

Divine Law

1. Voice of God directly
2. Sacred Writings
3. Ingrafted into the heart (Natural Law) – Rom 2:14-15

Three Classes of Divine law

1. Ceremonial laws – The external worship regulations which distinguished Jews from Gentiles
2. Civil laws – the external and structured regulations for the nation of Israel
3. Moral laws – the eternal mind and rule of God that does not change

Natural law (First Principles)

1. Principles visible to observation
Numbers, order, logical syllogism, the principles of geometry, and physics
2. Principles which relate to our actions
Difference between things honorable and base

Human Law

1. Civil Law – set by an authority that has the power to establish laws for good and for civil purposed
1 Peter 2:13 Therefore submit yourselves to every ordinance of man for the Lord's sake, whether to the king as supreme,
Romans 13:5 Therefore you must be subject, not only because of wrath but also for conscience' sake.
2. Traditions/practices of men set up in order to worship God
Matthew 15:9 And in vain they worship Me, Teaching as doctrines the commandments of men.
Colossians 2:16 So let no one judge you in food or in drink, or regarding a festival or a new moon or sabbaths,

Exodus 20 (NKJV)	Natural Law
<p>¹And God spoke all these words, saying: ²<i>I am the LORD your God, who brought you out of the land of Egypt, out of the house of bondage.</i></p> <p>³<i>You shall have no other gods before Me.</i></p> <p>⁴<i>You shall not make for yourself a carved image, or any likeness of anything that is in heaven above, or that is in the earth beneath, or that is in the water under the earth; ⁵you shall not bow down to them nor serve them. For I, the LORD your God, am a jealous God, visiting the iniquity of the fathers on the children to the third and fourth generations of those who hate Me, ⁶but showing mercy to thousands, to those who love Me and keep My commandments.</i></p>	<p>Gen 1:28-30</p> <p>2:15-17</p> <p>Fall: Gen 3 other gods</p>
<p>⁷<i>You shall not take the name of the LORD your God in vain, for the LORD will not hold him guiltless who takes His name in vain.</i></p>	<p>Gen 4:26</p>
<p>⁸<i>Remember the Sabbath day, to keep it holy. ⁹Six days you shall labor and do all your work, ¹⁰but the seventh day is the Sabbath of the LORD your God. In it you shall do no work: you, nor your son, nor your daughter, nor your male servant, nor your female servant, nor your cattle, nor your stranger who is within your gates. ¹¹For in six days the LORD made the heavens and the earth, the sea, and all that is in them, and rested the seventh day. Therefore the LORD blessed the Sabbath day and hallowed it.</i></p>	<p>Gen 2:3</p> <p>4:3-4</p> <p>4:26</p> <p>Gen 6:3 ministry</p> <p>Heb 11:4 by faith Abel made a sacrifice (Rom 10:17) Word</p>
<p>¹²<i>Honor your father and your mother, that your days may be long upon the land which the LORD your God is giving you.</i></p>	<p>Gen 2:24</p> <p>6:4-5</p>
<p>¹³<i>You shall not murder.</i></p>	<p>Gen 4:10 , 4:6 , 4:13-15</p> <p>9:5-7</p>
<p>¹⁴<i>You shall not commit adultery.</i></p>	<p>Mt 19:5 (Gen 2:24) Gen 6:2</p>
<p>¹⁵<i>You shall not steal.</i></p>	<p>Gen 2:15 , 3:15</p>
<p>¹⁶<i>You shall not bear false witness against your neighbor.</i></p>	<p>Gen 4:9 ff</p>
<p>¹⁷<i>You shall not covet your neighbor's house;</i></p>	<p>} Gen 4:6-7</p>
<p><i>you shall not covet your neighbor's wife, nor his male servant, nor his female servant, nor his ox, nor his donkey, nor anything that is your neighbor's."</i></p>	<p>Gen 6:5</p>

Historical Account

Creation Genesis 1-2

The Fall into Sin Genesis 3

Cain Murders Abel Genesis 4

Prediluvian

After Flood

Genesis 9:5-7 Surely for your lifeblood I will demand *a reckoning*; from the hand of every beast I will require it, and from the hand of man. From the hand of every man's brother I will require the life of man. ⁶“Whoever sheds man's blood, By man his blood shall be shed; For in the image of God He made man. ⁷ And as for you, be fruitful and multiply; Bring forth abundantly in the earth And multiply in it.”

Exodus 20:13 You shall not murder.

Matthew 5:21-22 “You have heard that it was said to those of old, ‘*You shall not murder*, and whoever murders will be in danger of the judgment.’ ²² But I say to you that whoever is angry with his brother without a cause shall be in danger of the judgment. And whoever says to his brother, ‘Raca!’ shall be in danger of the council. But whoever says, ‘You fool!’ shall be in danger of hell fire.

Matthew 7:12 Therefore, whatever you want men to do to you, do also to them, for this is the Law and the Prophets.

Galatians 3:19-25, “What purpose then *does the law serve*? It was added because of transgressions, till the Seed should come to whom the promise was made; *and it was* appointed through angels by the hand of a mediator. ²⁰ Now a mediator does not *mediate* for one *only*, but God is one. ²¹ Is the law then against the promises of God? Certainly not! For if there had been a law given which could have given life, truly righteousness would have been by the law. ²² **But the Scripture has confined all under sin**, that the promise by faith in Jesus Christ might be given to those who believe. ²³ But before faith came, we were kept under guard by the law, kept for the faith which would afterward be revealed. ²⁴ Therefore the law was our tutor *to bring us* to Christ, that we might be justified by faith. ²⁵ But after faith has come, we are no longer under a tutor.”

The Divine light is known

Romans 1 and 2

Romans 1:17 For in it the righteousness of God

Romans 1:18-21 **the truth in unrighteousness**,

Romans 1:19 because what may be known of God **is manifest in them**, for God has shown *it* to them.

Romans 2:15 **the work of the law written in their hearts**,

Romans 2:14-16 **by nature do the things in the law**,