

12 Be mature

Ten Commandments

Exodus 20:1-17

DO NOT HAVE ANY
OTHER GODS BEFORE ME

DO NOT WORSHIP IDOLS

DO NOT TAKE THE NAME
OF GOD IN VAIN

KEEP THE SABBATH DAY

HONOUR YOUR FATHER
AND YOUR MOTHER

DO NOT KILL

DO NOT COMMIT ADULTERY

DO NOT STEAL

DO NOT BEAR FALSE
WITNESS AGAINST YOUR
NEIGHBOUR

DO NOT COVET

Colossians 4:6
Put it in modern
language

Eight of the commandments start with
Do not...
Rewrite them so that they start with
Do..
(they can be opposites of the don'ts or
something of your own choice)

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List the qualities a good father should have?
(and therefore God has)

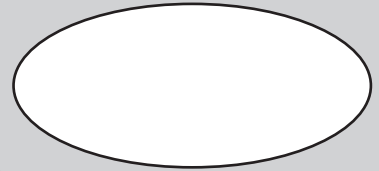
(and don't be judgmental – think how hard it might be with you in the house)

Romans 13:8-10

Owe no one anything, except to love each other: for the one who loves another has fulfilled the law.

The commandments, 'You shall not commit adultery; you shall not murder; you shall not steal; you shall not covet,' and any other commandment are summed up in this word: 'You shall love your neighbour as yourself.' Love does no wrong to a neighbour; therefore love is the fulfilling of the law.

Instead of 'Do...' and 'Do not...' write down one word that would do for each of the commandments both then and now.



The scribes and Pharisees

Compare Matthew 23:5 with Deuteronomy 6:4-9 and Matthew 23:23 with Leviticus 27:30. Were they doing right or wrong?



This boy is wearing phylacteries (now called Tefillin) on his arm and another on his forehead. He is 13 years old and this is his Bar Mitzvah. The little boxes contain 4 passages of scripture Exodus 13:1-10, 13:11-16, Deuteronomy 6:4-9 and 11:13-21

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Funny Bibles
The 'Wicked Bible' printed in 1632 didn't have the word 'not' in Exodus 20:14 so it said, 'Thou shalt commit adultery'

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