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A LOOK AT GOD'S
UNWAVERING COMMANDS

Without looking
at your phone or Bible,
where do we find the Ten
Commandments
in the Bible?

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What are the
Ten Commandments?

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Exodus 20:1-3 (p52) & Mark 12:28-31 (p693)

Question: How are these commandments divided?

Answer: Into two tables. The first has four commandments, teaching us how we ought to live in relation to God. The second has six commandments, teaching us what we owe our neighbor.

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Ephesians 2:1-5 “As for you, you were dead in your transgressions & sins, ²in which you used to live when you followed the ways of this world & of the ruler of the kingdom of the air, the spirit who is now at work in those who are disobedient. ³All of us also lived among them at one time, gratifying the cravings of our flesh & following its desires & thoughts. Like the rest, we were by nature deserving of wrath. ⁴But because of his great love for us, God, who is rich in mercy, ⁵made us alive with Christ even when we were dead in transgressions - it is by grace you have been saved.”

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“I’ve done this for you, so here is what I want in return: I don’t want you to put any other gods before me. Let me be first in your life. I’ve set you free, so please don’t go & enslave yourself to something or someone else. Just follow Me.”

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Galatians 5:1

“It is for freedom that Christ has set us free. Stand firm, then, and do not let yourselves be burdened again by a yoke of slavery.”



Leviticus 26:13

“I am the Lord your God, who brought you out of Egypt so that you would no longer be slaves to the Egyptians; I broke the bars of your yoke & enabled you to walk with heads held high.”

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“It is finished”
John 19:30

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“You are not your own; you were bought at a price.”

I Corinthians 6:19-20

Romans 6:15-16

“Shall we sin because we are not under the law but under grace? By no means!

16Don't you know that when you offer yourselves to someone as obedient slaves, you are slaves of the one you obey - whether you are slaves to sin, which leads to death, or to obedience, which leads to righteousness?”

John 8:36

*“If the Son sets you free,
you will be free indeed.”*

John 8:34

“I tell you the truth, everyone who sins is a slave to sin.”

Romans 6:23

“For the wages of sin is death.”

Worship is the response
to whatever we value most.

Psalm 63:1

*“O God, you are my God,
earnestly I seek you; my soul
thirsts for you, my body longs
for you, in a dry & weary land
where there is no water.”*

Psalm 63:3-5

“Because your love is better than life, my lips will glorify you. I will praise you as long as I live, and in your name I will lift up my hands. My soul will be satisfied as with the richest of foods; with singing, lips my mouth will praise you.”

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The Nature of Our God...
Creator - King - Trinity - Savior

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The Heidelberg Catechism

God requires “that I rightly know the only true God, trust Him alone, and look to God for every good thing humbly & patiently, and love, fear, and honor God with all my heart. In short, that I give up anything rather than go against God’s will in any way.”

The pathway to avoid putting
other gods before the one
true God is to love Him.

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If you wonder if God loves you,
look to Jesus on the cross.

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If you wonder if God wants to be in a relationship with you, look to what Jesus went through so you can be together.

If you wonder if you're accepted, hear the words of Jesus on the cross as found in John 19:30: "*It is finished.*" Nothing more needs to be done!

If you're wondering how
you can respond,
hear Jesus's words about
following Him: "If anyone would
come after Me, let him deny
himself & take up his cross daily
& follow Me" (Luke 9:23).

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“I am the Lord your God, who brought you out of Egypt, out of the land of slavery. You shall have no other gods before me.”

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Have you repented?
Have you trusted in Christ?

Do you want true freedom?