

I. Coronavirus: Is This A Time To Repent?

- **Summary:** People who are dying from the coronavirus are not worse sinners, but Jesus did say that unless we repent, we too will perish. Living a life of repentance keeps us safe.
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1. Now on the same occasion there were some present who reported to Him about the Galileans whose blood Pilate had mixed with their sacrifices. And Jesus said to them, **"Do you suppose that these Galileans were greater sinners than all other Galileans because they suffered this fate? "I tell you, no, but unless you repent, you will all likewise perish. "Or do you suppose that those eighteen on whom the tower in Siloam fell and killed them were worse culprits than all the men who live in Jerusalem? "I tell you, no, but unless you repent, you will all likewise perish."** And He began telling this parable: "A man had a fig tree which had been planted in his vineyard; and he came looking for fruit on it and did not find any. "And he said to the vineyard-keeper, 'Behold, **for three years I have come looking for fruit on this fig tree without finding any. Cut it down!** Why does it even use up the ground?' "And he answered and said to him, 'Let it alone, sir, for this year too, until I dig around it and put in fertilizer; and if it bears fruit next year, fine; but if not, cut it down.'" - Luke 13:1-9 NASU

2. Personal Repentance

- a. Opens our ears
- b. Opens our eyes
- c. Softens our heart
- d. So that our perception and feet are ordered properly

3. If someone dies of coronavirus does that mean they had unrepentant sin in their life?

- a. Other reasons people die
 - i. Fallen World
 - ii. People are destroyed for lack of knowledge, ignorance
 - iii. First responders who have laid down their lives
 - iv. Other reasons

4. How do we respond to those who do get sick?

- a. Be Job's friends the first week, not the second week
- b. Intercession for your neighbors, city, state, and federal
- c. Let there be light! Jesus is that light.