MARK 12:29-31



HOME TALK

Making Disciples in the Middle of Everyday Life

Talking about The Ten Commandments

18 What does God demand of you in the law?

In the law, God demands that I be as pure and holy as He is in everything I think, in everything I say and in everything I do.

Luke 10:27 "And he answered, "You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your strength and with all your mind, and your neighbor as yourself."

19 Can you be saved through keeping the law?

No, I cannot be saved through keeping the law because since the Fall no human being has been able to keep God's Law perfectly.

Romans 3:23 "...for all have sinned and fall short of the glory of God..." Galatians 2:16b "...so we also have believed in Christ Jesus, in order to be justified by faith in Christ and not by works of the law, because by works of the law no one will be justified."

20 Is the law, then, of any benefit?

Yes, God's law is of great benefit to me.

1 Timothy 1:8 "Now we know that the law is good, if one uses it lawfully..."



21 What does the law do?

1. The law sets up a standard of moral values by which every human society is to be regulated and evil restrained.

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Romans 3:20 "For by works of the law no human being will be justified in his sight, since through the law comes knowledge of sin."

2. The law shows me my sin and God's hatred of it, troubles my conscience, and shows me my need to seek Christ.

Galatians 3:24 "So then, the law was our guardian until Christ came, in order that we might be justified by faith."

3. The law guides me on how I would live, after God by

Psalm 119:105 "Your word is a lamp to my feet and a light to my path."

Scriptures are noted in the English Standard Version

