

Suggested Discussion Questions for 2/21/2021

Walk the (Covid-19) Wilderness with Moses, pt 20: God's Top 10, pt 5 (Ex 20:15-21)

1. How do you respond to authority? Is it always the same? What determines it?
2. In this series we've attempted to emphasize the character of God as revealed in the 10 commandments. Has this been helpful to you? Why or why not?
3. How do you see all 3 of the final commands as related to deception?
4. Each of these commands are broad. Share some specific ways we can stumble into the violation of each of these. For example, lying is obvious when we speak an untruth; but how about when we withhold truth, or speak part of the truth as if it is the whole truth, etc.?

Stealing:

False witness:

Coveting:

5. How do each of these speak God's loving care to you? (How do they benefit relationships and reflect His love?)
6. Where do you struggle most with contentment and gratitude for what God has given you and the potential of wanting what He has given others?
7. What goes through your mind when you think of meeting the visible presence of God or having Him speak directly to you? How is it similar or different from Israel in vs.18-21)?
8. Talk about what it means to you that God is for you, that He desires to be near you, and in Christ, we do not need to tremble in fear at God's presence? What other passage in Scripture reinforces or expands this for you?
9. What is your biggest take away from our study of Exodus 20?
10. What would you like to discuss from this message that hasn't been addressed?