First Be Reconciled To Your Brother

Matthew 5:21-26

Key Verse 24

*“24 leave your gift there before the altar and go. First be reconciled to your brother, and then come and offer your gift.”*

V.21-22

1. How does Jesus expand on the commandment: You shall not murder?
2. What does it mean to be liable to judgment, council, and the hell of fire?
3. How can we escape liability and judgment? ([James 2:12-13](https://www.biblegateway.com/passage/?search=James+2%3A12-13&version=ESV))

V.23-24

1. If you are angry with your brother, will you be able to have fellowship with God and make offerings? Why or why not? ([Gen 4:3-7](https://www.biblegateway.com/passage/?search=Gen+4%3A3-7&version=ESV))
2. What does God truly desire of us? ([Hosea 6:6](https://www.biblegateway.com/passage/?search=Hosea+6%3A6&version=ESV))
3. How can we reconcile with our brothers/sisters? ([2 Corinthians 5:18-21](https://www.biblegateway.com/passage/?search=2+Corinthians+5%3A18-21&version=ESV))

V.25-26

1. Why should we come to terms quickly with those whom we are angry with?
2. Will we be able to have fellowship with God if we are thrown in prison?([Matthew 18:32-35](https://www.biblegateway.com/passage/?search=Matthew%2018%3A32-35&version=ESV))
3. How can we get out of prison?