

NONE LIKE HIM  
Exodus 20:1-3 CSB

*Then God spoke all these words: <sup>2</sup> "I am the LORD your God, who brought you out of the land of Egypt, out of the place of slavery."*

Exodus 20:1-2 (CSB)

*"Do not have other gods besides me."*

Exodus 20:3 (CSB)

1. This guardrail PROTECTS us from OURSELVES.
2. This guardrail STEERS us TOWARDS God.

*You reveal the path of life to me; in your presence is abundant joy; at your right hand are eternal pleasures.*

Psalms 16:11 (CSB)

*The LORD will always lead you, satisfy you in a parched land, and strengthen your bones. You will be like a watered garden and like a spring whose water never runs dry.*

Isaiah 58:11 (CSB)

*"Be strong and courageous; don't be terrified or afraid of them. For the LORD your God is the one who will go with you; he will not leave you or abandon you."*

Deuteronomy 31:6 (CSB)

3. The gospel FILLS IN the space between the guardrails.

*Now since the children have flesh and blood in common, Jesus also shared in these, so that through his death he might destroy the one holding the power of death—that is, the devil—<sup>15</sup> and free those who were held in slavery all their lives by the fear of death. <sup>16</sup> For it is clear that he does not reach out to help angels, but to help Abraham's offspring. <sup>17</sup> Therefore, he had to be like his brothers and sisters in every way, so that he could become a merciful and faithful high priest in matters pertaining to God, to make atonement for the sins of the people. <sup>18</sup> For since he himself has suffered when he was tempted, he is able to help those who are tempted.*

Hebrews 2:14-18 (CSB)

*If we confess our sins, he is faithful and righteous to forgive us our sins and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness. <sup>10</sup> If we say, "We have not sinned," we make him a liar, and his word is not in us.*

<sup>1</sup> My little children, I am writing you these things so that you may not sin. But if anyone does sin, we have an advocate with the Father—Jesus Christ the righteous one. <sup>2</sup> He

*himself is the atoning sacrifice for our sins, and not only for ours, but also for those of the whole world.*

1 John 1:9–2:2 (CSB)

*This is how we know that we love God's children: when we love God and obey his commands. <sup>3</sup> For this is what love for God is: to keep his commands. And his commands are not a burden, <sup>4</sup> because everyone who has been born of God conquers the world. This is the victory that has conquered the world: our faith.*

1 John 5:2-4 (CSB)

*Little children, guard yourselves from idols.*

1 John 5:21 (CSB)