isaiah 5:20, Jeremiah 17:9. Based on these verses what should we expect on how the world will act? What is the role of the church even though the world is going in the wrong direction?
3. Look at the main challenge and read John 14:27. How is knowing God's peace a way to live without anger overwhelming you?
4. Look at main point 1. What would you say is the heart of the Kingdom of God? How can anger work against the will of God?
5. How is anger and contempt the same as murder? What is Jesus demonstrating when talking about calling someone a fool?
6. Look at main point 2. How is what Jesus is saying in this passage (5:21-26) similar to what he will say in 5:38-42?
7. How is righteousness expressed in reconciliation? Read Romans 5:8.
8. Look at main point 3. How does God initiate love for us? How does God treat us, even though we are hostile to him?
9. Read 2 Corinthians 10:1-6. Do you have a desire for revenge against someone? Explain. What is God asking of you to do to get rid of that?