

“Life Is Precious, But ...”

Exodus 20:13

1. What this commandment _____ mean:

*It doesn't mean that men are _____ at all times and in _____ cases to take the life of another man.
(Ex. 20:13; Lev. 10:1-3; Ex. 21:12,15,16,17,29; 31:14; Lev. 20:10,12,13,15,16,27; 21:9)

2. What this commandment _____ mean:

*It means that no human life should be taken without God's _____.
(Gen. 9:6; Rom. 13:1-4; Josh. 8:1,2; Rev. 19:11,15,19-21; Rom. 16:20)

3. How else does this commandment apply to _____ today?

*Euthanasia or “death with _____”
(Gen. 27:1-4; 35:28,29)

* _____ crimes
(Mt. 5:21,22; 1 Jn. 3:15)

* _____
(Ex. 21:22,23; Ps. 139:13-16)

4. By the _____ of God you are _____ for _____ the 6th Commandment, and by the _____ of God you are _____ to _____ the 6th Commandment.
(1 Tim. 1:12-14)

Discussion Questions

1. Look over your sermon notes and then share which points were the most impactful for you personally. Explain why.
2. Before hearing this sermon, did you think that you had broken the 6th Commandment? Why or why not? Now what do you think?
3. How does a correct understanding of the Hebrew word which means “murder” (not kill) affect your understanding and application of the 6th Commandment?
4. Christians are often best known for what they are against, or whom or what they hate. How does the 6th Commandment speak to this behavior and what should a Christian do about this type of behavior?
5. What should Christians be known for (hint: Mk. 12:31; Lk. 6:27,28; Jn. 13:35)?
6. Why do you think that God uses war as a method for combating evil?
7. Moses, King David, Samson, and the Apostle Paul were all murderers, yet forgiven and used by God. What lessons can be learned from these examples?



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