

First Command is Foundational

The Rich Young Ruler:

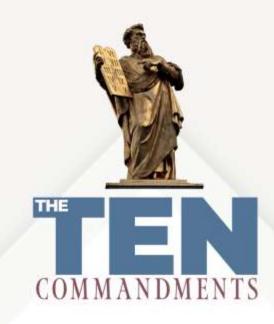
- 1. He Disobeyed in His Heart
- 2. He Disobeyed First Commandment



First Command is Authoritative

We Obey because:

- 1. He is our **Creator**
- 2. He is our **Deliverer**



3. He is our **King**

- a. This is the Mosaic Covenant
- b. This is a Conditional Covenant
- c. This is Broken by Disobedient Unbelief
- 4. He is our **Father**



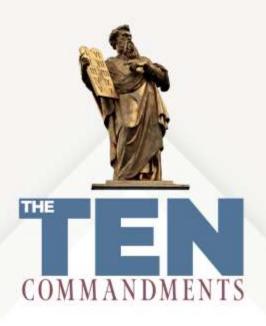
First Command is Exclusive 1. Israel was Monotheistic





3. Israel was Pluralistic

Joshua 24:14 'Now therefore fear the Lord and serve him in sincerity and in faithfulness. Put away the gods that your fathers served beyond the River and in Egypt and serve the Lord.'



First Command is Total Obedience

- 1. What is Obedience?
- a. A Willingness to have our Wills Crossed
- b. Agreement is Not Obedience





a. We have a Sin Nature

b. The Law Only Condemns



First Command is Fulfilled in Jesus

- 1. Jesus Obeyed the First Command
- 2. Jesus Fulfilled the First Command



3. Jesus Said:

He is Yahweh God (John 8:58)
He is Only Way to God (John 14:6)
We Must Believe in Him (John 11:25)
We Must Obey Him (John 14:15)

First Command Teaches:

- 1. We Must Believe
- 2. We Must Make God First

