

Series: Conversations with an Atheist
Theme: Difficult Bible Passages
Scripture: Psalm 137:9
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- † *There are many _____ passages in the Bible. For example:*
- *Jesus cursing the fig tree (Matthew 21:19)*
 - *The adultery of David (2 Samuel 23:34ff)*
 - *The story of Elisha calling bears out of the forest to devour the youth who were mocking him. (2 Kings 2:23ff)*
 - *But perhaps the _____ difficult is this one...*
- † *Psalm 137:9 _____ is he who seizes your infants and _____ them against the _____.*
- *Context- This Psalm was written while the Israelites were in captivity after having been brutally overthrown by the Edomites.*
- † *Was it wrong for the Jews to cry out for “_____”?*
- *According to Jewish Law, no.*
 - *“And eye for an eye and a tooth for a tooth” (Exodus 21:23ff)*
- † *Surely God has an answer to this never ending need for _____...*
- *He does, and his name is _____!*
- † *Holding the Word of _____ up to the Light of _____ is not dangerous.*
- *In fact, it’s necessary if God is to receive the praise and worship he _____!*