

The Good Life

GOD'S PRINCIPLES FOR MAXIMUM ENJOYMENT

The _____

1. These are not steps to _____.
2. These are not a list of _____.
3. These are principles for the purpose of _____ our relationship with God and with each other.

The Principle of _____

Exodus 20:1-2 *And God spoke all these words: 2 "I am the LORD your God, who brought you out of Egypt, out of the land of slavery.*

It's about _____.

It's _____.

You determine the _____ of your relationship.

Exodus 20:18-21 *When the people saw the thunder and lightning and heard the trumpet and saw the mountain in smoke, they trembled with fear. They stayed at a distance 19 and said to Moses, "Speak to us yourself and we will listen. But do not have God speak to us or we will die." 20 Moses said to the people, "Do not be afraid. God has come to test you, so that the fear of God will be with you to keep you from sinning."*

The commandments were given so we have principles to live by to help us _____ of the bondage of sin and to _____ us from sinning.

21 *The people remained at a distance, while Moses approached the thick darkness where God was.*

Psalm 103:7 He made known His ways to Moses, His acts to the children of Israel.

The children of Israel knew _____ God did,
 Moses knew _____ he did it.

Exodus 20:3 *“You shall have no other gods before me.”*

“No other gods” simply means “worship God _____”.

Isaiah 45:5 *I am the LORD ; there is no other God.*

Deuteronomy 6:5 *Love the LORD your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your strength.*

1 Kings 17:10-14 *When he came to the town gate, a widow was there gathering sticks. He called to her and asked, “Would you bring me a little water in a jar so I may have a drink?” 11 As she was going to get it, he called, “And bring me, please, a piece of bread.” 12 “As surely as the LORD your God lives,” she replied, “I don’t have any bread—only a handful of flour in a jar and a little olive oil in a jug. I am gathering a few sticks to take home and make a meal for myself and my son, that we may eat it—and die.” 13 Elijah said to her, “Don’t be afraid. Go home and do as you have said. But first make a small loaf of bread for me from what you have and bring it to me, and then make something for yourself and your son. 14 For this is what the LORD, the God of Israel, says: ‘The jar of flour will not be used up and the jug of oil will not run dry until the day the LORD sends ruin on the land.’”*

F.I.R.S.T.

1. _____

Matthew 6:21 *For where your treasure is, there your heart will be also.*

2. _____

1 Corinthians 10:31 *So whether you eat or drink or whatever you do, do it all for the glory of God.*

3. _____

4. _____

James 4:8 *Come near to God and he will come near to you.*

5. _____

John 16:33 *In this world you will have trouble. But take heart! I have overcome the world.”*