

GOD'S 10 COMMANDMENTS

EXODUS 20:3-17

1 - YOU SHALL HAVE NO OTHER 'GODS' BEFORE ME

Is Money, Fame, People, TV, Internet, Things, Pleasures more important than God? (1 John 2:15-17) Isa 43:10-11 "I alone am God. There is NO other God, there never has been and there never will be." Rom 1:28-32 "They refused to acknowledge God, He abandoned them to their Evil minds...doing things that should never be done (list of sins)...fully aware of God's Death Penalty."

2 - YOU SHALL NOT MAKE FOR YOURSELF AN IDOL

Is your "god" the Holy God of the Bible, or another god you invented in your mind? (Ezek 14:3-11) Isa 43:10-11 "I alone am God. There is NO other God, there never has been and there never will be." Rev 21:8 "...Idol Worshipers & All Liars, their Doom is in the Lake that burns with Fire and Sulfur."

3 - YOU SHALL NOT TAKE THE NAME OF GOD IN VAIN

If you've ever used God's Name in Vain ("Oh my G-d!") or as a Cuss Word you are a Blasphemer. Lev 24:16 "Those who Blaspheme God will suffer the consequences of their Guilt and be Punished." Ex 20:7 "The Lord will not let you go unpunished if you misuse His Name." (Eph 4:29)

4 - REMEMBER THE SABBATH DAY TO KEEP IT HOLY

Sports on TV, Shopping, etc...with no thought for God? (Ex 35:2; Isa 58:13-14; Mark 2:28)

5 - HONOR YOUR FATHER AND YOUR MOTHER

Honor & Show Respect For Your Parents. (Eph 6:1-3; Ex 21:17; 1Sam 15:23) Rom 1:30-32 "They are forever inventing new ways of Sinning and are Disobedient to their Parents...fully aware of God's death penalty for those who do these things." (Matt 15:4; Mark 7:10; 2 Tim 3:1-2)

6 - YOU SHALL NOT MURDER

If you've Hated someone, God sees you as a Murderer. 1 John 3:15 "Whoever Hates his brother is a Murderer; and no Murderer has Eternal Life." Anger leads to a Guilty Judgment. (Mt 5:21-22; Jas 2:11) Rev 21:8 "Murderers, Unbelievers, Immoral...their Doom is in the Lake that burns with Fire & Sulfur."

7 - YOU SHALL NOT COMMIT ADULTERY

Looking with Lust at a Person or Pornography is the same as Adultery in God's Eyes. Mt 5:27-28 Jesus says, "Whoever looks at a woman to Lust for her has already committed Adultery with her in his heart." 1 Cor 6:9-10 "Those who indulge in Sexual Sin...Adulterers, Fornicators (ANY Sexual Activity Before Marriage), Homosexuals...NONE of these will have a share in the Kingdom of God." (Rom 13:9-14)

8 - YOU SHALL NOT STEAL

If you Steal one item, regardless of the amount, you are called a Thief. (Mark 7:20-23; Eph 4:28) 1 Cor 6:9-10 "Thieves, Drunkards, Cheaters...NONE of these will have a share in the Kingdom of God."

9 - YOU SHALL NOT LIE

If you tell one Lie, you are called a Liar. Rev 21:8 "All Liars...their Doom is in the Lake that burns with Fire & Sulfur." Prov 12:22 "Lying Lips are an Abomination to the Lord." (Col 3:9-10) Mt 12:36-37 Jesus says, "You must give an account on Judgment Day of every Idle Word you speak."

10 - YOU SHALL NOT COVET

Is your main Focus & Desire after Worldly Things? (Mark 7:22; Rom 1:29-32; 1 Tim 6:10; 1 Cor 6:10) Eph 5:5 says, "No Immoral, Impure, or Greedy Person will inherit the Kingdom of Christ and of God."

JESUS - 2 GREATEST COMMANDMENTS

MARK 12:30-31

1 - LOVE THE LORD WITH ALL YOUR HEART, SOUL, MIND AND STRENGTH

Do you always: Think, Talk, & Do Things for Jesus? If not, your Love for Him is Lukewarm. (Rev 3:16) If you love Family, Friends, or the World more than Jesus, you will Perish. (Mt 10:37-39; 1Jn 2:15-17)

2 - YOU MUST LOVE YOUR NEIGHBOR AS YOURSELF

Do you Give those in need your Time & Money? Matt 25:45-46 Jesus says, "When you refused to help the least of My Brothers, you were refusing to help Me; they'll go away into Eternal Punishment; the Righteous to Eternal Life." In Luke 16:19-31 The Rich Man went to Hell, Poor Beggar went to Heaven.

"If we keep ALL of God's Laws except ONE, we're GUILTY of breaking them ALL." James 2:10

WE BROKE GOD'S LAWS - HOW DO WE ESCAPE GOD'S JUDGMENT?

In spite of our Failures to Obey God's Commands, He loved us so much, that He made a way of Escape from His Holy Eternal Wrath. (Rom 5:8) Here is **God's Plan** to save us from Eternal Hell: Jesus always existed as God, with God the Father. (John 1:1,14; 10:30; Rev 22:13) Jesus became a man (John 1:14; Php 2:5-11; Col 2:9) Born of a Virgin, Conceived by the Holy Spirit. (Mt 1:18; Lk 1:26-35) On the Cross, a **Holy God** poured out His **Anger, Fury, & Wrath**, that we deserved because of **our Sin** (Eph 2:3-4; 1Th 5:9-10), onto a **Holy, Perfect, & Sinless Jesus**. (Heb 4:15; 1Pe 1:19; 2:22-24; Col 2:14; Isa 6:3) Jesus became our Substitute when He died on the Cross. (2Co 5:21) Heb 9:22 "Without the shedding of blood, there is no forgiveness of sins." God treated Jesus as if He had personally committed every Sin, committed by every Person, who would ever **Repent & Believe**. (1 Pet 3:18) Jesus physically rose from the Dead. (Lk 24:36-43; 1Cor 15:3-8) **Jesus is Returning Soon** to Judge the World with Justice. (Rom 2:5-11; 2Th 1:7-9) Jesus is the **ONLY** Way to be Saved from Hell. (Jn 14:6; Acts 4:12; Isa 43:11)

GOD COMMANDS EVERYONE TO:

"God Commands everyone everywhere to Repent of their Sins and Turn to Him.

For He has set a Day for Judging the World with Justice by Jesus Christ" Acts 17:30-31

1 - REPENT & TRUST IN JESUS Luke 13:3,5 Jesus says, "You will also Perish (Hell) unless you Repent of your Sins & Turn to God" (Matt 4:17; 18:3-4; Mark 1:15; 2Cor 7:10; Acts 2:38; 3:19; 20:21)

2 - FORSAKE ALL SIN 1 John 3:9-10 "Those who have been born into God's family do not make a Practice of Sinning, because God's life is in them. So they can't keep on Sinning, because they are Children of God. So now we can tell who are Children of God and who are children of the devil. Anyone who does Not live Righteously and does Not love other Believers does Not belong to God."

3 - OBEY GOD'S COMMANDMENTS & GOD'S WORD 1John 2:3-6 "We can be sure that we belong to Him IF we Obey His Commandments. If someone claims, 'I know God,' but doesn't Obey God's Commandments, that person is a Liar and is not living in the Truth." (Deut 6:5-9; Josh 1:8; Mt 5:19)

If what you Say, Think, or Do is Contrary to God's Word, you are being Deceived! SM
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JUDGMENT DAY - ARE YOU READY?

"It is Appointed for Men to Die once, after this the Judgment" Heb 9:27

On Judgment Day many Good People who do Good Deeds, who are even "Religious" will be sentenced to spend Eternity in Hell. Why? Matt 7:21-23 Jesus warns, "Not everyone who says to Me, 'Lord! Lord!' will enter the Kingdom of Heaven. Only those who DO the Will of My Father in Heaven will enter. On Judgment Day **MANY will say to Me 'Lord! Lord!'** We Prophesied, Cast out demons, and Performed many Miracles in Your Name." But I will reply, **I never knew you.** Get away from Me, you who break God's Laws." **MANY people are Positive they're Saved** because they think they're a Good Person, once said a "Sinner's Prayer", were Baptized, go to Church, etc. Yet the Bible clearly states you must: **Repent & Trust in Jesus**, THEN our Faith will be Tested to see if it's Genuine or Not. (Deut 8:2; 13:3; Jas 1:12; 1Pe 1:7) Even Jesus was Tempted by Satan. (Mt 4:1-11) Faith that Fizzles & Fails Before the Finish Line is Not a Saving Faith. Mt 10:22 Jesus says, "Those who endure until the end, will be Saved." Luke 6:46 Jesus says, "Why do you call Me Lord, but do not DO (OBEY) what I say?" Judas (the Disciple who "Accepted" Jesus & later betrayed Him), Failed his Tests & Temptations and was Found to be a False Convert who had a Lukewarm "Love" for Jesus (Rev 3:15-22) and a "Rocky Ground" Heart.

WOULD YOU BE GUILTY OR INNOCENT ON JUDGMENT DAY?

TAKE THE "GOOD TEST!" Test Yourself (2Cor13:5) & Ask: **Do you think you're a "Good Person"?** If you do, let's compare your so called "Goodness" to God's Perfect Standards, the 10 Commandments. **Have you Lied or Stolen?** If so, God sees you as a Liar & a Thief. **Have you looked with Lust?** In Mt 5:28 Jesus says, "If you look at someone to Lust, you Commit Adultery in Your Heart." **Have you ever Hated, or been Angry at anyone?** If so, God sees you as a Murderer. (1Jn 3:15; Mt 5:22) Thieves & Adulterers will not inherit the Kingdom of Heaven. (1 Cor 6:9) Liars & Murderers will be thrown into the Lake of Fire. (Rev 21:8) **We're All Guilty!** (Rom 3:23) **On Judgment Day we'd ALL End up in Hell!** (Rev 20:11-16; Rom 2:5-16) In Mk 7:20-23 Jesus says, "Out of a Person's Heart, come Evil Thoughts, Sexual Immorality, Theft, Murder, Adultery, Greed, Wickedness, Deceit, Lustful Desires, Envy, Slander, Pride, and Foolishness. All these Evil things come from within; they are what Defile you and make you **Unacceptable to God.**" Heb 12:14 says, "Without Holiness **NO ONE** shall see God."

GOOD NEWS! GOD SO LOVED THE WORLD HE GAVE HIS ONLY SON JESUS Jn 3:16

We don't have to go to Hell! God Loves us so much He sent His Son Jesus to take the Punishment and Die for our Sins (Rom 3:21-31; Eph 2:1-10); to satisfy God's Anger against us. (Rom 1:18-2:16) On Judgment Day Jesus can declare us "Not Guilty" **IF we Repent & Have Faith in Jesus.** (Acts 20:21)

PARABLE OF THE SOWER Mt 13:3-23; Mk 4:3-20; Lk 8:5-15; Mt 13:37-43

Jesus warns us about **True & False Conversion** in the "**The Parable Of The Sower**". In this Story Jesus tells us about a Farmer (**Jesus**) who went out to Plant some Seeds (**God's Word**) in His Field. The Seeds fall on 4 Different Soils (**Conditions of People's Hearts**): Hard, Rocky, Thorny, Good Soil

4 RESPONSES TO HEARING GOD'S WORD - WHICH ONE ARE YOU?

1 - HARD GROUND They Reject Jesus & Think they Understand God's Word, but Don't. (Mk 4:12) The Seed (God's Word) falls on Hard Ground (Deaf Ears). Satan Steals God's Word (Lk 8:12), & he Aims Fiery Darts of Pride & Anger at them (Eph 6:16) when they hear about Jesus, & God's Word. (Ac 26:9-11) • They Don't Resist Satan. (Jas 4:7) They're Spiritually Blind. (2Cor 4:3-4) Hearts are Hard. (Heb 3:7-19) • They're Unsaved, but think they're Saved. (Mt 15:8-9) Bible Is Boring & Seems Foolish. (1Cor 1:17-31) • They Believe Religious Traditions over God's Word. (Mk 7:7) They're Religious Hypocrites. (Mt 23:25-28) • They Trust in their: Emotions, Religions, & False Teachings that Contradict God's Word. (2 Tim 4:3-4) Gal 1:7 "They're being Fooled by those who Twist and Change the Truth concerning Christ." (Prov 14:12)

FALSE CONVERSION - DISOBEYS GOD'S WORD - PERISH IN HELL Matt 13:37-43

2 - ROCKY GROUND Receives & "Accepts" Jesus with Joy, but No True Repentance. (Matt 3:8) The Seed (God's Word) falls on Shallow Rocky Ground. At first they're fine, but later Fall Away when Tested with Problems & Persecutions. (Gal 1:6-9) These "Christians" are Shallow & Superficial. (Lk 8:13) • Roots in God's Word are not Deep; When Problems hit they Fall Away from Jesus. (Heb 3:12-15) • Wilts under: Problems, Persecutions, Sufferings, Trials, Testings, and Temptations. (Matt 13:20-21) • They Hear Voices & Words "from God" that are Contrary to God's Word. (1 John 4:1-6; 2 Pet 2:1-6) John 15:2-8 Jesus says, "He (God) cuts off every Branch that doesn't Produce Fruit and Burns it."

FALSE CONVERSION - DISOBEYS GOD'S WORD - PERISH IN HELL Matt 7:21-27

3 - THORNY GROUND Receives & "Accepts" Jesus. The Seed (God's Word) falls among Thorns (Weeds) and is sooner or later Crowded & Choked Out (Mt 13:22) by the Things of this World such as: • Cares, Worries, Busyness of this Life - (Luke 21:34; 17:26-33; Matt 24:37-39; 22:1-14; Lk 14:15-24) • Cash, Pride in Possessions, Shopping - 2 Tim 3:2 "People will love only themselves & their Money." • Comforts, Success, Fame - Gain is Not equal to Godliness (1 Tim 6:5-11; Matt 6:25-34; Heb 13:5) • They Love Worldly Pleasures more than Obeying God's Word. (1Jn 2:15-17; 2Pe 2:20; Amos 5:21-24) 2 Tim 3:4 "Lovers of pleasures more than lovers of God." Rom 12:2 "Don't be Conformed to the World" Matt 13:37-43 Jesus Warns: Ungodly (Weeds) will Burn in Hell. Rm 8:6 "To be Carnally Minded is Death"

FALSE CONVERSION - DISOBEYS GOD'S WORD - PERISH IN HELL Heb 10:26-29

4 - GOOD SOIL Repents & Trusts in Jesus. Seed falls on Good Ground (Humble Heart - Jas 4:6-10) • They're Born Again. John 3:3 Jesus - "Unless you are Born Again you can't enter the Kingdom of God." • They Obey God's Word (1John 2:3-6); Forsake Sin (1John 3:6-10) Surrendering All to Jesus (Gal 2:20) • They Passionately Love & Conform to Jesus (Matt 10:37-39; Rom 8:29); Servant's Heart. (Matt 23:11) • They Separate Themselves from the World & Do Not Compromise. (2Cor 6:14-18; Rom 12:2; Titus 2:11) • They Overcome Satan's Lies, Temptations, & Anything Contrary to God's Word. (1John 5:3-5; Rev 3:5) • They Endure Hardships, Trials, Testings, & Persecutions for Jesus. (2Tim 2:3-13; 3:12; 2Cor 11:23-30) • They Pursue Holiness in Everything they Do (1Pe 1:15-16; Heb 12:14) & Fear God. (Lk 12:5; Php 2:12) • They Deny Self & Follow Jesus (Lk 9:23-26) They're Ready & Waiting for Christ's Return (Lk 12:35-48) • They're Productive For Jesus (Mt 25:21) John 15:8 Jesus says, "My True Disciples Produce Much Fruit"

TRUE CHRISTIAN - OBEYS GOD'S WORD (1Pet:1:14-17) - ETERNAL LIFE (Jn 3:36)

Matt 7:13-14 Jesus: "The Highway to Hell is Broad & it's Gate is Wide for the MANY who choose that way. The Gateway to Life is very Narrow & the Road is Hard; only a FEW EVER find it." (Lk 13:23-30)

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