

Pandemic (adj.)

1660s, from Late Latin *pandemus*, from Greek *pandemos* "pertaining to all people; public, common," from *pan-* "all" (see *pan-*) + *dēmos* "people" (see *demotic*). Modeled on *epidemic*. The noun is first recorded 1853, from the adjective.

- Viruses can infect every known living thing. **(So does sin)**
- Viruses don't have the machinery to make copies of themselves. Instead, they trick your cells into becoming virus-making machines for them. **(So does sin, it tricks and deceives)**
- Step one is to get inside a cell. Viruses enter the cell by tricking it into thinking it is something else that the cell needs. On the cell surface, there are sensors called receptors with shapes that fit with the shape of nutrients. When a matching receptor and nutrient lock together, the cell pulls them both inside. **(So does sin, it pulls you in)**
- A virus uses camouflage to trick the cell. Its capsid or receptor proteins look like nutrients the cell needs. When the virus receptor binds to the cell receptor, the cell thinks the virus is a nutrient, and pulls it in. Now the cell is infected! **(So does sin, it tricks you and the lusts thereof pull you in and trick you into thinking you need them; and then you're infected!)**

Rabies – mortality rate 100 per cent if unvaccinated. It destroys the brain.

Sin – mortality rate 100% without Salvation.

Around 55,000 people die annually of rabies; 95 per cent of those cases are reported in Asia and Africa.

## The Pandemic of Sin

### Mark 2:17

When Jesus heard *it*, he saith unto them, **They that are whole have no need of the physician, but they that are sick: I came not to call the righteous, but sinners to repentance.**

THE PANDEMIC OF SIN – With almost 8 billion people in the world; the following estimate is made concerning the death rate and number of people dying with the virus of sin and going to Hell. The average life expectancy of a person is estimated to be around 70 years of age. 8,000,000,000 divided by 70 equals 114,285,714. This means that 114,000,000 people, on average, die every year. If we divide 114,285,714 by 365 days in a year, this means that an average of 313,111 people are dying every day in this world. If you do the math with our given factors, 217 people die every minute somewhere in the world. That's 3.6 deaths every second, of every minute, of every hour, of every day! Deaths resulting from crime, war, disaster, sickness, injury, poison, disease and starvation are seldom heard of from other countries. [https://www.jesus-is-savior.com/billions\\_of\\_people\\_going\\_to\\_hell.htm](https://www.jesus-is-savior.com/billions_of_people_going_to_hell.htm)  
By the above estimates 313,111 people die every day in the world; most of those die in their sins for we are told in the word of God that there are few that enter in through the narrow gate

**Matthew 7:13** Enter ye in at the strait gate: for wide *is* the gate, and broad *is* the way, that leadeth to destruction, and many there be which go in thereat: **14** Because strait *is* the gate, and narrow *is* the way, which leadeth unto life, and few there be that find it.

If we take an estimate that 10% of those that die every day enter in through the strait gate that will leave 281,800 people a day that die infected with the sin virus. 313,111 people die/day minus 10% that are saved leaves 281,800 lost souls a day to perish in Hell.

Like rabies the virus of sin has a 100% mortality rate for those that aren't saved.

### Patient Zero

**Ezekiel 28:14** Thou *art* the anointed cherub that covereth; and I have set thee *so*: thou wast upon the holy mountain of God; thou hast walked up and down in the midst of the stones of fire. **15** Thou *wast* perfect in thy ways from the day that thou wast created, till iniquity was found in thee.

**Isaiah 14:12** How art thou fallen from heaven, O Lucifer, son of the morning! *how* art thou cut down to the ground, which didst weaken the nations! **13** For thou hast said in thine heart, I will ascend into heaven, I will exalt my throne above the stars of God: I will sit also upon the mount of the congregation, in the sides of the north:

Satan the first to sin in his rebellion against God Almighty; his rebellion brought sin upon his own self and his iniquity infected his own person.

**Genesis 3:16** Unto the woman he said, I will greatly multiply thy sorrow and thy conception; in sorrow thou shalt bring forth children; and thy desire *shall be* to thy husband, and he shall rule over thee. 17 And unto Adam he said, Because thou hast hearkened unto the voice of thy wife, and hast eaten of the tree, of which I commanded thee, saying, Thou shalt not eat of it: cursed *is* the ground for thy sake; in sorrow shalt thou eat *of* it all the days of thy life; 18 Thorns also and thistles shall it bring forth to thee; and thou shalt eat the herb of the field; 19 In the sweat of thy face shalt thou eat bread, till thou return unto the ground; for out of it wast thou taken: for dust thou *art*, and unto dust shalt thou return.

**Romans 5:12** Wherefore, as by one man sin entered into the world, and death by sin; and so death passed upon all men, for that all have sinned:

Satan infected Adam and Eve and sin entered the creation through Adam; and it has spread throughout all mankind and animal kind. This sin virus infects the mind of man and brings about a physical and spiritual death; and has a 100% transmission rate and mortality rate without intervention.

**Romans 1:21** Because that, when they knew God, they glorified *him* not as God, neither were thankful; but became vain in their imaginations, and their foolish heart was darkened.

**Romans 3:23** For all have sinned, and come short of the glory of God;

**Romans 6:23** For the wages of sin *is* death; but the gift of God *is* eternal life through Jesus Christ our Lord.

This virus of sin it permeates the mind not protected by the Holy Spirit. It causes a cognitive dissonance or double mindedness; it destroys the rationality of the mind; for they knew God and yet glorified Him not; rational thought is replaced by vanity, lust and pride as the virus takes control of the mind. The end is death in eternal separation from God Almighty. Eternal quarantine.

### Symptoms of the Sin Virus

One of the most deadly things about this virus is the inability to recognize the symptoms; many people are infected and don't even know it or don't understand the seriousness of their illness or have been so deceived by the subtleness of this virus that they don't believe they are even sick.

**Obadiah 1:3** The pride of thine heart hath deceived thee, thou that dwellest in the clefts of the rock, whose habitation *is* high; that saith in his heart, Who shall bring me down to the ground?

**Ephesians 4:18** Having the understanding darkened, being alienated from the life of God through the ignorance that is in them, because of the blindness of their heart:

**Titus 3:3** For we ourselves also were sometimes foolish, disobedient, deceived, serving divers lusts and pleasures, living in malice and envy, hateful, *and* hating one another.

**Hebrews 3:13** But exhort one another daily, while it is called To day; lest any of you be hardened through the deceitfulness of sin.

This virus of sin attacks the mind and the heart; it affects the conscience and is deadly in its deception and corruption of the mind, body and spirit. Allowed to run its course it destroys totally and completely all that is infected by it. This virus of sin blinds the heart and once it had gotten hold there it darkens the understanding, and causes those infected to serve the lusts of the world and the end result is malice, envy, and hate at some level.

### Signs of the Sin Pandemic

**Isaiah 5:20** Woe unto them that call evil good, and good evil; that put darkness for light, and light for

darkness; that put bitter for sweet, and sweet for bitter!

**Romans 1:22** Professing themselves to be wise, they became fools, 23 And changed the glory of the uncorruptible God into an image made like to corruptible man, and to birds, and fourfooted beasts, and creeping things. 24 Wherefore God also gave them up to uncleanness through the lusts of their own hearts, to dishonour their own bodies between themselves: 25 Who changed the truth of God into a lie, and worshipped and served the creature more than the Creator, who is blessed for ever. Amen.

**2Timothy 3:1** This know also, that in the last days perilous times shall come. 2 For men shall be lovers of their own selves, covetous, boasters, proud, blasphemers, disobedient to parents, unthankful, unholy, 3 Without natural affection, trucebreakers, false accusers, incontinent, fierce, despisers of those that are good, 4 Traitors, heady, highminded, lovers of pleasures more than lovers of God; 5 Having a form of godliness, but denying the power thereof: from such turn away. 6 For of this sort are they which creep into houses, and lead captive silly women laden with sins, led away with divers lusts, 7 Ever learning, and never able to come to the knowledge of the truth.

**Matthew 24:12** And because iniquity shall abound, the love of many shall wax cold.

The sin virus is at pandemic proportions and it will spread its symptoms of blindness to the truth and relativism will rule over righteousness; the glory of God will be replaced by the counterfeit glory of man; humanism will spread, pride will increase as the sin virus takes over the mind of those that refuse intervention; envy, disobedience, immorality, lusts, blasphemy, sexual perversion, will be boils upon the spirit and soul of those that refuse the cure for the sin virus.

Without treatment the mortality rate is 100%

**James 1:14** But every man is tempted, when he is drawn away of his own lust, and enticed. 15 Then when lust hath conceived, it bringeth forth sin: and sin, when it is finished, bringeth forth death.

## The Cure

There is only one cure for the sin virus and it is given by the Great Physician; the only one capable of producing the cure for this most deadly virus. There are no other cures save this one; it is complete in its cure and there is never any need for another.

We cannot rid ourselves of this disease of sin; only the LORD Jesus can renew the sin ravaged body and restore it; only Jesus can give us the Holy Spirit to renew the body and spirit from the corruption of sin.

**Titus 3:5** Not by works of righteousness which we have done, but according to his mercy he saved us, by the washing of regeneration, and renewing of the Holy Ghost;

As the plague of sin and death entered the creation through one man; so is the cure and life provided to mankind by the LORD Jesus; He is the only one able to cure the corruptible body and make it incorruptible; the only one who can make the mortal sin corrupted body immortal; it is only Jesus. There is no other remedy for the condition of sin infected mankind.

Without Jesus the mortality rate of sin is 100%; but with Jesus the cure rate is 100%.

**1Corinthians 15:21** For since by man *came* death, by man *came* also the resurrection of the dead. 22 For as in Adam all die, even so in Christ shall all be made alive.

How lost was my condition  
Till Jesus made me whole!

There is but one physician  
Can cure a sin-sick soul  
Next door to death he found me,  
And snatched me from the grave,

To tell all around me  
His wond'rous pow'r to save.  
The worst of all diseases  
Is light compared with sin;  
On ev'ry part it seizes,  
But rages most within;  
'Tis palsy, plague, and fever,  
And madness--all combined;  
And none, but a believer,  
The least relief can find.

From men, great skill professing,  
I sought a cure to gain;  
But this proved more distressing,  
And added to my pain;  
Some said that nothing ailed me,  
Some gave me up for lost;  
Thus ev'ry refuge failed me,  
And all my hopes were crossed.

At length this great Physician,  
How matchless is His grace!  
Accepted my petition,  
And undertook my case;  
First, gave me sight to view him,  
For sin my eyes had sealed--  
Then bid me look unto Him;  
I looked, and I was healed.

A dying, risen Jesus,  
Seen by the eye of faith,  
At once from danger frees us,  
And saves the soul from death;  
Come, then, to this Physician,  
His help he'll freely give,  
He makes no hard condition--  
To Jesus look and live!

*Newton, John, "How Lost was My Condition," from Olney Hymns in The Works of John Newton, vol. 3. Carlisle, PA: The Banner of Truth Trust, 1988 reprint of original 1820 edition, pp. 375-376.*