

I am the LORD your God,
who brought you out of Egypt,
out of the land of slavery.

You shall have no other gods
before me

WHO GOD IS

WHAT GOD
HAS DONE

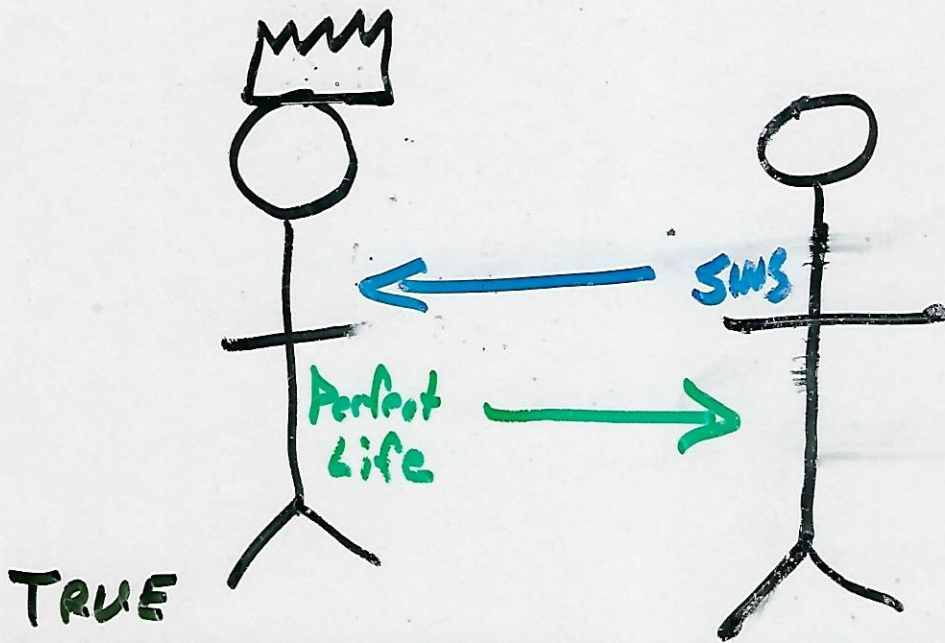
PEOPLE'S
RESPONSE

Purpose of the commandments

- identify, expose, and kill all our FALSE GODS
- identify His people

Law shows we have sinned,
However, Jesus kept it perfectly

For us.



FALSE CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

① It is impossible to be saved.

② I am good enough

Within each commandment there are
 Commands - to do
 Prohibitions - not to do

	Commands	Prohibitions
1		You shall have no other gods
2		You shall not misuse the name of the Lord your God
3	Remember the Sabbath Day by keeping it holy	
4	Honor your Father and your Mother	

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SINS OF OMISSION
 DON'T DO WHAT
 YOU ARE COMMANDED
 (omit)

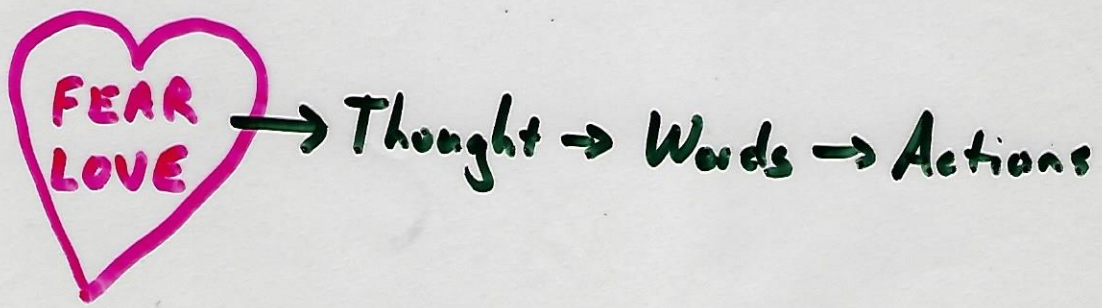
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SINS OF COMMISSION
 DO WHAT YOU ARE
 NOT TO DO
 (commit)

Sins of Omission

Sins of Commission

Jesus lived a perfect life and obeyed the Law
(Active Obedience)

Jesus died to take away our punishment
(Passive Obedience)



2nd Commandment

You shall not misuse the name of the Lord your God.

2nd Commandment

do not

- curse
- swear
- use Satanic arts
- lie/deceive by His name

do

- call upon it
- prayer
- praise
- give thanks

Ex 20:17 You shall not misuse the name of the LORD your God, for the LORD will not hold guiltless who misuses his name.

2nd Commandment

Ex 3:13-15 "... and they ask me, "What is his name?" Then what shall I tell them?" God said to Moses, "**I AM WHO I AM.**" This is what you are to say to the Israelites: "**I AM** has sent me to you."

Yahweh
(I AM)
LORD

Adonai (Master)
Lord

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Joshua
↓
Yeshua
Yahweh saves
↓
Jesus

NOT - Satanic Arts

- using God's name to perform or claim to perform supernatural things

Dt 18:10-12

- seeking the aid of people who practice those things

Lev 19:31

- horoscopes, etc.

Ecc 7:14

NOT - Lying or Deceiving by God's Name

- False teaching

Jer 23:31

- Covering up an unbelieving heart

Mt 7:21

Pray

Mt 7: 7-8 Ask and it will be given to you

1 Ths 5: 16-18 pray continually

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took out sheets
from Lord's Prayer

1st Petition off
(School off)

Praise

Ps 103:1 Praise the Lord, O my soul

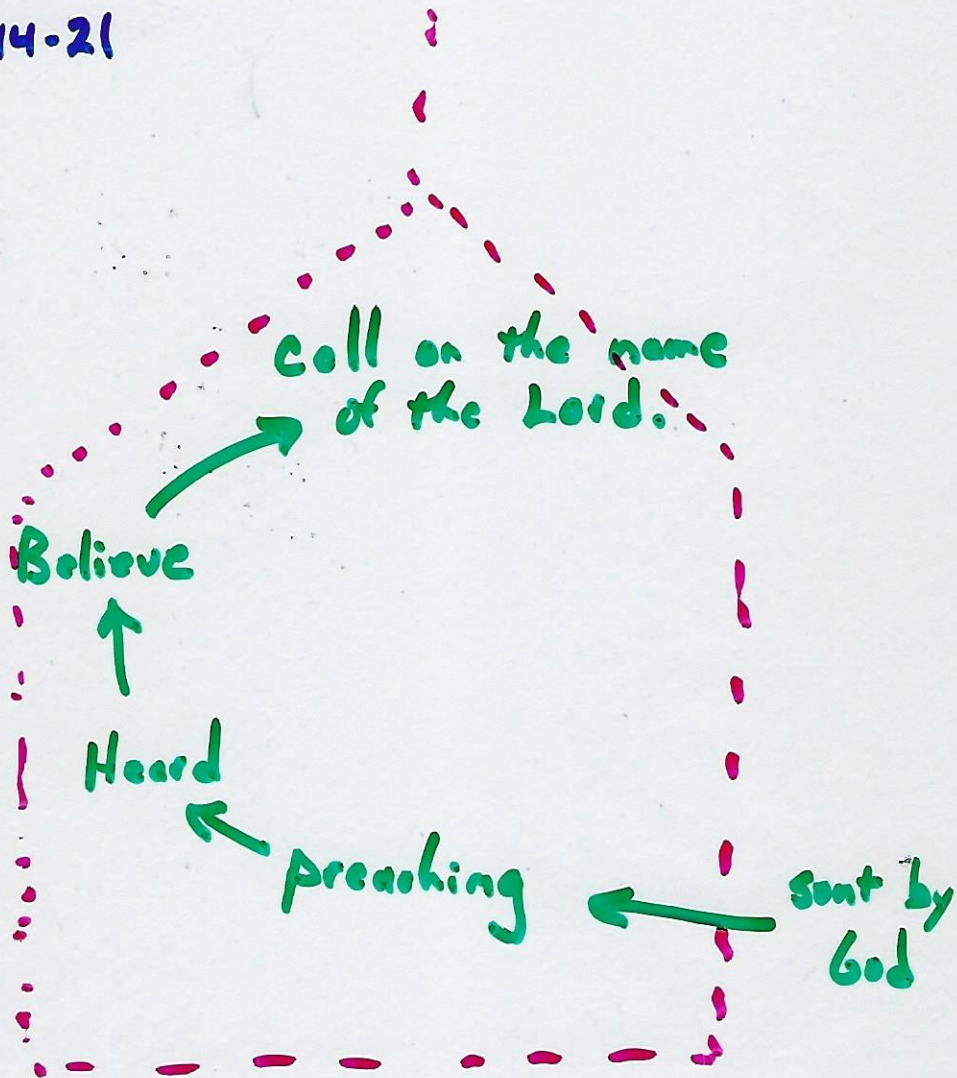
Give thanks

Phil 4:6 ... with thanksgiving

Ps 136:1 Give thanks to the Lord

Romans 10:13 For "whoever calls upon the name of the Lord shall be saved." Joel 2:32

Romans 10:14-21



Have you ever used God's name in vain? All of the following are interjections used to express surprise, enthusiasm, or simple emphasis. Yet they are also used in the place of God's name.

Golly - euphemistic alternative for God
Gosh - euphemistic alternative for God
Jeez - euphemistic shortening of Jesus
jeepers (jeepers creepers) - euphemism for Jesus
Gee - euphemism for Jesus
jimony (jimmy) - alternative for Jesu Domine (Lord Jesus)
Gad - a euphemistic form of God

Have you ever judged someone? Only God can send someone to hell. If you damn someone, you have set yourself up as God. If you ask God to damn someone else remember the Lord's Prayer (...forgive us our sins, as we forgive those who sin against us...)

Damn - to declare to eternal punishment in hell.
Darn - variation of Damn

Have you ever made fun of God creation? For example - used words that describe sex organs, words that describe the act of sex, words that describe human excrement, etc. God created your body and mine. All of these bodily functions are very natural and good for us.

The Numbering of the 10 Commandments

<u>Lutheran/Catholic</u>	<u>Anglican/Reformed /Easter Orthodox</u>	<u>Jewish</u>
1. No other gods	Prologue + No other gods	Prologue
2. God's name	No graven images	No other gods + no images
3. Sabbath Day	God's name	God's name
4. Honor Parents	Sabbath Day	Sabbath Day
5. Kill	Honor Parents	Honor Parents
6. Adultery	Kill	Kill
7. Steal	Adultery	Adultery
8. False Witness	Steal	Steal
9. Covet Neighbor's House	False Witness	False Witness
10. Covet Neighbor's Wife, etc.	Covet Neighbor's House, Wife, etc.	Covet Neighbor's House, Wife, etc.

Taken from Concordia Journal, January 1990, "Enumerating the Decalogue: Do We Number the Ten Commandments Correctly?" p. 18-26.