

104 (A) The 5th seal. A question of hope, or revenge.

So, today the scripture that we will test & prove here, I have heard preached by many men, from many different denominations, who teach a message of a possible calling of revenge, or vengeance, from saints of God, as if this were acceptable to God? Now with what God showed me, when I asked Him to help me test & prove all things, I would say there is no way that the “beliefs” that I was taught by men, on this subject, could truly be validated by scripture?

The message in question was taught on the opening of the 5th, of the 7 seals of Revelation 6:9-11 (1599 Geneva), which reads as follows;

When the Lamb broke the fifth seal, I saw underneath the altar the souls of those who had been killed because of the word of God & of their testimony & they cried out with a loud voice, saying, “How long, O Lord, holy & true, will You refrain from judging & avenging our blood on those who live on the earth?” a white robe was given to each of them & they were told that they were to rest a little while longer, until the number of their fellow servants who were to be killed as they had been, was completed.

Now if you read this passage without knowing the nature of God & the message of Christ & without taking time to test & prove it, then yes you may see some saints souls, asking Jesus to avenge their deaths.

But if you know God’s nature & know Christ & understand that these souls, are saved believers, who are at rest & who received white robes of righteousness, then you should question, test & prove this question of vengeance? Which fully goes against what God claims about forgiveness & what Jesus taught about loving even those who hate you, leading one to see that if these martyrs were of God & Christ, wouldn’t they love all & want to see all saved, including those that harmed them, as we are commanded to forgive all, including those that have harmed us, just as Christ forgave us, as He came for the lost & does not want any to perish, through paying for their own sins, but would pray for them to repent & accept His payment for their eternal spirit, to be with Him, just as we did & are.

So when we study this passage, with the mind of Christ & the many resources available, to understand what is truly being asked? you may just find, as God

showed me, that these slain Martyrs, who asked, when will we be avenged, were not in fact asking to be avenged, as that would be against what God & Christ stand for, but they did know that Christ was truthful & knew that in the end times, that the final signs would include that He would be judging all people & knew that once this judgement was over, that no more would have to die & that they would be together again with Christ & all believers on the new earth for an eternity of peace & this is the day they truly longed for.

So in effect, what they were asking, in the form of a parable, to be understood by those willing to search & prove Gods word, was when will we be raised up to properly worship God face to face throughout eternity. They weren't asking for vengeance, yet they knew God's vengeance, according to His truthful word, would come prior to the new heavens & earth, that they waited on.

Now you can test this verse against scripture itself, to see if it would make sense to believe, that any saints of God would call for revenge, or vengeance against any of God's people, especially seeing they were forgiven of their sins & in the peace of the afterlife, at rest, with the full mind & love of Christ leading them? If you truly stand with an infallible God's truths, over fallible men's beliefs, then take this idea up with God, your pastor, or group.