

## The Accursed

Who are in this category of individuals who are lost now and will suffer eternal torment in the future?

## Definition of Accursed

anathema

### Thayer Definition:

- 1) a thing set up or laid by in order to be kept
  - 1a) specifically, an offering resulting from a vow, which after being consecrated to a god was hung upon the walls or columns of the temple, or put in some other conspicuous place

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2) a thing devoted to God without hope of being redeemed, and if an animal, to be slain; therefore a person or thing doomed to destruction

- 2a) a curse
- 2b) a man accursed, devoted to the direst of woes

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2. katara (G2671), kata, "down," intensive, and No. 1, denotes an "execration, imprecation, curse," uttered out of malevolence, ...or pronounced by God in His righteous judgment, as upon a land doomed to barrenness, Heb 6:8; upon those who seek for justification by obedience, in part or completely, to the Law, Gal 3:10, Gal 3:13; --Vine's complete Expository Dictionary of New Testament Words

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## Immoral ungodly greedy false teachers

2Pe 2:1 But false prophets also arose among the people, just as there will also be false teachers among you, who will secretly introduce destructive heresies, even denying the Master who bought them, bringing swift destruction upon themselves.

2Pe 2:2 Many will follow their sensuality, and because of them the way of the truth will be maligned;

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2Pe 2:3 and in their greed they will exploit you with false words; their judgment from long ago is not idle, and their destruction is not asleep.

2Pe 2:14 having eyes full of adultery that never cease from sin, enticing unstable souls, having a heart trained in greed, accursed children;

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## Those who do not love (phileo) the Lord

1Co 16:22 If anyone does not love the Lord, he is to be accursed. Maranatha.

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## We must also love (agapao) God

Mar 12:28 One of the scribes came and heard them arguing, and recognizing that He had answered them well, asked Him, "What commandment is the foremost of all?"

Mar 12:29 Jesus answered, "The foremost is, 'HEAR, O ISRAEL! THE LORD OUR GOD IS ONE LORD';

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## We must also love (agapao) God

Mar 12:30 AND YOU SHALL LOVE THE LORD YOUR GOD WITH ALL YOUR HEART, AND WITH ALL YOUR SOUL, AND WITH ALL YOUR MIND, AND WITH ALL YOUR STRENGTH.'

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## Agapao and phileo

- Agapao refers to the highest form of love, unselfishly serving others even if they do not deserve it, a choice of our mind and will, expressed toward God in obedience to His commandments
- Phileo means displaying warm affection and close friendship leading to a deep unwavering devotion
- If we do not have even the lower form of love, phileo, how can we ever have the higher form of love, agapao?

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## Agapao and phileo

Rom 5:6 For while we were still helpless, at the right time Christ died for the ungodly.

Rom 5:7 For one will hardly die for a righteous man; though perhaps for the good man someone would dare even to die.

Rom 5:8 But God demonstrates His own love toward us, in that while we were yet sinners, Christ died for us.

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## Agapao and phileo

1Jn 5:3 For this is the love of God, that we keep His commandments; and His commandments are not burdensome.

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## Agapao and phileo

Mat 10:37 "He who loves father or mother more than Me is not worthy of Me; and he who loves son or daughter more than Me is not worthy of Me.

Joh 12:25 "He who loves his life loses it, and he who hates his life in this world will keep it to life eternal.

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## Those who preach a different gospel

Gal 1:6 I am amazed that you are so quickly deserting Him who called you by the grace of Christ, for a different gospel;

Gal 1:7 which is really not another; only there are some who are disturbing you and want to distort the gospel of Christ.

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## Those who preach a different gospel

Gal 1:8 But even if we, or an angel from heaven, should preach to you a gospel contrary to what we have preached to you, he is to be accursed!

Gal 1:9 As we have said before, so I say again now, if any man is preaching to you a gospel contrary to what you received, he is to be accursed!

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## Those who preach a different gospel

Gal 4:9 But now that you have come to know God, or rather to be known by God, how is it that you turn back again to the weak and worthless elemental things, to which you desire to be enslaved all over again?

Gal 4:10 You observe days and months and seasons and years.

Gal 4:11 I fear for you, that perhaps I have labored over you in vain.

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## Those who preach a different gospel

Gal 5:3 And I testify again to every man who receives circumcision, that he is under obligation to keep the whole Law.

Gal 5:4 You have been severed from Christ, you who are seeking to be justified by law; you have fallen from grace.

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## Those who preach a different gospel

Jas 1:25 But one who looks intently at the perfect law, the law of liberty, and abides by it, not having become a forgetful hearer but an effectual doer, this man will be blessed in what he does.

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## Those who preach a different gospel

Rev 22:18 I testify to everyone who hears the words of the prophecy of this book: if anyone adds to them, God will add to him the plagues which are written in this book;  
Rev 22:19 and if anyone takes away from the words of the book of this prophecy, God will take away his part from the tree of life and from the holy city, which are written in this book.

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## Those who do not love their brethren

Mat 25:41 "Then He will also say to those on His left, 'Depart from Me, accursed ones, into the eternal fire which has been prepared for the devil and his angels;  
Mat 25:42 for I was hungry, and you gave Me nothing to eat; I was thirsty, and you gave Me nothing to drink;

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Mat 25:43 I was a stranger, and you did not invite Me in; naked, and you did not clothe Me; sick, and in prison, and you did not visit Me.'  
Mat 25:44 "Then they themselves also will answer, 'Lord, when did we see You hungry, or thirsty, or a stranger, or naked, or sick, or in prison, and did not take care of You?'

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## Those who do not love their brethren

Mat 25:45 "Then He will answer them, 'Truly I say to you, to the extent that you did not do it to one of the least of these, you did not do it to Me.'  
Mat 25:46 "These will go away into eternal punishment, but the righteous into eternal life."

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## Those who do not love their brethren

1Jn 3:14 We know that we have passed out of death into life, because we love the brethren. He who does not love abides in death.  
1Jn 3:15 Everyone who hates his brother is a murderer; and you know that no murderer has eternal life abiding in him.

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## Those who do not love their brethren

1Jn 3:16 We know love by this, that He laid down His life for us; and we ought to lay down our lives for the brethren.  
1Jn 3:17 But whoever has the world's goods, and sees his brother in need and closes his heart against him, how does the love of God abide in him?  
1Jn 3:18 Little children, let us not love with word or with tongue, but in deed and truth.

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## Those who do not love their brethren

1Jn 4:7 Beloved, let us love one another, for love is from God; and everyone who loves is born of God and knows God.

1Jn 4:8 The one who does not love does not know God, for God is love.

1Jn 4:9 By this the love of God was manifested in us, that God has sent His only begotten Son into the world so that we might live through Him.

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## Those who do not love their brethren

1Jn 4:10 In this is love, not that we loved God, but that He loved us and sent His Son to be the propitiation for our sins.

1Jn 4:11 Beloved, if God so loved us, we also ought to love one another.

1Jn 4:12 No one has seen God at any time; if we love one another, God abides in us, and His love is perfected in us.

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