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In our difficulties, to whom do we turn?

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What makes you angry?

What do you regard the difference between sinful anger and righteous anger?

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