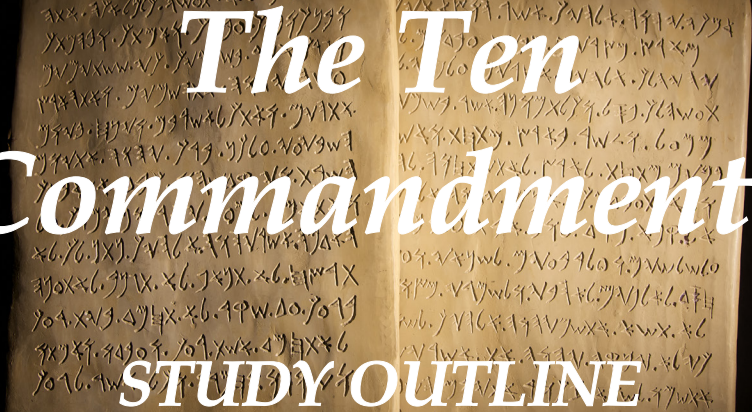


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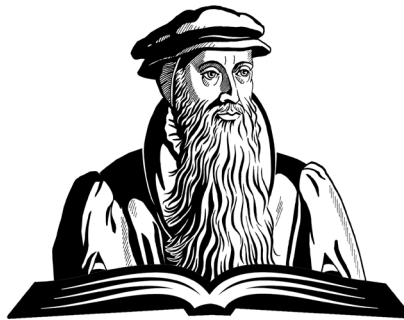
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THE LAW AND THE SAINT

## Key Text:

“For whom he did foreknow, he also did predestinate to be conformed to the image of his Son.”—Romans 8, verse 29a

“According as he hath chosen us in him before the foundation of the world, that we should be holy and without blame before him in love.”—Ephesians 1, verse 4

## Summary:

God’s ultimate purpose in salvation is that they would be conformed to the Lord Jesus Christ. In other words, he wants to restore the original glory of God’s image, and to make the redeemed live and love according to the law of God. We learned this truth from the module by considering three questions: No what exactly is the saint? What is God’s purpose in the salvation of the sinner? What is the place of the law in the life of God’s saints?

## Structure:

1. Introduction.
2. What is a saint?
  - a. Someone united by faith to the Lord Jesus Christ.
  - b. A work in progress.
  - c. Has the highest calling.
3. What is God’s purpose in the salvation of the sinner?
  - a. Restoration.
  - b. Fulfill the law.
4. What is the place of the law in the life of God’s saints?
  - a. A false sentiment.
  - b. Restoration work includes living according to the law of God.
  - c. Jesus didn’t come to destroy the law but to fulfill it.
  - d. The law was written on the hearts of God’s people.
  - e. God’s laws were intended for our good.
  - f. Romans 6, verse 14 explained.
5. Conclusion.

**Review Questions:**

1. What is a saint?

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2. How do we understand that a saint can be seen as “a work in progress”? What comforts does this truth bring to us?

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3. What is the highest calling of the saint? How does that extend to the details of life?

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4. What is the first purpose of salvation? Is it to make the old as good as new?

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5. “The purpose of salvation is that God will fulfill the law in the life of every saint.” What desires does this truth work in the heart of a saint?

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6. How can we respond to the objection that “the New Testament believer doesn’t have to observe the details of the Ten Commandments”?

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7. Did Jesus replace the law with love? What is the practical instruction for us?

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8. What is the background of Romans 6, verse 14? How did Paul address the thought, “don’t worry about how you live”?

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9. How do we explain Paul’s statement about being “dead to sin”?

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10. Why is it so important to emphasize the biblical relationship of law and gospel?

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**Further Application:**

1. Meditate on Philippians 2, verses 12 and 13.

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2. Having been redeemed, each saint will ask the question, “What shall I render to the Lord for all these great benefits?” Personally reflect on the answer.

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