THE LAW OF GOD

WHAT IS THE PURPOSE OF THE LAW OF GOD?

Therefore by the deeds of the law there shall no flesh be justified in his sight: for by the law is the knowledge of sin. Romans 3:20

HOW DOES THE BIBLE DEFINE SIN?

Whosoever committeth sin transgresseth also the law: for sin is the transgression of the law. 1 John 3:4

WOULD THERE BE SIN IF THERE WAS NO LAW?

Because the law worketh wrath: for where no law is, there is no transgression. Romans 4:15

WHAT SIN DID CAIN COMMIT?

If thou doest well, shalt thou not be accepted? and if thou doest not well, sin lieth at the door. And unto thee shall be his desire, and thou shalt rule over him.

And Cain talked with Abel his brother: and it came to pass, when they were in the field, that Cain rose up against Abel his brother, and slew him. Genesis 4:7, 8

WHAT WERE THE PEOPLE OF SODOM CALLED?

But the men of Sodom were wicked and *sinners* before the LORD exceedingly. *Genesis* 13:13

DID ABRAHAM KEEP THE COMMANDMENTS OF GOD?

Because that Abraham obeyed my voice, and kept my charge, my commandments, my statutes, and my laws. Genesis 26:5

WHAT COMMANDMENT DID JOSEPH REFUSE TO BREAK?

And it came to pass after these things, that his master's wife cast her eyes upon Joseph; and she said, *Lie with me*.

But *he refused*, and said unto his master's wife, Behold, my master wotteth not what is with me in the house, and he hath committed all that he hath to my hand;

There is none greater in this house than I; neither hath he kept back any thing from me but thee, because thou art his wife: how then can I do this great wickedness, and sin against God? Genesis 39:7-9

WHAT TEST OF OBEDIENCE DID GOD GIVE TO ISRAEL?

Then said the LORD unto Moses, Behold, *I will rain bread from heaven* for you; and the people shall go out and gather a certain rate every day, *that I may prove them, whether they will walk in my law, or no. Exodus 16:4*

WERE THEY OBEDIENT OR DID THEY SIN AGAINST GOD?

And he said unto them, This is that which the LORD hath said, To morrow is the rest of the holy sabbath unto the LORD: bake that which ye will bake to day, and seethe

that ye will seethe [boil]; and that which remaineth over lay up for you to be kept until the morning.

And they laid it up till the morning, as Moses bade: and it did not stink, neither was there any worm therein.

And Moses said, Eat that to day; for to day is a sabbath unto the LORD: to day ye shall not find it in the field.

Six days ye shall gather it; but on the seventh day, which is the sabbath, in it there shall be none.

And it came to pass, that there went out some of the people on the seventh day for to gather, and they found none.

And the LORD said unto Moses, How long refuse ye to keep my commandments and my laws? Exodus 16:23-28

HOW WERE THE COMMANDMENTS WRITTEN?

And he gave unto Moses, when he had made an end of communing with him upon mount Sinai, two tables of testimony, tables of stone, written with the finger of God. Exodus 31:18

DID JESUS CHANGE THE LAW?

Think not that I am come to destroy the law, or the prophets: I am not come to destroy, but to fulfil.

For verily I say unto you, Till heaven and earth pass, one jot or one tittle shall in no wise pass from the law, till all be fulfilled. Matthew 5:17, 18

NOTE: Jesus said "do not even think" that He came to do away with the law.

DOES FAITH ABOLISH GOD'S LAW?

Do we then make void the law through faith? *God forbid*: yea, we establish the law. *Romans 3:31*

WHO WILL THE FAITHFUL BE WHEN JESUS COMES?

Here is the patience of the saints: here are they that keep the commandments of God, and the faith of Jesus. Revelation 14:12

HOW LONG WILL HIS COMMANDMENTS STAND?

The works of his hands are verity and judgment; all his commandments are sure. They stand fast for ever and ever, and are done in truth and uprightness. Psalm 111:7, 8

HOW DO WE SHOW OUR LOVE FOR JESUS?

If ye love me, keep my commandments....

He that hath my commandments, and keepeth them, he it is that loveth me: and he that loveth me shall be loved of my Father, and I will love him, and will manifest myself to him....

Jesus answered and said unto him, If a man love me, he will keep my words: and my Father will love him, and we will come unto him, and make our abode with him. John 14:15, 21, 23