

# His Dreadful Threatenings!

by Thomas Brooks

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*The sermon emphasizes the consequences of sin and the faithfulness of God in punishing sinners according to His threatenings.*

**Scripture:** Deuteronomy 32:41, Psalm 94:23, Ezekiel 7:9, Romans 1:32, Romans 6:23

**Topics:** "God's Justice", "Sin and Judgment"

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## Description

Thomas Brooks emphasizes the inseparable connection between sin and its consequences, asserting that the wages of sin is death as stated in Romans 6:23. He argues that a just and righteous God cannot allow sin to go unpunished, and His threatenings against sin are as certain as His promises. Brooks highlights that God's faithfulness demands the execution of His judgments, reminding us that every sinner is deserving of death and that God's laws will be upheld. He warns that God will not show pity to the wicked but will repay them according to their deeds, reinforcing the seriousness of sin and the reality of divine judgment.

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## Transcript

Sin and sorrow, iniquity and misery--always

go hand in hand.

"The wages of sin is death," Romans 6:23. Every sinner is worthy of death. "Those who do such things deserve death," Romans 1:32. If God is a just and righteous God, then sin cannot absolutely escape unpunished; for it is but "a just and righteous thing with God"--to punish the sinner who is worthy of punishment. As God must be just--so He must be faithful. And if He must be faithful--then He must

carry out His threatenings against sin and sinners!

Look! As there is not a promise of God but shall surely take place; just so, there is not a threatening of God but shall surely take place. The faithfulness of God, and the honor of God, are as much concerned in making good of His dreadful threatenings--as they are concerned in making good of His precious promises. God has given it from His own mouth, that:

"He will by no means clear the guilty;"

"the soul that sins, shall surely die;"

"the wickedness of the wicked shall be upon him;"

"He will render to every man according to his deeds."

Will God abrogate His own laws--or will He dare men to sport and play with His threatenings? Will not every wise and prudent king look to the execution of their own laws? And shall not that God, who is wonderful in wisdom, and whose understanding is infinite--see all that all His laws are put in execution against offenders? Surely yes!

"He will repay them for their sins and destroy them for their wickedness; the LORD our God will destroy them!" Psalm 94:23

"I will not look on you with pity or spare you; I will repay you in accordance with your conduct and the detestable practices among you. Then you will know that it is I the LORD who strikes the blow!" Ezek. 7:9

"When I sharpen My flashing sword and My hand grasps it in judgment, I will take vengeance on My adversaries

and repay those who hate Me." Deuteronomy 32:41

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