

GOD'S BLUEPRINT FOR LIVING

Exodus 20:1
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“And God spoke all these words: I am the Lord your God, who brought you out of Egypt, out of the land of slavery.” Ex. 20:1

WHY DOES GOD GIVES US COMMANDS?

1. To Show Us What Is _____ To Him

2. To Help Us Live _____ And _____ as Christians.

“So be careful to do what the Lord your God has commanded you; do not turn aside to the right or to the left. Walk in all the way that the Lord has commanded you, so that you may live and prosper and prolong your days in the land that you will possess.” Deuteronomy 5:32 - 33:

“Do not let this Book of the Law depart from your mouth; meditate on it day and night, so that you may be careful to do everything written in it. Then you will be prosperous and successful.” Joshua 1:8

3. To Set Us _____ As His People

“You are the salt of the earth. But if the salt loses its saltiness, how can it be made salty again? It is no longer good for anything, except to be thrown out and trampled by men.

You are the light of the world. A city on a hill cannot be hidden. Neither do people light a lamp and put it under a bowl. Instead they put it on its stand, and it gives light to everyone in the house. In the same way, let your light shine before men, that they may see your good deeds and praise your Father in heaven.” Matthew 5: 13-16

“Dear friends, I urge you, as aliens and strangers in the world, to abstain from sinful desires, which war against your soul. Live such good lives among the pagans that, though they accuse you of wrong doing, they may see your good deeds and glorify God on the day He visits us.” 1 Peter 2:11-12

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