

# Acts 2:17

‘And it shall come to pass in the last days,  
says God, That I will pour out of My Spirit on  
all flesh; Your sons and your daughters shall  
prophesy, Your young men shall see visions,  
Your old men shall dream dreams.

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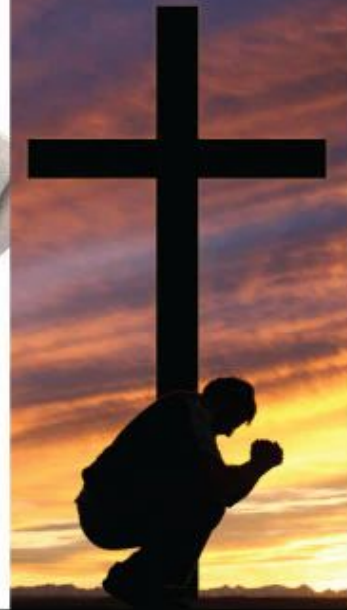
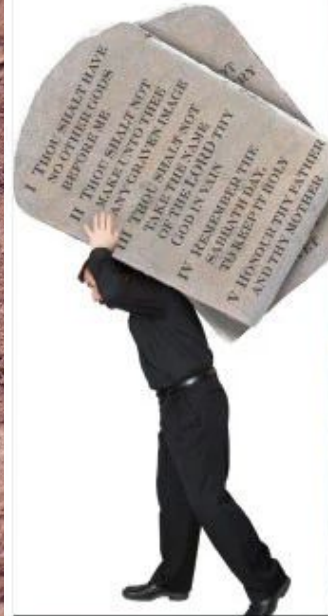
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# Under the Law or Under Grace?



*The law was given by Moses,  
but grace and truth came by Jesus Christ.*

*John 1:17*

GOD

ACCOUNTABILITY

FAITHFULNESS

UNFAILING

UNCONDITIONAL

PEACE

JOY

SELFLESS

GOODNESS

PATIENCE

BEARS  
ALL THINGS

HELPFUL

LONG  
SUFFERING

NO EVIL

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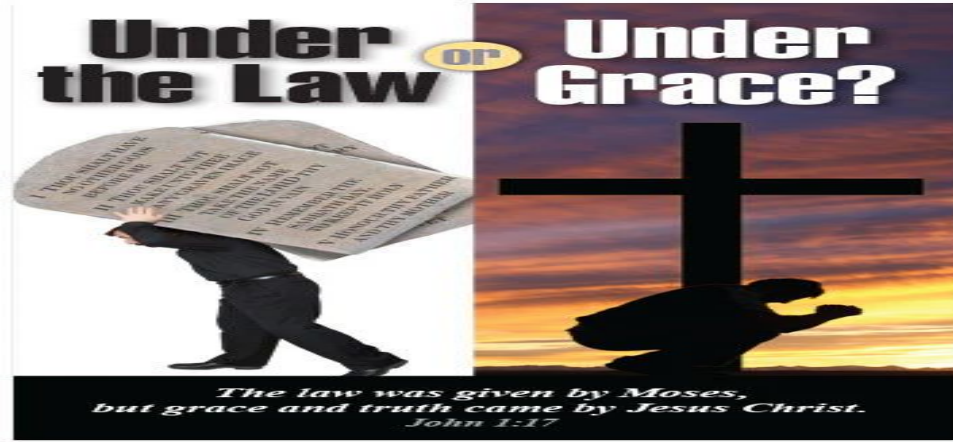
LAY DOWN  
LIFE

AFFECTION

NO ENVY  
KIND

GENEROUS





## Understanding God's love

1. God's Love is Unconditional and Unfailing
2. God's Love is Sacrificial
3. God's Love Transforms Us
4. God's Love is a Call to Action

## No Longer Under the Law but Under Grace

1. To Define Sin
2. To Impute Guilt to All
3. To Point to the Savior
4. To Abolish Performance-Based Christianity



# 1 Corinthians 13:4-8

**4** Love suffers long *and* is kind; love does not envy; love does not parade itself, is not [b]puffed up; **5** does not behave rudely, does not seek its own, is not provoked, [c]thinks no evil; **6** does not rejoice in iniquity, but rejoices in the truth; **7** bears all things, believes all things, hopes all things, endures all things. **8** Love never fails.

# John 3:16

For God so loved the world that He gave His only begotten Son, that whoever believes in Him should not perish but have everlasting life.



## **John 12:25**

He who loves his life will lose it, and he who hates his life in this world will keep it for eternal life.

## **John 13:34**

A new commandment I give to you, that you love one another; as I have loved you, that you also love one another.

## **John 15:13**

Greater love has no one than this, than to lay down one's life for his friends.

## **Hebrews 12:6**

For whom the Lord loves He chastens, And scourges every son whom He receives.”

## **1 John 3:16**

By this we know love, because He laid down His life for us. And we also ought to lay down our lives for the brethren.

## **1 John 4:10**

In this is love, not that we loved God, but that He loved us and sent His Son to be the propitiation for our sins.

## **1 John 4:19**

We love Him because He first loved us.

# 1 John 4:8

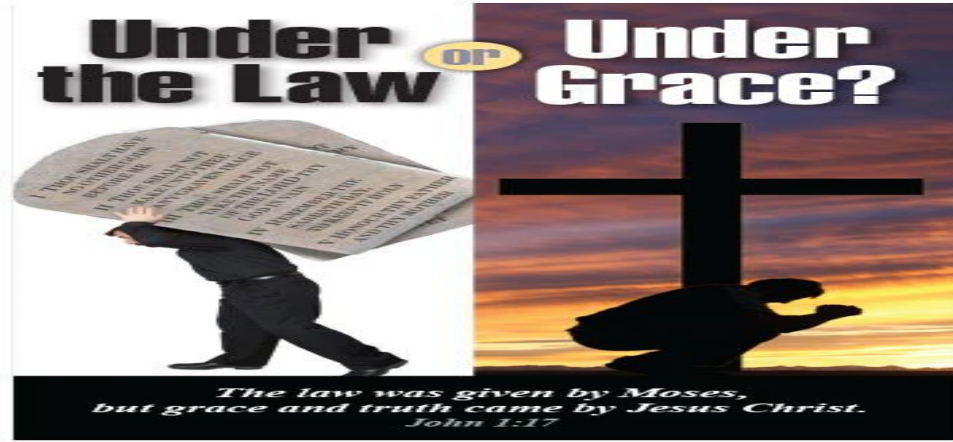
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**God is love.**





# Extensive List of things You can do to

| <b>Make God Love<br/>You more</b> | <b>Make God Love<br/>You less</b> |
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# Genesis 4:14-17

**14** Surely You have driven me out this day from the face of the ground; I shall be hidden from Your face; I shall be a fugitive and a vagabond on the earth, and it will happen *that* anyone who finds me will kill me.”

**15** And the LORD said to him, [a]“Therefore, whoever kills Cain, vengeance shall be taken on him sevenfold.” And the LORD set a mark on Cain, lest anyone finding him should kill him.



# Genesis 4:23-24

**23** Then Lamech said to his wives:

“Adah and Zillah, hear my voice;  
Wives of Lamech, listen to my speech!  
For I have [a]killed a man for wounding me,  
Even a young man [b]for hurting me.

**24** If Cain shall be avenged sevenfold, Then  
Lamech seventy-sevenfold.”

## Genesis 6:5-6

5 Then the LORD saw that the wickedness of man *was* great in the earth, and ***that every intent of the thoughts of his heart was only evil continually***. 6 And the LORD was sorry that He had made man on the earth, and He was grieved in His heart.

# Romans 5:13

For until the **law** sin was in the world, but sin is not imputed when there is no law.





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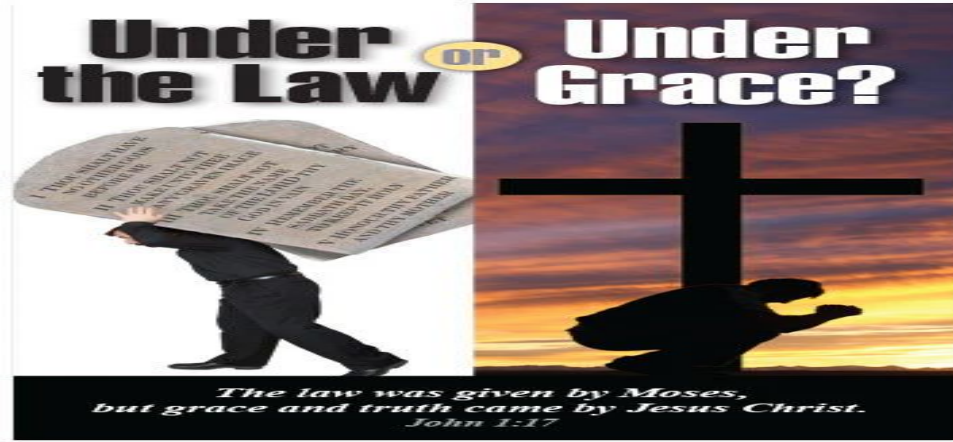
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Rom 5:13  
No law = not charged

## Romans 7:7

What shall we say then? Is the law sin? Certainly not! On the contrary, I would not have known sin except through the law. For I would not have known covetousness unless the law had said, "You shall not covet."



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# Romans 3:23

for all have sinned and fall short of  
the glory of God,

# Romans 7:15-18

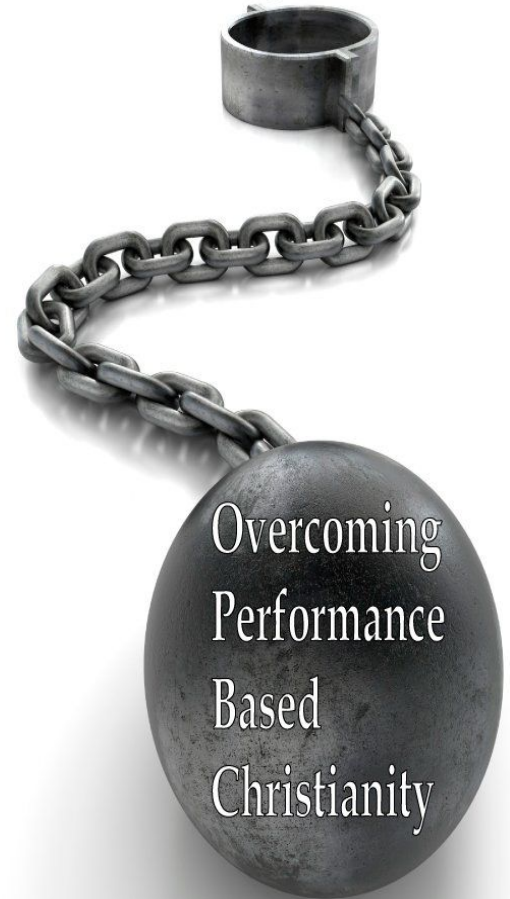
**15** For what I am doing, I do not understand. For what I will to do, that I do not practice; but what I hate, that I do. **16** If, then, I do what I will not to do, I agree with the law that *it is* good. **17** But now, *it is* no longer I who do it, but sin that dwells in me. **18** For I know that in me (that is, in my flesh) nothing good dwells; for to will is present with me, but *how* to perform what is good I do not find.

Therefore no one will be  
declared righteous in God's  
sight by observing the law;  
rather, through the law we  
become conscious of our sin.

Romans 3:20



# Freed By Grace



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COMMENTARIES

HOW DOES IT

APPLY  
TO ME

BIBLE