

SERMON NOTES
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LAW = LIFE
Exodus 20:1-12

God speaks to build a nation.

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Deuteronomy 30:19 "I call heaven and earth to witness against you today, that I have set before you life and death, the blessing and the curse. So choose life in order that you may live, you and your descendants."

Honor your Father and Mother (v. 12)

Family First!

Honor--*kabod* (weight)

Parents are the first check on the child's self-will.

SIN = DEATH

LORD + LAW = LIFE

Jesus is our example.

Luke 2:51 "And He went down with them and came to Nazareth, and He continued in subjection to them..."

Matthew 12:47 – limitation to parental authority

Jesus is our righteousness and power for that same life.

Romans 8:4 "so that the requirement of the Law might be fulfilled in us, who do not walk according to the flesh but according to the Spirit."

"I will arise and go to Jesus" --Caleb Taylor

Exodus 20:1-12

¹“Then God spoke all these words, saying,

²I am the Lord your God, who brought you out of the land of Egypt, out of the house of slavery.

³You shall have no other gods before Me.

⁴You shall not make for yourself an idol, or any likeness of what is in heaven above or on the earth beneath or in the water under the earth. ⁵You shall not worship them or serve them; for I, the Lord your God, am a jealous God, visiting the iniquity of the fathers on the children, on the third and the fourth generations of those who hate Me, ⁶but showing lovingkindness to thousands, to those who love Me and keep My commandments.

⁷You shall not take the name of the Lord your God in vain, for the Lord will not leave him unpunished who takes His name in vain.

⁸Remember the sabbath day, to keep it holy. ⁹Six days you shall labor and do all your work, ¹⁰but the seventh day is a sabbath of the Lord your God; in it you shall not do any work, you or your son or your daughter, your male or your female servant or your cattle or your sojourner who stays with you. ¹¹For in six days the Lord made the heavens and the earth, the sea and all that is in them, and rested on the seventh day; therefore the Lord blessed the sabbath day and made it holy.

¹²Honor your father and your mother, that your days may be prolonged in the land which the Lord your God gives you.”