

The Ten Commandments

I. Thou shalt have no other gods before Me.

II. Thou shalt not make unto thee any graven image, or any likeness of anything that is in heaven above, or that is in the earth beneath, or that is in the water under the earth: Thou shalt not bow down thyself to them, nor serve them: for I the Lord thy God am a jealous God visiting the iniquity of the fathers upon the children unto the third and fourth generation of them that hate Me: and showing mercy unto thousands of them that love Me and keep My commandments.

III. Thou shalt not take the Name of the Lord thy God in vain; for the Lord will not hold him guiltless that taketh His Name in vain.

IV. Remember the Sabbath day, to keep it holy. Six days shalt thou labour, and do all thy work: but the seventh day is the Sabbath of the Lord thy God: in it thou shalt not do any work, thou, nor thy son, nor thy daughter, thy manservant, nor thy maidservant, nor thy cattle, nor thy stranger that is within thy gates: for in six days the Lord made heaven and earth, the sea, and all that in them is, and rested the seventh day: wherefore the Lord blessed the Sabbath day, and hallowed it.

V. Honor thy father and thy mother: that thy days may be long upon the land which the Lord thy God giveth thee.

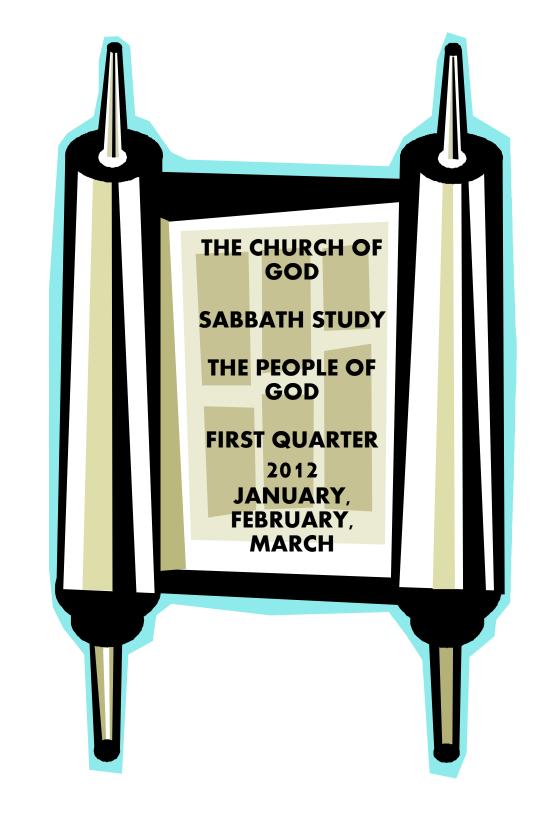
VI. Thou shalt not kill.

VII. Thou shalt not commit adultery.

VIII. Thou shalt not steal.

IX. Thou shalt not bear false witness against thy neighbor.

X. Thou shalt not covet thy neighbour's house, thou shalt not covet thy neighbour's wife, nor his manservant, nor his maidservant, nor his ox, nor his ass, nor anything that is thy neighbour's.



The Secret of Bible Study

Study IT through - Never begin a day without reading and understanding one of the questions of the next Sabbath's Lesson.

Pray about IT - Never leave your Bible until the text you have read and studied is apart of your very being.

Write IT down - The thoughts that God gives you put it on your margin or in a note book, etc. Refer to this when having the review or the study of the lesson in Sabbath school.

Work IT out - Live the truth you receive through out the rest of the day and think about it as you go to sleep.

Pass IT on - Seek to tell somebody, your family, neighbour or friend, what you have learned and perhaps your listener will start to do the same thing as you. Surely soon after you will have the beginnings of a Sabbath school.

The Church of God believes that there is only one source which will bring us to salvation through Jesus the Christ. This source can not be added to nor taken away from. Revelation 22:18,19

- 18 For I testify unto every man that heareth the words of the prophecy of this book, If any man shall add unto these things, God shall add unto him the plagues that are written in this book:
- 19 And if any man shall take away from the words of the book of this prophecy, God shall take away his part out of the book of life, and out of the holy city, and from the things which are written in this book. Deuteronomy 4:2; Revelation 1:3.

We are told repeatedly God's word is unchangeable why do so many add to and take away from it?

SABBATH STUDY MARCH 31, 2012

JESUS

Scripture Reading: John 1:1-19 Golden Text: John 5: 19

- 1. What is the first prophecy of the one whose word overcomes the devil? Genesis 3:15
- 2. What have the prophets to say about the birth of the Messiah? Isaiah 7:14; Matthew 1:23
- 3. What are the first recordings of the young boy Jesus? Luke 2:41-45
- 4. Where was the boy Jesus and what was he doing? Luke 2:46-49
- 5. Where else does Jesus speak of the importance of serving God first even over parents or any one? Matthew 12:46-50
- 6. About what age was Jesus at his baptism? Luke 3:22, 23
- 7. Let's look at some Old Testament text and discuss what the Prophets were saying or relating to? Psalms 78:35; Isaiah 44:6; Isaiah 44:11
- 8. Do Jesus and his disciples support what we just read that there is one greater than himself? John 5:19, 21-23, 27, 30; 1 Corinthians 15:28; John 1:8
- 9. What was Jesus' character like towards others? Matthew 9:10; 12:31; 21:32

SABBATH STUDY MARCH 24, 2012

SOLOMON

Scripture Reading: 1 Kings 1:5-53

Golden Text: 1 Kings 2:12

- 1. When David was King of Judah and lived in Hebron what children were born to him, and then what children was born to him when he became King of Israel and lived at Jerusalem? 1 Chronicles 3:1-9
- 2. Where did this put Solomon in position for being King? 1 Chronicles 3:1-9
- 3. How did Solomon become King? 1 Kings 1:17
- 4. When God asked Solomon what he would ask of him what did he ask for? 1 Kings 3:5-15
- 5. How did he prove himself of this wisdom? 1 Kings 3:16-28
- 6. What instruction did King David leave his son Solomon when on his dying bed? 1 Kings 2:1-3
- 7. What do the scriptures tell us about Solomon's Kingdom? 1 Kings 2:12
- 8. Who came up to see Solomon and test him to see if he were as great and wise as they had heard? 1 Kings 9:1-10
- 9. In Solomon's pursuit for peace what error did he make? 1 King 3:1; 11:1, 2
- 10. What does the Bible tell us was the result of these women? 1 Kings 11:4-8
- 11. How did God deal with Solomon on this matter? 1 Kings 11:9-11, 29-36

SABBATH STUDY JANUARY 7, 2011

JOHN THE REVELATOR

Scripture Reading: 2 John 1-13 Golden Text: 1 John 1:3

- 1. Who was John's bother and Father? Matthew 4:21
- 2. What was John's profession? Matthew 4:21
- 3. What did Jesus say they would become if they followed him? Matthew 4:19
- 4. How many books did John write in the New Testament?
- 5. How does John introduce Jesus to us in his gospel? John 1:1-3
- 6. In the letters to the Churches what would you say is John's theme look to these following scriptures? 1 John 1:3; 1 John 2:3,4,7; 1 John 3:2,4,9,10; 2 John 1:5,6; 3 John 1:11,12
- 7. What does John teach us of the man Jesus? 2 John 1:7
- 8. What does John tell us about the doctrine of Christ as to do with our relationship with Him and the Father? 1 John 1:9
- 9. By the teachings of John are we to receive any other doctrine? 1 John 1:10
- 10. Are we told that Revelation is a book? Revelation 1:11
- 11. John tells us we will be judged out of the books. Revelation 20:12 since Revelation is referred to as a book is it safe to conclude that the Bible is made up of books and these are the books we will be judged by?
- 12. What are we told about altering anything laid out in God's word? Revelation 22:18, 19; Proverbs 30:6; Deuteronomy 4:2; 12:32
- 13. What was John's role in the revelation of Jesus the Christ? Revelation 1:1

SABBATH STUDY JANUARY 14, 2012

JOHN THE BAPTIST

Scripture Reading: Matthew 3:1-17 Golden Text: Matthew 11:2

1. What was John's lineage? Luke 1:5; Luke 1:8-13

2. Was John the Baptist and Jesus related? Luke 1:36

3. What type of preacher was John? Matthew 3:7-10; Mark 6:17; Luke 3:19

4. Did John recognize Jesus as special before God? Matthew 3:13-15; John 1:29, 30

5. What did John have to say about his baptism and Jesus' baptism? Matthew 3:11

6. What was John's role? John 1:19-23

7. Why was John in prison? Mark 6:16-20

8. What happened to John? Mark 6:21-28

9. In John's last days did he struggle with his conviction of Jesus? Matthew 11:2, 3

10. Finally what was John's testimony of Jesus? John 1:19, 31-37

SABBATH STUDY MARCH 17, 2012

MOSES

Scripture Reading: Exodus 2:1-25

Golden Text: Exodus 3:6

- 1. Why did Pharaoh's daughter give him the name Moses? Exodus 2:10
- 2. Long before there was a Levitical Priesthood what does the parents of Moses show us? Exodus 2:1, 2
- 3. What type of upbringing would Moses have had? Exodus 2:10, 19
- 4. Using a Strong's concordance what would you learn about what seems to be two names for Zipporah's father Reuel and Jethro? Exodus 2:18; 3:1
- 5. What was Moses first encounter with the God of Heaven, and who actually appeared to Moses? Exodus 3:2-4
- 6. How did God introduce himself to Moses? Exodus 3:6
- 7. What task did God call Moses to? Exodus 3:7-10
- 8. What very pertinent question did Moses ask God and what was His answer especially verse 15? Exodus 3:13-15
- 9. What prevented Moses from entering into the promise land? Numbers 20:8 -12
- 10. Who buried Moses and did anyone know where he is buried? Deuteronomy 34:5-6
- 11. How old was Moses when he died? Deuteronomy 34:7
- 12. Who replaced Moses? Deuteronomy 34:9
- 13. What can we take from Jude's account of Michael's dispute with the devil over the body of Moses? Jude 9

SABBATH STUDY MARCH 10, 2012

KING DAVID

Scripture Reading: 2 Samuel 2:1-32 Golden Text: 2 Samuel 1:17

- 1. Who was David first King over? 2 Samuel 2:7
- 2. Who caused the division between Judah and Israel at this time? 2 Samuel 2:7-10
- 3. Before David was chosen by the men of Judah who told him what city to settle in? 2 Samuel 2:1
- 4. How went the battles between Judah and Israel? 2 Samuel 2:17-31; 3:1
- 5. After losing many battles with Judah what did Abner do? 2 Samuel 3:12-18
- 6. How did Abner and David separate? 2 Samuel 3:22
- 7. What happened to Abner and what was David's response to it? 2 Samuel 3: 24-30
- 8. David was a great warrior, but he always looked to God for direction first? 2 Samuel 5:23-25
- 9. When David asked about building a house for God what vision was Nathan given to deliver to David? 2 Samuel 7:1-17
- 10. What was one of David's sins? 2 Samuel 11:2-4
- 11. How did David try and cover this up? 2 Samuel 11:5-17
- 12. What was the outcome of this sin? 2 Samuel 12:1-14
- 13. Who did David choose to become King in his stead? 1 Kings 1:28-34

SABBATH STUDY JANUARY 21, 2012

PETER

Scripture Reading: 1 Peter 1:1-25 Golden Text: Matthew 16:17

- 1. What was Peter's profession? Matthew 4:18
- 2. What is Peter's birth name? Matthew 4:18; John 1:40
- 3. What did Jesus change it to and what did it mean? John 1:41, 42
- 4. How are we to interpret this following scripture? Matthew 16:18
- 5. Who denied Jesus and how many times? Matthew 26:33, 34
- 6. Was Peter one of the chosen Apostles? Matthew 10:2
- 7. Which Apostle preached the first New Testament message? Acts 2:14
- 8. Who did Peter take his message to during his ministry? 1 Peter 1:1
- 9. Did Peter speak of his own death and where did he say he received that knowledge? 2 Peter 1: 14
- 10. Was Peter married and if so what importance has it to do with the false teaching in some of the churches today? Matthew 8:14

SABBATH STUDY JANUARY 28, 2012

THE APOSTLES

Scripture Reading: Matthew 10:1-41

Golden Text: Luke 6:13

1. Who are the twelve apostles? Matthew 10:2-4

2. Who was the first apostle Paul met? Galatians 1:19

3. There are two James who are they the sons of? Mark 3:17, 18

4. Who were Jesus Brothers? Matthew 13:55

5. It is considered that James the son of Alphaeus is firstly the brother of Jesus or secondly his cousin what do you think?

6. What was Matthew's profession? Matthew 9:9

7. What was Matthew's introduction to the Gospel of Jesus the Christ? Matthew 2:1-4

8. What is Marks full name? Acts 12:12

9. What was Mark's introduction to the Gospel Of Jesus the Christ? Mark 1:1 -4

10. What was Andrew's profession? Mark 1:16

11. Little is known Biblically of Andrew although he is mentioned a number of times list some of the events he was involved with. Mark 1:29; 13:3; John 6:8-12

12. Other than Bartholomew being named as one of the 12 what other time is he spoken of? Acts 1:13

Continue next week.

SABBATH STUDY MARCH 3, 2012

DAVID

Scripture Reading: 1 Samuel 16:1-23

Golden Text: 1 Samuel 17:37

1. When Samuel went to anoint David was it done openly? 1 Samuel 16:2, 3

2. How many sons passed before Samuel prior to David?

3. Who did Samuel first think was God's choice and what did God tell him? 1 Samuel 16:6, 7

4. How many of Jesse's sons passed before Samuel? 1 Samuel 16:10

5. Speak on the stature of David when he came before Samuel? 1 Samuel 16: 11, 12

6. When David was anointed to be King was there still a King in Israel? 1 Samuel 16:1

7. What troubled David when he had taken food to his brothers at the battle with the Philistines? 1 Samuel 17:20-23

8. What was David's question of this call to battle from the Philistine Goliath? 1 Samuel 17:26

9. When these words were brought to Saul what did he do? 1 Samuel 17:31-33

10. What was David's reply to King Saul? 1 Samuel 17:34-37

11. How did David go before Goliath? 1 Samuel 17:38-40

12. What transpired between David and Goliath and how did it end? 1 Samuel 17:41-51

SABBATH STUDY FEBRUARY 25, 2012

SABBATH STUDY FEBRUARY 4, 2012

RUTH

Scripture Reading: Ruth 1:1-22 Golden Text: Ruth 2:11

1. What are Ruth's kinsmen? Ruth 1:22; 1:4

2. What do we know of Ruth? Ruth 1:15-18

3. What burden did Ruth take on in order to provide for her and Naomi? Ruth 2:3

4. Who did Ruth meet while gleaning? Ruth 2:5, 6

5. What was Boaz stature? Ruth 2:1

6. What did Boaz instruct Ruth to do? Ruth 2:8-10

7. What did Boaz have to say about Ruth's character? Ruth 2:11

8. The next time she went out to glean what special instructions did Boaz give his men concerning Ruth? Ruth 2:15, 16

9. When Naomi saw the gleaning of that day what did she and Ruth realize? Ruth 2:19, 20

10. What instructions did Naomi give to Ruth and why? Ruth 3:3-9

11. What was Boaz's response to Ruth? Ruth 3:10-13

12. How did it work out when Boaz approached her closer kinsmen? Ruth 4: 6-10

13. Finally what came about through this union? Ruth 4:15-17

THE APOSTLES

Scripture Reading: Acts 1:1-26

Golden Text: Acts 2:1

1. What was Thomas called? John 11:16

2. What did Thomas not understand? John 14:5

3. Why is Thomas referred to as doubting Thomas? John 20:24, 25

4. How did Jesus deal with Thomas doubt? John 20:26-29

5. Little is recorded of Simon the Canaanite, but what other name was he recorded with? Luke 6:15

6. What event do we find Simon recorded at? Acts 1:12-14

7. James the son of Zebedee who was his brother? Matthew 10:2

8. What great event was James apart of and who was with him? Matthew 17:1, 2

9. What miracle did these same men see? Mark 5:37-42

10. James was the first Apostle to suffer martyrdom? Acts 12:1, 2

11. Who was Judas's father? John 6:71

12. What was the character of Judas? John 12:4-6

13. What was Judas's ultimate evil? John 6:71; John 13:2; John 13:26

14. What did Judas do out of his quilt? Matthew 27:5; Acts 1:18

Continue next week.

SABBATH STUDY FEBRUARY 11, 2012

THE APOSTLES

Scripture Reading: Acts 15:1-29

Golden Text: Acts 8:39

- 1. Where was Philip from? John 1:44
- 2. Was Philip called out by Jesus? John 1:43
- 3. What did Philip ask of Jesus, and what does it tell us of these early apostles? John 14:8
- 4. Where did Philip go preaching? Acts 8:5
- 5. Did Philip perform miracles? Acts 8:6
- 6. Was Philip successful with his preaching? Acts 8:12
- 7. What mistake did Philip make with Baptism? Acts 8:12-17
- 8. Who else did Philip baptize? Acts 8:29-39
- 9. What is significant about this last baptism? Acts 8:36, 37
- 10. What are we told of Philips departure from this baptism? Acts 8:39

SABBATH STUDY FEBRUARY 18, 2012

PAUL

Scripture Reading: Acts 13:1-52

Golden Text: Acts 15:2

- 1. Where was Saul born? Acts 21:39
- 2. What did Saul have to say about his credentials and lineage? Philippians 3:5; Acts 22:3
- 3. What was involved with Paul's conversion? Acts 9:1-6
- 4. What type of person was Saul before his conversion? Acts 7:58-60; 8:1, 2; Acts 9:1,2
- 5. What other name was Saul known by? Acts 13:9
- 6. What are some of the things suffered by Paul for the Lord Jesus? Acts 13:50, 51; 14:5,6; 14:19; 16:19-24; 27:1; 2 Corinthians 11:25
- 7. Did Paul in his letter to Timothy describe Jesus in the same way John did? 1 Timothy 6:15; Revelation 19:16
- 8. What titles did Paul ascribe to himself, and how should we take them? 2 Timothy 1:11
- 9. What did Paul have to say about the end of his life? 2 Timothy 4:5-8