

Exodus Chapter 19

1 In the third month, when the children of Israel were gone forth out of the land of Egypt, the same day came they [into] the wilderness of Sinai.

2 For they were departed from Rephidim, and were come [to] the desert of Sinai, and had pitched in the wilderness; and there Israel camped before the mount.

3 AND MOSES WENT UP UNTO GOD, AND THE LORD CALLED UNTO HIM OUT OF THE MOUNTAIN, SAYING, THUS SHALT THOU SAY TO THE HOUSE OF JACOB, AND TELL THE CHILDREN OF ISRAEL;

4 YE HAVE SEEN WHAT I DID UNTO THE EGYPTIANS, AND [HOW] I BARE YOU ON EAGLES' WINGS, AND BROUGHT YOU UNTO MYSELF.

5 NOW THEREFORE, **IF YE WILL OBEY MY VOICE** INDEED, AND **KEEP MY COVENANT**, THEN YE SHALL BE A **PECULIAR TREASURE UNTO ME** ABOVE ALL PEOPLE: FOR ALL THE EARTH [IS] MINE:

6 **AND YE SHALL BE UNTO ME A KINGDOM OF PRIESTS, AND AN HOLY NATION.** These [are] the words which thou shalt speak unto the children of Israel.

7 >And Moses came and called for the elders of the people, and laid before their faces all these words which the LORD commanded him.

8 And all the people answered together, and said, All that the LORD hath spoken we will do. And Moses returned the words of the people unto the LORD.

9 And the LORD said unto Moses, Lo, I come unto thee in a thick cloud, that the people may hear when I speak with thee, and believe thee for ever. And Moses told the words of the people unto the LORD.

10 >AND THE LORD SAID UNTO MOSES, GO UNTO THE PEOPLE, AND SANCTIFY THEM TO DAY AND TO MORROW, AND LET THEM WASH THEIR CLOTHES,

11 AND BE READY AGAINST THE THIRD DAY: FOR THE THIRD DAY THE LORD WILL COME DOWN IN THE SIGHT OF ALL THE PEOPLE UPON MOUNT SINAI.

12 And thou shalt set bounds unto the people round about, saying, TAKE HEED TO YOURSELVES, [THAT YE] GO [NOT] UP INTO THE MOUNT, OR TOUCH THE BORDER OF IT: WHOSOEVER TOUCHETH THE MOUNT SHALL BE SURELY PUT TO DEATH:

13 There shall not an hand touch it, but he shall surely be stoned, or shot through; whether [it be] beast or man, it shall not live: when the trumpet soundeth long, they shall come up to the mount.

14 >And Moses went down from the mount unto the people, and sanctified the people; and they washed their clothes.

15 And he said unto the people, Be ready against the third day: come not at [your] wives.

16 >And it came to pass on the third day in the morning, that there were thunders and lightnings, and a thick cloud upon the mount, and the voice of the trumpet exceeding loud; so that all the people that [was] in the camp trembled.

17 And Moses brought forth the people out of the camp to meet with God; and they stood at the nether part of the mount.

18 AND MOUNT SINAI WAS ALTOGETHER ON A SMOKE, BECAUSE THE LORD DESCENDED UPON IT IN FIRE: AND THE SMOKE THEREOF ASCENDED AS THE SMOKE OF A FURNACE, AND THE WHOLE MOUNT QUAKED GREATLY.

19 AND WHEN THE VOICE OF THE TRUMPET SOUNDED LONG, AND WAXED LOUDER AND LOUDER, MOSES SPAKE, AND GOD ANSWERED HIM BY A VOICE.

20 And the LORD came down upon mount Sinai, on the top of the mount: and the LORD called Moses [up] to the top of the mount; and Moses went up.

21 And the LORD said unto Moses, Go down, charge the people, lest they break through unto the LORD to gaze, and many of them perish.

22 And let the priests also, which come near to the LORD, sanctify themselves, lest the LORD break forth upon them.

23 And Moses said unto the LORD, The people cannot come up to mount Sinai: for thou chargedst us, saying, Set bounds about the mount, and sanctify it.

24 And the LORD said unto him, Away, get thee down, and THOU SHALT COME UP, THOU, AND AARON WITH THEE: but let not the priests and the people break through to come up unto the LORD, lest he break forth upon them.

25 So Moses went down unto the people, and spake unto them.

Exodus Chapter 20

1 AND GOD SPAKE ALL THESE WORDS, saying,

2 I [AM] THE **LORD THY GOD**, WHICH HAVE BROUGHT THEE OUT OF THE LAND OF EGYPT, OUT OF THE HOUSE OF BONDAGE.

3 THOU SHALT HAVE NO OTHER GODS BEFORE ME.

4 THOU SHALT NOT MAKE UNTO THEE ANY GRAVEN IMAGE, OR ANY LIKENESS [OF ANY THING] THAT [IS] IN HEAVEN ABOVE, OR THAT [IS] IN THE EARTH BENEATH, OR THAT [IS] IN THE WATER UNDER THE EARTH:

5 THOU SHALT NOT BOW DOWN THYSELF TO THEM, NOR SERVE THEM: FOR I THE **LORD THY GOD** [AM] A JEALOUS GOD, VISITING THE INIQUITY OF THE FATHERS UPON THE CHILDREN UNTO THE THIRD AND FOURTH [GENERATION] OF THEM THAT HATE ME;

6 AND SHOWING MERCY UNTO THOUSANDS OF THEM **THAT LOVE ME, AND KEEP MY COMMANDMENTS.**

7 THOU SHALT NOT TAKE THE NAME OF THE **LORD THY GOD** IN VAIN; FOR THE LORD WILL NOT HOLD HIM GUILTLESS THAT TAKETH HIS NAME IN VAIN.

8 REMEMBER THE SABBATH DAY, TO KEEP IT HOLY.

9 SIX DAYS SHALT THOU LABOUR, AND DO ALL THY WORK:

10 BUT THE SEVENTH DAY [IS] THE SABBATH OF THE LORD THY GOD: [IN IT] THOU SHALT NOT DO ANY WORK, THOU, NOR THY SON, NOR THY DAUGHTER, THY MANSERVANT, NOR THY MAIDSERVANT, NOR THY CATTLE, NOR THY STRANGER THAT [IS] WITHIN THY GATES:

11 FOR [IN] SIX DAYS **THE LORD** MADE HEAVEN AND EARTH, THE SEA, AND ALL THAT IN THEM [IS], AND **RESTED THE SEVENTH DAY: WHEREFORE THE LORD BLESSED THE SABBATH DAY, AND HALLOWED IT.**

12 >HONOUR THY FATHER AND THY MOTHER: THAT THY DAYS MAY BE LONG UPON THE LAND WHICH THE **LORD THY GOD** GIVETH THEE.

13 THOU SHALT NOT KILL.

14 THOU SHALT NOT COMMIT ADULTERY.

15 THOU SHALT NOT STEAL.

16 THOU SHALT NOT BEAR FALSE WITNESS AGAINST THY NEIGHBOUR.

17 THOU SHALT NOT COVET THY NEIGHBOUR'S HOUSE, THOU SHALT NOT COVET THY NEIGHBOUR'S WIFE, NOR HIS MANSERVANT, NOR HIS MAIDSERVANT, NOR HIS OX, NOR HIS ASS, NOR ANY THING THAT [IS] THY NEIGHBOUR'S.

Exodus Chapter 31

12 >AND THE LORD SPAKE UNTO MOSES, saying,

13 SPEAK THOU ALSO UNTO THE CHILDREN OF ISRAEL, SAYING, VERILY **MY SABBATHS YE SHALL KEEP: FOR IT [IS] A SIGN BETWEEN ME AND YOU THROUGHOUT YOUR GENERATIONS; THAT [YE] MAY KNOW THAT I [AM] THE LORD THAT DOTHTH SANCTIFY YOU.**

14 **YE SHALL KEEP THE SABBATH THEREFORE; FOR IT [IS] HOLY UNTO YOU:** EVERY ONE THAT DEFILETH IT SHALL SURELY BE PUT TO DEATH: FOR WHOSOEVER DOETH [ANY] WORK THEREIN, THAT SOUL SHALL BE CUT OFF FROM AMONG HIS PEOPLE.

15 SIX DAYS MAY WORK BE DONE; BUT IN **THE SEVENTH [IS] THE SABBATH OF REST, HOLY TO THE LORD:** WHOSOEVER DOETH [ANY] WORK IN THE SABBATH DAY, HE SHALL SURELY BE PUT TO DEATH.

16 WHEREFORE **THE CHILDREN OF ISRAEL SHALL KEEP THE SABBATH, TO OBSERVE THE SABBATH THROUGHOUT THEIR GENERATIONS, [FOR] A PERPETUAL COVENANT.**

17 IT [IS] **A SIGN BETWEEN ME AND THE CHILDREN OF ISRAEL FOR EVER:** FOR [IN] SIX DAYS THE LORD MADE HEAVEN AND EARTH, AND **ON THE SEVENTH DAY HE RESTED, AND WAS REFRESHED.**

18 >**AND HE GAVE UNTO MOSES,** WHEN HE HAD MADE AN END OF COMMUNING WITH HIM UPON MOUNT SINAI, **TWO TABLES OF TESTIMONY, TABLES OF STONE, WRITTEN WITH THE FINGER OF GOD.**