

Ten Commandments within the Covenant

First Commandment

You shall not have strange Gods before me.

Exodus 20:2-16: I am the LORD your God, who brought you out of the land of Egypt, out of the house of slavery. You shall not have other gods beside me. You shall not make for yourself an idol or likeness of anything in the heavens above or on the earth below or in the waters beneath the earth; you shall not bow down before them or serve them. For I, the LORD, your God, am a jealous God, inflicting punishment for their ancestors' wickedness on the children of those who hate me, down to the third and fourth generation; but showing love down to the thousandth generation of those who love me and keep my commandments.

Second Commandment

You shall not take the name of the Lord your God in vain.

Exodus 20:7: You shall not invoke the name of the LORD, your God, in vain. For the LORD will not leave unpunished anyone who invokes his name in vain.

Third Commandment

Remember to keep holy the Lord's Day.

Exodus 20:8-11: Remember the sabbath day—keep it holy. Six days you may labor and do all your work, but the seventh day is a sabbath of the LORD your God. You shall not do any work,

either you, your son or your daughter, your male or female slave, your work animal, or the resident alien within your gates. For in six days the LORD made the heavens and the earth, the sea, and all that is in them; but on the seventh day he rested. That is why the Lord has blessed the sabbath day and made it holy.

Fourth Commandment

Honor your father and your mother.

Fifth Commandment

You shall not kill.

Sixth Commandment

You shall not commit adultery.

Seventh Commandment

You shall not steal.

Eighth Commandment

You shall not bear false witness against your neighbor.

Ninth Commandment

You shall not covet your neighbor's wife.

Tenth Commandment

You shall not covet your neighbor's goods.