

## Oh, How I Love Your Law!

Week 12 – The First Commandment: Duties Commanded

OT: Exodus 20:1-3 | NT: Matthew 4:8-10

Psalm 119:73-80

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### What are the duties commanded in the First Commandment?

- 1) To know and acknowledge the LORD God to be:
  - a. The only one true God, and
  - b. Our God (1 Chronicles 28:9; Deuteronomy 26:17; Isaiah 43:10; Jeremiah 14:22)
  
- 2) To worship and glorify him in that reality (Psalm 29:2; Psalm 95:6-7; Matthew 4:10)
  - a. In our thinking (Malachi 3:16)
  - b. In our meditation (Psalm 63:6)
  - c. In our remembering (Ecclesiastes 12:1)
  - d. In our estimations of value (Psalm 71:19)
  - e. In our honoring (Malachi 1:6)
  - f. In our adoration (Isaiah 45:23)
  - g. In our choosing/appointing (Jeremiah 24:15-21)
  - h. In our love (Deuteronomy 6:5)
  - i. In our desires (Psalm 73:25)
  - j. In our fear and reverence (Isaiah 8:13)
  
- 3) To therefore believe him (Exodus 14:31; Genesis 15:6; Romans 4:3; Galatians 3:6; James 2:23)
  - a. with our trust unto him (Isaiah 26:4)
  - b. with our hope in him (Psalm 130:7; Psalm 131:3; Isaiah 8:17; 1 Peter 3:15)
  - c. with our delight in him (Psalm 1:2; Psalm 37:4; Isaiah 58:14)
  
- 4) To therefore rejoice in him (Deuteronomy 12:7, 12; 1 Chronicles 16:10; Psalm 32:11; Psalm 64:10; Psalm 97:12; Psalm 118:24; Philippians 4:4)
  - a. With zeal (Numbers 25:11, 2 Kings 10:15; Psalm 119:139; John 2:17; Romans 12:11)
  - b. With all thanksgiving and praise (Psalm 100:4; Philippians 4:6)
  
- 5) To therefore yield in total obedience unto him with the whole man (Deuteronomy 13:4; Jeremiah 7:28; James 4:7)
  - a. With a desire to please him (1 John 3:22)
  - b. With sorrow in our offense unto him (Psalm 51; Ezra 10; Jeremiah 31:18; Psalm 119:136)
  - c. With humility in our walk with him (Proverbs 22:4; Isaiah 66:1-2; Zephaniah 2:3; Micah 6:8; Acts 20:18)