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"LIFT UP YOUR EYES, AND LOOK ON THE FIELDS; FOR THEY ARE WHITE ALREADY TO HARVEST." — JOHN 4:35

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The World in Sin--Part 1

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Text: "For the wrath of God is revealed from heaven against all ungodliness and unrighteousness of men, who hold the truth in unrighteousness".

. . . and a pleasant greeting indeed to each and every listener of THE MISSION TRAIL broadcast. We hope that you make it a regular habit to hear the message brought to you over this station each week at this same time. It is our sincere desire to honor Christ and preach the truth which will be a comfort and a blessing to the believer and a warning to the unsaved. The Apostle Paul said, "For I am not ashamed of the gospel of Christ; for it is the power of God unto salvation to every one that believeth;" Now in case you don't believe you positively cannot be saved, for we read again, "for he that cometh to God must believe that he is, and that is a rewarder of them that diligently seek him."

Now let us go quickly to our text and should I not finish with what is on my heart, I want to continue the message right on into the weeks ahead. Here it is: "For the wrath of God is revealed from heaven against all ungodliness and unrighteousness of men, who hold the truth in unrighteousness". I invite everyone to stay tuned for the next few moments while I declare to you that God is concerned about the condition of a world in sin. But be reminded of this scripture, "Because sentence against an evil work is not executed speedily, therefore the heart of the sons of men is fully set in them to do evil." Eccl. 8:11

We may as well face up to it, the moral and spiritual tide of the world today is at a rather low ebb. Spirituality seems to be declining, immorality and wickedness is abounding. In other words, we come in contact with some rather

strong forces. But on the other hand, listen to how this scripture describes the word of the Lord, I quote, "Is not my word like as a fire? saith the Lord; and like a hammer that breaketh the rock in pieces?" So that is what we are expecting the word of the Lord to do. It will save the believer and condemn the unjust in the day of judgment.

Now look what has happened, is presently happening, and is going to happen to the wicked. First notice carefully that my text is taken from the 1st chapter of Romans and verse 18 and my comments will be directed along the remaining verses in this chapter. Verse 20 says, "For the invisible things of him from the creation of the world are clearly seen, being understood by the things that are made, even his eternal power and Godhead, so that they are without excuse." If one wants to understand the beauties of the invisible

