

MESSAGE NOTES

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LENTEN SERIES: "OUR BATTLE WITH SIN"**MESSAGE: "THE OLD TESTAMENT LAW & SIN"****What is sin?** _____

→ Failing to meet God's _____ of holiness and righteousness

→ Sins of _____ & _____

What was the 1st sin? _____

→ God's commands were for _____ not restraint

What was the 2nd sin? _____

→ Neither Adam nor Eve took _____ for their sin

What does God take sin so seriously? _____

→ Clearly from Scripture, God takes sin seriously

→ The problem is... we _____

→ Sin results in _____ from God, physical death, and eternal judgment

How many ways can we sin? _____

→ The Bible's lists of sins are _____ not exhaustive

Why did God give us the LAW?

1. To provide _____ for how God's people could live in a right relationship with Him and one another

"Give the following instructions to the entire community of Israel. You must be holy because I, the Lord your God, am holy." LE 19:2

- a. Moral law b. Ceremonial law
c. Civil or Judicial law

"For Christ has already accomplished the purpose for which the law was given. As a result, all who believe in him are made right with God." RO 10:4

2. To _____ God's people from everyone else

"Now if you will obey me and keep my covenant, you will be my own special treasure from among all the peoples on earth; for all the earth belongs to me." EX 19:5

3. To _____ what constituted sin

"It was the law that showed me my sin." RO 7:7c

"The law simply shows us how sinful we are." RO 3:20b

4. To _____ holiness and righteousness

"I would never have known that coveting is wrong if the law had not said, "You must not covet." RO 7:7d

"For the person who keeps all of the laws except one is as guilty as a person who has broken all of God's laws." JA 2:10

"You must love the Lord your God with all your heart, all your soul, and all your mind.... Love your neighbor as yourself... The entire law and all the demands of the prophets are based on these two commandments." MA 22:37-40

5. To _____ people to Christ

"Why, then, was the law given? It was given alongside the promise to show people their sins. But the law was designed to last only until the coming of the child who was promised. God gave his law through angels to Moses, who was the mediator between God and the people." GA 3:19

THE FIX = _____

[Jesus] "Don't misunderstand why I have come. I did not come to abolish the law of Moses or the writings of the prophets. No, I came to accomplish their purpose." MA 5:17

**Allowing Him to _____ and _____ be your
_____ (LEADER) & _____ (FORGIVER)**