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Jealousy and presumptuousness

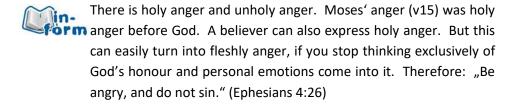


In chapter 12 you read about Miriam's and Aaron's envy. Today you learn where jealousy leads to. Korah, Dathan and Abiram are dissatisfied with their tasks. Korah is a Kohathite and therefore has one of the noblest tasks anyway. But he wants to be a priest. It seems that Dathan and Abiram are envious of the position of Moses. They all rebel against Moses and Aaron, and in so doing, against God. As opposed to Miriam and Aaron, they don't repent. Because of that, they can be certain of their destruction.

It may happen to you that you envy someone because of their abilities or their position. If that's the case, confess your guilt.



- 69. What does it mean when Korah and his followers say that the whole congregation is holy (v3)? Think back on chapter 3!
- 70. What happens to the sons of Korah? Clue: You won't find the answer in today's passage.





If envy arises in your heart, make sure you are aware of it and confess this sin!

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