



God's Top 10: God's Law, Love and Liberty #12

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REVIEW

Commandment #1- God wants an exclusive relationship

Ex. 20:3 **Thou shalt have** no other gods before me

Commandment #2 God wants nothing to replace Him

4 Thou shalt not make unto thee any graven image, or any likeness of any thing that is in heaven above, or that is in the earth beneath, or that is in the water under the earth. **5 Thou shalt not bow down** thyself to them, nor serve them: for I the LORD thy God am a jealous God, visiting the iniquity of the fathers upon the children unto the third and fourth generation of them that hate me; **6 And shewing mercy** unto thousands of them that love me, and keep my commandments.

Commandment #3 We must have the ultimate respect for God

Ex. 20:7 **Thou shalt not take** the name of the LORD thy God in vain; for the LORD will not hold him guiltless that taketh his name in vain.

Commandment #4 God's wants priority in your life

Ex. 20:8-11 **Remember the sabbath day**, to keep it holy. **9 Six days shalt thou labour**, and do all thy work: **10 But the seventh day is the sabbath of the LORD** thy God: in it thou shalt not do any work, thou, nor thy son, nor thy daughter, thy

manservant, nor thy maidservant, nor thy cattle, nor thy stranger that is within thy gates: 11 For in six days the LORD made heaven and earth, the sea, and all that in them is, and rested the seventh day: wherefore the LORD blessed the sabbath day, and hallowed it.

Commandment #5 - We must have respect for family

Ex. 20:12 Honour thy father and thy mother: that thy days may be long upon the land which the LORD thy God giveth thee.

Commandment #6 - We must have respect for life

Ex. 20:13 Thou shalt not kill.

Commandment #7 – God commands moral purity

Ex. 20:14 Thou shalt not commit adultery.

Commandment # 8 – Don't be willing to take that which isn't ours and that which you haven't earned

Ex. 20:15 Thou shalt not steal.

Commandment # 9 - Be honest in our speech

Ex. 20:16 Thou shalt not bear false witness against thy neighbour.

THIS WEEK'S LESSON

Commandment # 10 - Don't _____ what someone else has

Ex. 20:17 Thou shalt not covet thy neighbour's house, **thou shalt not covet** thy neighbour's wife, nor his manservant, nor his maidservant, nor his ox, nor his ass, nor any thing that is thy neighbour's.

- This commandment deals with _____!

- This 10th command is the most revealing and devastating of the commands for it deals with the _____ nature of the law.

Psa. 73:2-5 But as for me, my feet were almost gone; my steps had well nigh slipped. 3 For I was envious at the foolish, when I saw the prosperity of the wicked. 4 For there are no bands in their death: but their strength is firm. 5 They are not in trouble as other men; neither are they plagued like other men.

1. The problem in this commandment is

“The line we know is that the grass is greener on the other side of the fence, but it is someone else’s grass!”

- Covetousness is a form of idolatry because it puts its inward focus on the _____ it desires, not on _____.

Col. 3:5 Mortify therefore your members which are upon the earth; fornication, uncleanness, inordinate affection, evil concupiscence, **and covetousness, which is idolatry:**

- Things he mentions specifically we should not covet
 - **Better** _____ **to live.**
 - **Better** _____.
 - **Better** _____.
 - **Better** _____.

2. The prescription for this commandment is

- **Contentment** - realizing that God has _____ provided everything I need for my present and future _____.

Heb 13:5 Let your conversation be without covetousness; and be content with such things as ye have: for he hath said, I will never leave thee, nor forsake thee.

Psa 16:11 Thou wilt shew me the path of life: in thy presence is fulness of joy; at thy right hand there are pleasures for evermore.

a. Contentment is contrary to human nature and must be

Phil. 4:11 Not that I speak in respect of want: for I have learned, in whatsoever state I am, therewith to be content.

b. Contentment begins by knowing the _____ of life

Luke 12:15 And he said unto them, Take heed, and beware of covetousness: for a man's life consisteth not in the abundance of the things which he possesseth.

Phi 3:10 That I may know him, and the power of his resurrection, and the fellowship of his sufferings, being made conformable unto his death.

c. Contentment requires distinguishing between _____ and _____

1Tim 6:8 And having food and raiment let us be therewith content.

Matt 6:31-33 Therefore take no thought, saying, What shall we eat? or, What shall we drink? or, Wherewithal shall we be clothed? (For after all these things do the Gentiles seek:) for your heavenly Father knoweth that ye have need of all these things. But seek ye first the kingdom of God, and his righteousness; and all these things shall be added unto you.

d. Contentment is learning to _____ within our

