

Deuteronomy 5:6-21 (CEB)

⁶I am the Lord your God, who brought you out of Egypt, out of the house of slavery.

⁷You must have no other gods before me. ⁸Do not make an idol for yourself—no form whatsoever—of anything in the sky above or on the earth below or in the waters under the earth. ⁹Do not bow down to them or worship them because I, the Lord your God, am a passionate God. I punish children for their parents' sins—even to the third and fourth generations of those who hate me. ¹⁰But I am loyal and gracious to the thousandth generation of those who love me and keep my commandments.

¹¹Do not use the Lord your God's name as if it were of no significance; the Lord won't forgive anyone who uses his name that way.

¹²Keep the Sabbath day and treat it as holy, exactly as the Lord your God commanded: ¹³Six days you may work and do all your tasks, ¹⁴but the seventh day is a Sabbath to the Lord your God. Don't do any work on it—not you, your sons or daughters, your male or female servants, your oxen or donkeys or any of your animals, or the immigrant who is living among you—so that your male and female servants can rest just like you. ¹⁵Remember that you were a slave in Egypt, but the Lord your God brought you out of there with a strong hand and an outstretched arm. That's why the Lord your God commands you to keep the Sabbath day.

¹⁶Honor your father and your mother, exactly as the Lord your God requires, so that your life will be long and so that things will go well for you on the fertile land that the Lord your God is giving you.

¹⁷Do not kill.

¹⁸Do not commit adultery.

¹⁹Do not steal.

²⁰Do not testify falsely against your neighbor.

²¹Do not desire and try to take your neighbor's wife.

Do not crave your neighbor's house, field, male or female servant, ox, donkey, or anything else that belongs to your neighbor.

Matthew 22:34-40 (CEB)

Great commandment

³⁴When the Pharisees heard that Jesus had left the Sadducees speechless, they met together. ³⁵One of them, a legal expert, tested him. ³⁶“Teacher, what is the greatest commandment in the Law?”

³⁷He replied, “*You must love the Lord your God with all your heart, with all your being, and with all your mind.* ³⁸This is the first and greatest commandment. ³⁹And the second is like it: *You must love your neighbor as you love yourself.* ⁴⁰All the Law and the Prophets depend on these two commands.”