# MATION RESCUE

Chapter 20 pt. 3

"Everyone who believes that Jesus is the Christ is born of God, and everyone who loves the father loves his child as well. This is how we know that we love the children of God: by loving God and carrying out his commands. ~ 1 John 5:1-5 | NIV84 "This is love for God: to obey his commands. And his commands are not burdensome, for everyone born of God overcomes the world. This is the victory that has overcome the world, even our faith. Who is it that overcomes the word?" ~ 1 John 5:1-5 NIV84

### "Only he who believes that Jesus is the Son of God."



#### 1. Have No Other gods

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- \* God will attention worship
- \* Popular
- \* America









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"Again, the devil took him to a very high mountain and showed him all the kingdoms of the world and their splendor. 'All this I will give you,' he said, 'if you will bow down and worship me."

"Jesus said to him, 'Away from me, Satan! For it is written: 'Worship the Lord your God, and serve him only."





#### 2. Don't make an idol

- \* Idols = copies of reality that God created (Rom. 1:21-25)
  - ★ Jealous: you have a desire for what is already yours (God is not intimidated by other so called gods like a jealous husband)

"Do not turn away after useless idols. They can do you no good, nor can they rescue you, because they are use ess.

"Those who cling to worthless idols forfeit the grace that could be theirs."

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- ★ You become like what you worship Psalm 135:15-18
- ★ God specifically reveals Himself and shows us how He wants to be worshipped in His Word

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- \* Generational Sin Ezekial 18
- \* How many generations does he show love too?

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\* There is power and authority in names and titles

"May the Lord answer you when you are in distress; may the name of the God of Jacob protect you."

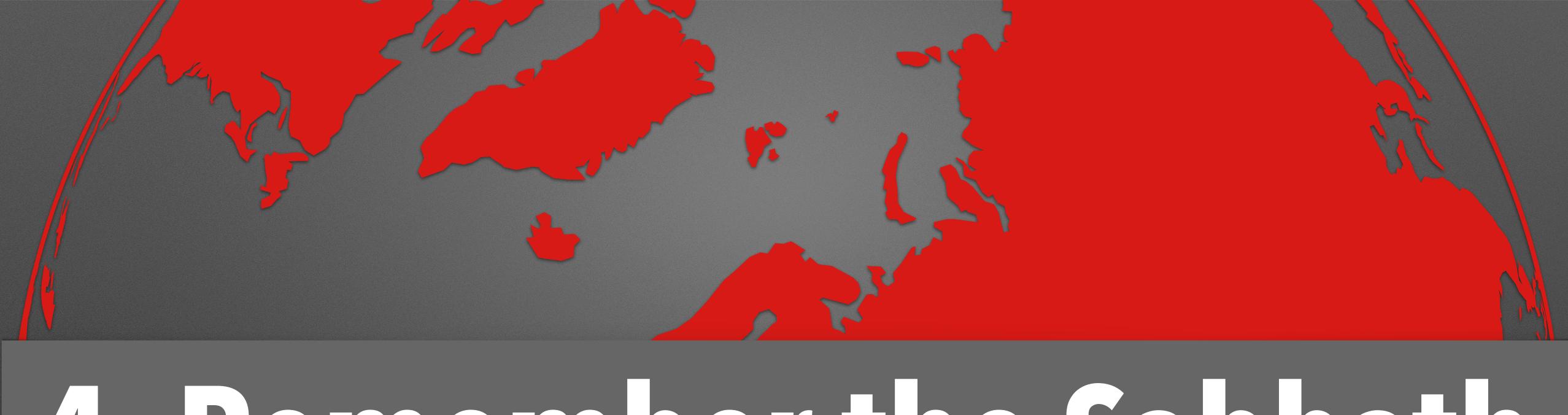
"Is any one of you sick? He should call the elders of the church to pray over him and anoint him with oil in the name of the Lord. And the prayer offered in faith will make the sick person well; the Lord will raise him up. If he has sinned, he will be forgiven." ~ James 5:14-15 | NIV84

"Therefore God exalted him to the highest placeand gave him the name that is above every name, that at the <u>name</u> of Jesus every knee should bow, in heaven and on earth and under the earth, and every"

"tongue confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father."

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- \* Cheapens who God & what he does
- **★ Creates for a us a wrong attitude/**posture in our relationship with
  Him
- **★ Misrepresents Him & tarnishes His** reputation & glory



#### 4. Remember the Sabbath



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- \* Reminds us that God is creator
- ★ Need spend time with the Lord, be thankful & enjoy His goodness
- **★ We aren't designed to work 7 days** a week Mk 2:27
- \* Matter of faith

"Come to me, all you who are weary and burdened, and I will give you rest. Take my yoke upon you and learn from me, for I am gentle and humble in heart, and you will find rest for your souls. For my yoke is easy and my burden is light." ~ Matthew 11:28-30 NIV84

## 5. Honor your Father a Mother

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- **★ First command with a promise - Eph. 6:1-2**
- **\* Capital Offense Lev. 20:9, Deut. 21:18-21**
- \* Matthew 15:1-9





#### 6. You shall not murder

- \* Can we agree this one makes sense
- **★ Cities of refuge were created for suspects**
- \* Hating your bro Matt. 5:21-26, 1 John 4:19-21

## 7. You shall not commit adultery

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- \* Matthew 5:27-30
- \* Also a capital offense where both people are put to death Lev. 20:10, Deut. 22:22
- \* John 8:1-11
- \* Why? Proverbs 5:3-11, 6:20-35





#### 8. You shall not steal

- \* If a person would just ask...
- \* All things are given by God not just stealing from that person
- \* Various Forms: Not paying debts, taking advantage of people in business, not providing the right product because of commission....

"He who has been stealing must steal no longer, but must work, doing something useful with his own hands, that he may have something to share with those in







#### 9. You shall not lie

- **A half truth is a whole lie -**withholding information with the intent to deceive or mislead
- \* Acts 5 Ananias & Sapphira
- **★ False witnesses are what the Sanhedrin used against Jesus**





#### 10. You shall not covet

- **★ Covet: to desire something that**you don't have
- ★ There is a reason why over \$200 billion was spent in advertising in the US last year!

"And I saw that all labor and all achievement spring from man's envy of his neighbor. This too is meaningless, a chasing after the wind."

"for I have learned to be content whatever the circumstances. I know what it is to be in need, and I know what it is to have plenty. I have learned the secret of being content in any and every situation, whether" "well fed or hungry, whether living in plenty or in want. I can do everything through him who gives me strength."

"But godliness with contentment is great gain. For we brought nothing into the world, and we can take nothing out of it. But if we have food and clothing, we will be content with that. People who want to get rich fall into temptation and a trap and into"

"many foolish and harmful desires that plunge men into ruin and destruction. For the love of money is a root of all kinds of evil. Some people, eager for money, have wandered from the faith and pierced themselves with many griefs."

~ 1 Timothy 6:6-10 | NIV84





The Law always comes with an altar because there must be a way to pay for sin.



### It's not about the altar...it's about the One who can alter your life!