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## **Visions of God**

Vision of Locusts - v. 1-3

Vision of Fire - v. 4-6

## 1. Sovereign Lord who is Serious about Sin

## 2. Sovereign God who is Ready to Relent

Genesis 18

2 Samuel 24

Exodus 34

Exodus 17:8-13

## **Praxis**

- 1. "Movies are more captivating, but books can be more accurate" Do you think this is so? Why or why not?
- 2. Did you ever have a teacher who kept repeating themselves? Why was it annoying? How was it helpful? Consider 2 Peter 1:12-15
- 3. What is the difference between "God changing" and "God changing His mind about a particular action"?
- 4. How might Solomon's counsel in Eccl 5:1-2 assist our prayers? How might this counsel be over-applied?
- 5. How will the vision of God directly responding to Amos' prayer affect how you pray? What you pray?
- 6. Thought Question: Consider Numb 23:19, 1 Sam 15:29, Ezek 24:14 where God is said to "not change His mind." How are these passages not a contradiction with the times that He does change His mind? (hint: consider context)