

# ***Repent!***

**Mt 11:20-21** “Woe...!” *did not repent!*

**Ac 17:30-31** “**ALL EVERYWHERE**” - *judgment!*

**Ac 2:38 ... Ac 8:22** - *to be forgiven!*

## “Repent”? - *English definition*

1. To **feel remorse, contrition, or self-reproach** for what one has done or failed to do; be contrite.
2. To feel such regret for past conduct as to **change one’s mind** regarding it ...
3. To **make a change** for the better as a result of **remorse or contrition for one’s sins.**

*American Heritage Dictionary, Third Edition*

#1 *leads to* #2; #3 *result of* #1,#2

**2Co 7:9-10; Ac 26:20**

**“Repent”?** - *Contextually defined*

**1Ki 8:47-48** *“repent ... return to You with all their heart and with all their soul”*

**Rev 9:20-21** *“did NOT repent ... so as NOT to ...”*

*Repentance toward God = CHANGE OF HEART  
towards God wherein one's WILL is to do GOD'S  
WILL*

# “Repent”

1Ki 8:47 *“come to their senses”* NRSV **Think!**

Lk 15:17 *“came to his senses”*

Rom 2:4 *“kindness of God”*

Ac 3:18-19; Ps 107

2Co 7:9-11 *godly (reverence tow. God) sorrow*

Ac 3:18-19; Ps 107 (whole chp. vv1...43)

Jonah 3:4-5 *fear of consequences*

Rom 2:5; Rev 2:16

# “Repent” →

Mt 12:41 ... Jonah 3:5-10 - Nineveh

Lk 15:17-21 - prodigal son

Rev 9:20-21 - “so as NOT to”

Rev 16:9 - “so as TO”

Lk 3:7-14

**Ac 2:38 ... Ac 8:22**