

SESSION 3
Jesus and the Law
Matthew 5:17-20

- I. In the Old Testament, the law was to be _____
 - A. _____
 - B. _____
 - C. _____
 - D. _____
 - E. _____
- II. In the Sermon on the Mount, Jesus makes the law a _____
- III. Law and grace in _____
- IV. Paul gives us the law and grace _____ in Romans
 - A. Paul's theology of _____
 1. _____: Knowing the law is not enough
 2. _____: A true Jew is one who has a heart right with God
 3. _____: Obeying the law will not gain one righteousness
 4. _____: The law puts you in bondage (obedience or death)
 5. _____: The law exposes sin and evil

B. Paul's theology of _____

1. _____: God's grace gives us righteousness
2. _____: Christ's death renders us dead to the law's power
3. _____: Grace means that we are free from the law's condemnation
4. _____: Grace means that we cannot be separated from God's love

C. And that _____ is:

1. Law _____
Grace _____
2. In law there _____ second chances
In grace second chances are _____
3. Law _____ the disobedient
Grace _____ the disobedient
4. Law _____ behavior that is bad for us
Grace _____ behavior that is good for us

V. Our Lord's _____ teaching Matt. 5:17-20

A. I did not come to _____ the law

B. I came to _____ the law

1. Jesus fulfilled the law with a _____ life
2. Jesus fulfilled the law by being the _____ without blemish
3. Jesus fulfilled the law by making _____ no longer necessary
4. Jesus fulfilled the law by presenting _____ to the Father on our behalf
5. Jesus fulfilled the law by _____ in His resurrection
5. Jesus fulfilled the law by giving us righteousness which the law _____
7. Jesus continues to fulfill the law by being our _____ before the Father

VI. Lessons from _____

- A. The Israelites proved that obedience to the law _____
- B. Jesus and Paul _____ the same truth.
- C. Living in grace is _____ than living under the law.
- D. The law makes us _____ grace more.
- E. The emphasis on a _____ in the New Testament takes precedence over some of the forbidden activities in the Law.
- F. The law still establishes _____ to show us how far short of obedience we fall.