

Understanding God in the Ten Commandments (Part 3)

Exodus 20:13-18, Matt. 5-7 (Living in Covenant Series)

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2) Three moral codes _____

➤ The Ten Commandments

1. Thou Shalt not Murder = _____ (5:21-26)

who is _____ with his brother

whoever _____ his brother

calling a brother a _____ name

2. Thou Shalt not Commit Adultery = _____ (5:27-30).

3. Thou Shalt not Commit Adultery = _____ /
_____ (5:31-32)

4. "Thou Shalt not take the name of the Lord thy God in Vain"
and "You shall not bear false witness [lie]" = Oaths / a
good _____ (5:33-37)

5. Thou shalt _____
_____ =

a. Lay up Treasures in Heaven (6:19-24)

b. Don't be Anxious (6:25-34)

- Other Mosaic Laws (from the Torah)
 1. Retaliation (5:38-42) = Jesus honed contemporary teaching based on Ex. 21:23-25 (²³ *But if there is harm, then you shall pay life for life,*²⁴ *eye for eye, tooth for tooth, hand for hand, foot for foot,*²⁵ *burn for burn, wound for wound, stripe for stripe.*)
 2. Love Your Enemies (5:43-48) = Jesus' clarification of practices based on Lev. 19:18 + the scribes' and Pharisees' application of the Law (*You shall not take vengeance or bear a grudge against the sons of your own people, but you shall love your neighbor as yourself: I am the LORD.* Lev. 19:18, ESV)
- Pharisee's *extra* rules, traditions, and practices.
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 2. Prayers (The Lord's Prayer) (6:5-15)
 3. Fasting (6:16-18)
- Other misc. clarifications/ replacements of Pharisaical embellishments: ["amplified" by Jesus in the Sermon on the Mount]
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 2. Ask, and It will be Given (7:7-11)
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 - ☒ calling a brother a **vile** name
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 4. "Thou Shalt not take the name of the Lord thy God in Vain" and "You shall not bear false witness [lie]" = Oaths / a good **reputation** (5:33-37)
 5. Thou shalt **have no other gods before Me** =
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