

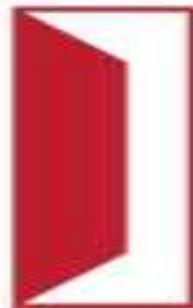
Rom 1:20

For since the creation of the world
God's *invisible qualities* — his *eternal
power* and *divine nature* — have been
clearly seen, being understood from
what has been made...

GO DEEPER WITH GOD

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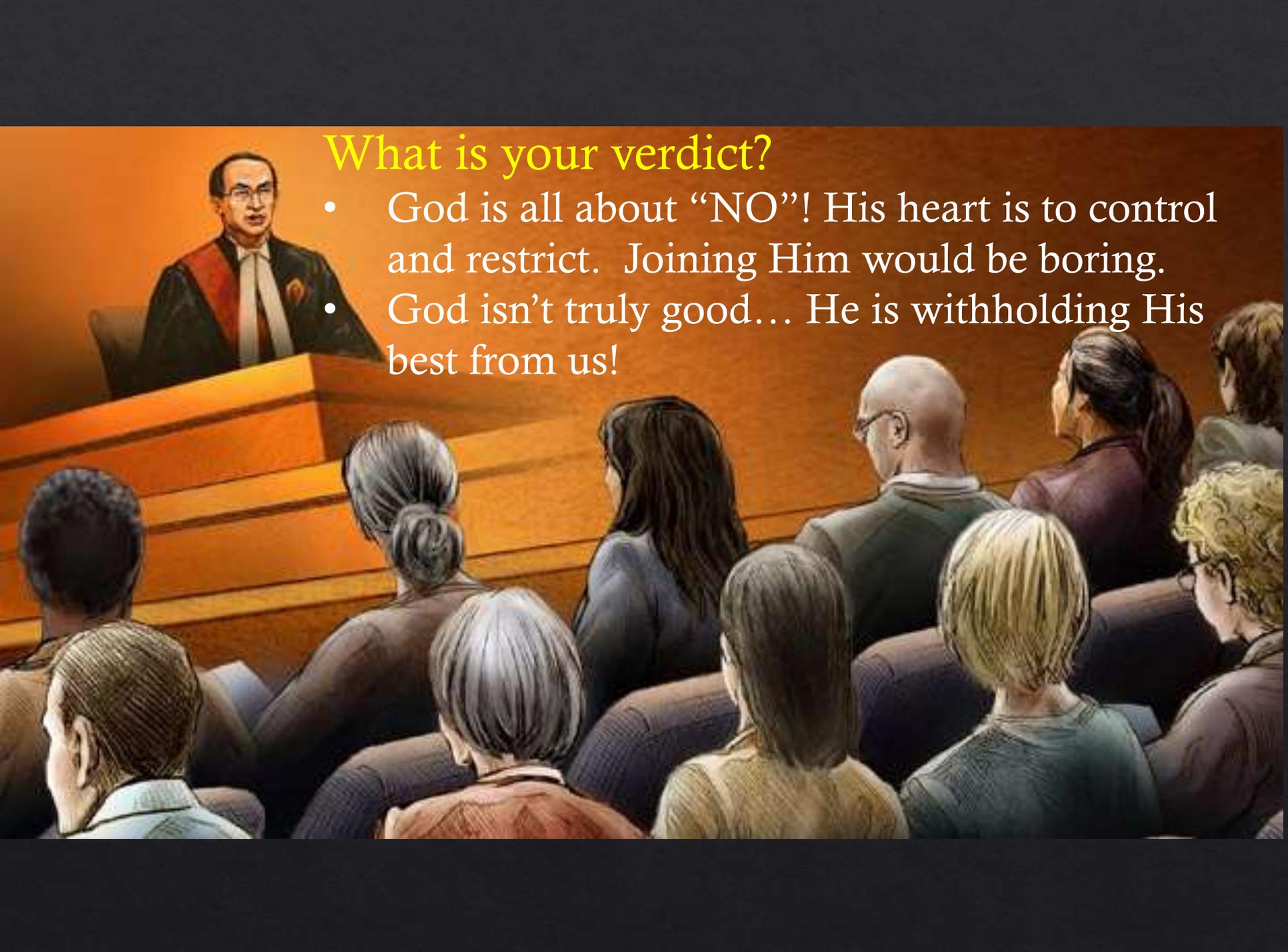
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A man in a dark suit, white shirt, and tie, wearing glasses, stands at a wooden podium. He is speaking to an audience of diverse people seated in front of him. The background is a warm, orange-brown color.

What is your verdict?

- God is all about “NO”! His heart is to control and restrict. Joining Him would be boring.
- God isn't truly good... He is withholding His best from us!



Heb 10:19-22

Therefore, brothers, since we have confidence to enter the Most Holy Place by the blood of Jesus, by a new and living way opened for us through the curtain, that is, his body, and since we have a great priest over the house of God, let us **draw near** to God

What is God really like?





God is not “nice”, God is not an uncle, God is an earthquake!

Abraham Heschell

Why do we people in churches seem like cheerful, brainless tourists, taking a guided tour of the absolute? Does anyone have the foggiest idea what sort of power we so blithely invoke?”

Annie Dillard



Gen 12:1

The Lord had said to Abram, "Leave your country, your people and your father's household and go to the land I will show you.

Ex 3:10-11

So now, go. I am sending you to Pharaoh to bring my people the Israelites out of Egypt." But Moses said to God, "Who am I, that I should go?"

Gen 3:15

And I will put enmity
between you and the woman,
and between your offspring and hers;
he will crush your head,
and you will strike his heel."

Rev 19:20-21

But the beast was captured, and with him the false prophet who had performed the miraculous signs on his behalf. With these signs he had deluded those who had received the mark of the beast and worshiped his image. The two of them were thrown alive into the fiery lake of burning sulfur.

Luke 13:14-17

"There are six days for work. So come and be healed on those days, not on the Sabbath."

The Lord answered him, "**You hypocrites!** Doesn't each of you on the Sabbath untie his ox or donkey from the stall and lead it out to give it water? Then should not this woman, a daughter of Abraham, whom Satan has kept bound for eighteen long years, be set free on the Sabbath day from what bound her?" When he said this, all his opponents were humiliated...

Matt 23:33-34

"You snakes! You brood of vipers! How will you escape being condemned to hell?"

Matt 10:34-35

"Do not suppose that I have come to bring peace to the earth. I did not come to bring peace, but a sword.

Rev 19:11-15

I saw heaven standing open and there before me was a white horse, whose rider is called Faithful and True. With justice he judges and makes war. His eyes are like blazing fire, and on his head are many crowns. He has a name written on him that no one knows but he himself. He is dressed in a robe dipped in blood, and his name is the Word of God. The armies of heaven were following him, riding on white horses and dressed in fine linen, white and clean. Out of his mouth comes a sharp sword with which to strike down the nations.



Mark 1:40-42

A man with leprosy came to him and begged him on his knees, "If you are willing, you can make me clean."

Filled with compassion, Jesus reached out his hand and touched the man. "I am willing," he said. "Be clean!" Immediately the leprosy left him and he was cured.



John 15:13-14

Greater love has no one than this, that he lay down his life for his friends. You are my friends if you do what I command.

Matt 15:8

'These people honor me with their lips,
but their hearts are far from me.

Jer 2:13

My people have committed two sins:

They have forsaken me,

the spring of living water,

and have dug their own cisterns,

broken cisterns that cannot hold water.

Gen 3:16

To the woman he said,

"I will greatly increase your pains in childbearing;
with pain you will give birth to children.

Your desire will be for your husband,
and he will rule over you."

Gen 3:17-19

"Cursed is the ground because of you;
through painful toil you will eat of it
all the days of your life.

18 It will produce thorns and thistles for you,
and you will eat the plants of the field.

19 By the sweat of your brow
you will eat your food