

WORDS from THE  
**MOUNTAIN!!**

# WHAT ABOUT THE TEN COMMANDMENTS !!??

Number Three



**10** Moses delivers the  
Commandments

**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.**

Exodus 20:7; Deuteronomy 5:11

1. Thou shalt not cuss using God's name.

Does this mean we should not use God's name as a swear word? )Leviticus 19:12)

2. Thou shalt not take an oath.

Does this mean we should not "swear to tell the truth" (Matthew 5:34)

3. Thou shalt live a pure life.

Does this mean our lives should reflect God's standards? (Proverbs 30:9)

What is the meaning that God will not hold him guiltless?

We who bear the name of God are witnesses that our God is God. What do our lives declare about God? If we who bear His name fail to live up to that name's reputation, do we break the third commandment and profane the name of God?

Names mean something. (Genesis 27:36 and I Samuel 25:25)

Is using the name of "Christian" taking God's name upon you? (Acts 11:26)

We are to glorify God in the use of His Name.

YHWH-Jireh means "God our provider." (Genesis 22:14)

YHWH-Mekaddishken means "God who sanctifies." (Exodus 31:13)

YHWH-Nissi means "God is my banner." (Exodus 17:15)

YHWH-Roi means "God our Shepherd." (Psalm 23:1)

YHWH-Ropheka means "God is our healer." (Exodus 15:26)

YHWH-Shalom means "God our peace." (Judges 6:24)

YHWH-Shammah means "God is present." (Ezekiel 48:35)

YHWH-Zidkenu means "God our righteousness." (Jeremiah 23:6)

In the book "All the Divine Names and Titles in the Bible" by Herbert Lockyer, he lists 364 names and titles just for Jesus Christ. Through His names and titles, God has chosen to reveal His attributes, office, authority, prerogatives and will. Each name of God features some distinct virtue or characteristic of His nature. Thus, God has declared the glory of His name by His names, which are not to be abused.