

# Lesson 6 Peace on Earth

## 1 How can a person have real peace in today's troubled world?

Great peace have those who love Your law.

## 2 How does the Bible describe God's saved people in the last days of earth's history?

Here is the patience of the saints; here are those who keep the commandments of God and the faith of Jesus.

## 3 What are the Ten Commandments?

You shall have no other gods before Me. (Verse 3)

You shall not make for yourself a carved image . . . you shall not bow down to them nor serve them. (Verses 4, 5)

You shall not take the name of the Lord your God in vain. (Verse 7)

Remember the Sabbath day, to keep it holy. . . . The seventh day is the Sabbath of the Lord your God. (Verses 8, 10)

Honor your father and your mother. (Verse 12)

You shall not murder. (Verse 13)

You shall not commit adultery. (Verse 14)

You shall not steal. (Verse 15)

You shall not bear false witness. (Verse 16)

You shall not covet. (Verse 17)

## 4 Did the Ten Commandments exist before God wrote them on the tables of stone on Mount Sinai?

Abraham obeyed My voice and kept My charge, My commandments, My statutes, and My laws.

## 5. How does the Bible define sin?

Sin is lawlessness.

## 6. What does the New Testament say about the Ten Commandments?

Therefore the law is holy, and the commandment holy and just and good.

## 7. Were the Ten Commandments given to be a burden for God's people?

For this is the love of God, that we keep His commandments. And His commandments are not burdensome.

## **8. How do the Ten Commandments provide guidance to believers?**

What shall we say then? Is the law sin? Certainly not! On the contrary, I would not have **known** sin except through the law. For I would not have known covetousness unless the **law** had said, “You shall not covet.”

## **9. Were the Ten Commandments ever abolished?**

Do we then make void the law through faith? Certainly not! On the contrary, we **establish** the law.

## **10. Did Jesus ever suggest the Ten Commandments would one day become obsolete?**

Do not think that I came to destroy the Law or the Prophets. I did not come to **destroy** but to **fulfill**. For assuredly, I say to you, till heaven and earth pass away, one jot or one tittle will by no means pass from the law till all is fulfilled.

## **11. Are the Ten Commandments necessary under the New Covenant?**

For this is the covenant that I will make with the house of Israel after those days, says the Lord: I will put My laws in their **mind** and write them on their **hearts**; and I will be their God, and they shall be My people.

## **12. How can a person keep the Ten Commandments?**

I have been crucified with Christ; it is no longer I who live, but **Christ** lives in me.

It is God who **works in** you both to will and to do for His good pleasure.

No temptation has overtaken you except such as is common to man; but God is faithful, who will not allow you to be tempted beyond what you are able, but with the temptation will also make the **way of escape**, that you may be able to bear it.

## **13. Are people saved by keeping the Ten Commandments?**

For by **grace** you have been saved through faith, and that not of yourselves; it is the gift of God, not of **works**, lest anyone should boast.

## **14. What should a person do when they break the commandments of God?**

My little children, these things I write to you, so that you may not sin. And if anyone sins, we have an **Advocate** with the Father, **Jesus Christ** the righteous.

If we **confess** our sins, He is faithful and just to **forgive** us our sins and to **cleanse** us from all unrighteousness.

## **15. How does a person learn to keep the commandments of God?**

I delight to do Your will, O my God, And Your law is **within** my **heart**.

## **16. What is the key to living in harmony with God’s law?**

If you **love** Me, keep My commandments.