

Moses – How do we Live the Ten Commandments? Part 2

Exodus 20:12-17 ¹² "Honor your father and your mother, so that you may live long in the land the LORD your God is giving you. ¹³ "You shall not murder. ¹⁴ "You shall not commit adultery. ¹⁵ "You shall not steal. ¹⁶ "You shall not give false testimony against your neighbor. ¹⁷ "You shall not covet your neighbor's house. You shall not covet your neighbor's wife, or his manservant or maidservant, his ox or donkey, or anything that belongs to your neighbor."

“Simple” commands do not mean they are simple to live.

¹² "Honor your father and your mother, so that you may live long in the land the LORD your God is giving you.

1) Honor and children.

2) What should we do?

If possible extend _____ to your parents in _____ and _____.

3) Do not use excuses, “spiritual” or otherwise to avoid giving honor.

Mark 7:9-13 ⁹ "You have a fine way of setting aside the commands of God in order to observe your own traditions! ¹⁰ For Moses said, 'Honor your father and your mother,' and, 'Anyone who curses his father or mother must be put to death.' ¹¹ But you say that if a man says to his father or mother: 'Whatever help you might otherwise have received from me is Corban' (that is, a gift devoted to God), ¹² then you no longer let him do anything for his father or mother. ¹³ Thus you nullify the word of God by your tradition that you have handed down. And you do many things like that."

¹³ "You shall not murder.

An individual member of the _____ does not have the right to take another person's _____.

Are there any circumstances in our society where the community as a whole has abdicated their roles in life and death situations and given individuals the right to decide if another person lives or dies?

1) _____

2) _____

What Should We Do?

As a Christian community, _____ with them through the valley of the shadow of _____.