

10 Commandments

Love & Hate

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A Study of Exodus 20:3-6

You shall love the one who made you, fear the one who created you, and glorify the one who redeemed you from death, you shall be sincere in heart, and rich in spirit; you shall not be joined to those who walk in the way of death, you shall hate all that is not pleasing to God, you shall hate all hypocrisy; you shall not forsake the commandments of the Lord.

- Pope Clement 1

Exodus 20:3 (LSB)

3 “You shall have no other gods before Me.

Exodus 22:19, Exodus 34:14, Leviticus 26:12, Deuteronomy 26:17-18, Deuteronomy 29:12-13

1) The First Commandment is a declaration of _____.

Romans 5:8

8 But God demonstrates His own love toward us, in that while we were yet sinners, Christ died for us.

How do we grow our love for God?

To truly know His love for us and trust Him

To learn about Him

To talk to Him

To share Him with others

To invest your time, talent, and treasure

To make Him a priority

To value what He values

Exodus 20:4-6 (LSB)

4 “You shall not make for yourself an idol, or any likeness of what is in heaven above or on the earth beneath or in the water under the earth. 5 “You shall not worship them or serve them; for I, Yahweh your God, am a jealous God, visiting the iniquity of the fathers on the children, on the third and the fourth generations of those who hate Me, 6 but showing lovingkindness to thousands, to those who love Me and keep My commandments.

Exodus 32:19-21, Exodus 34:6-7, Numbers 14:18

2) The second commandment: You will _____ what you _____.

Matthew 6:19-21, Matthew 6:24

Do you love God or hate Him?

The Litmus Test:

1 John 4:7-21, 1 Corinthians 13:4-7

*Expanded notes are available in the foyer.