

THE TEN(DER) COMMANDMENTS

Part 10: “What’s Yours Is Mine ”

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Coveting is a dangerous sin because you can fall prey to it without anyone around you knowing it. It is first a sin of the heart. And it will make you miserable. How can we be content rather than covetous?

“You shall not covet your neighbor’s house. You shall not covet your neighbor’s wife, or his male or female servant, his ox or donkey, or anything that belongs to your neighbor.” – Exodus 20:17

**Woe to those who plan iniquity,
to those who plot evil on their beds!
At morning’s light they carry it out
because it is in their power to do it.
They covet fields and seize them,
and houses, and take them.
They defraud people of their homes,
they rob them of their inheritance.
– Micah 2:1-2**

Notes:

My Next Step(s):

- I will resist comparing myself to others
- I will not wear myself out trying to have what others have.
- I will cultivate a spirit of gratitude by rejoicing in what I have.
- I will strive to use my possessions to help others.
- I will refocus my attention on the things that will last, rather than the things of the world. (Matthew 6:33)

Memory Verse: “But seek first his kingdom and his righteousness, and all these things will be given to you as well.” – Matthew 6:33

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