

## What does every sin deserve?

...“CURSED IS EVERYONE WHO DOES NOT ABIDE BY ALL THINGS WRITTEN IN THE BOOK OF THE LAW, TO PERFORM THEM” (NASB; Gal. 3:10b).

“Then He will also say to those on His left, ‘Depart from Me, accursed ones, into the eternal fire which has been prepared for the devil and his angels’” (NASB; Matthew 25:41).

For whoever keeps the whole law and yet stumbles in one *point*, he has become guilty of all (NASB; James 2:10).

# Every sin deserves God's wrath and curse, both in this life, and that which is to come.

*(Westminster Shorter Catechism, Q. 84)*

*Although every sin deserves God's wrath and curse, it may now be proper to remark . . . there never has been, since the fall of our first parents, an individual . . . of whom it could be said, after he became capable of moral action, that he had committed but one sin. The penalty of the divine law, therefore, will in fact be inflicted only on those whose sins are multitudinous (Ashbel Green, Lectures on the Shorter Catechism).*

