

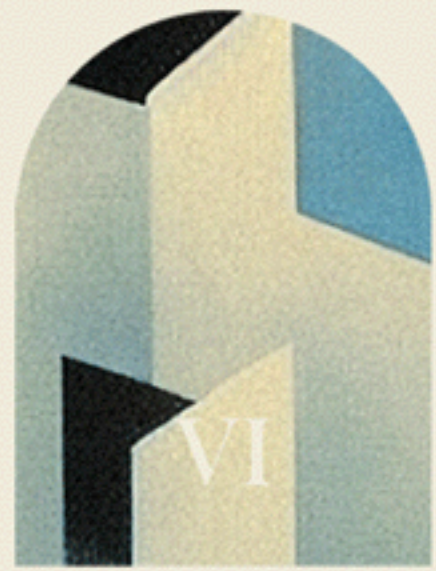
YOU SHALL NOT STEAL.

**DEUTERONOMY 5:19**



# TEN COMMANDMENTS

EXPLORING THE WORLD OF RIGHT & WRONG



# DEUTERONOMY 5

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STEALING SAYS:  
**“YOU LOSE,  
SO THAT I  
CAN GAIN.”**





THEN GOD SAID, "I GIVE YOU EVERY SEED-BEARING  
PLANT ON THE FACE OF THE WHOLE EARTH AND  
EVERY TREE THAT HAS FRUIT WITH SEED IN IT.  
THEY WILL BE YOURS FOR FOOD.

**GENESIS 1:29**



AND THE LORD GOD COMMANDED THE MAN, “YOU ARE FREE TO EAT FROM ANY TREE IN THE GARDEN; BUT YOU MUST NOT EAT FROM THE TREE OF THE KNOWLEDGE OF GOOD AND EVIL, FOR WHEN YOU EAT FROM IT YOU WILL CERTAINLY DIE.”

**GENESIS 2:16-17**



WHEN THE WOMAN SAW THAT THE FRUIT OF THE TREE WAS GOOD FOR FOOD AND PLEASING TO THE EYE, AND ALSO DESIRABLE FOR GAINING WISDOM, SHE TOOK SOME AND ATE IT. SHE ALSO GAVE SOME TO HER HUSBAND, WHO WAS WITH HER, AND HE ATE IT.

**GENESIS 3:6**







CATEGORY #1  
**STEALING  
THROUGH  
GREED**



‘WILL A MERE MORTAL ROB GOD? YET YOU ROB ME.’ BUT YOU ASK, ‘HOW ARE WE ROBBING YOU?’ ‘IN TITHES AND OFFERINGS.’

**MALACHI 3:8**





CATEGORY #2  
**STEALING  
THROUGH  
LAZINESS**



# CONTENTMENT & GENEROSITY





YOU WILL BE ENRICHED IN EVERY WAY SO THAT  
YOU CAN BE GENEROUS ON EVERY OCCASION,  
AND THROUGH US YOUR GENEROSITY WILL  
RESULT IN THANKSGIVING TO GOD.

**2 CORINTHIANS 9:11**





ALL THE BELIEVERS WERE TOGETHER AND HAD EVERYTHING IN COMMON. THEY SOLD PROPERTY AND POSSESSIONS TO GIVE TO ANYONE WHO HAD NEED. EVERY DAY THEY CONTINUED TO MEET TOGETHER IN THE TEMPLE COURTS. THEY BROKE BREAD IN THEIR HOMES AND ATE TOGETHER WITH GLAD AND SINCERE HEARTS, PRAISING GOD AND ENJOYING THE FAVOR OF ALL THE PEOPLE.

**ACTS 2:44-47**





PERPETUAL GENEROSITY IS A PERPETUAL DE-  
DEIFICATION OF MONEY.

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NO ONE CAN SERVE TWO MASTERS. EITHER YOU WILL HATE THE ONE AND LOVE THE OTHER, OR YOU WILL BE DEVOTED TO THE ONE AND DESPISE THE OTHER. YOU CANNOT SERVE BOTH GOD AND MONEY.

**MATTHEW 6:24**





HE DID NOT SAY THIS BECAUSE HE CARED ABOUT THE POOR BUT BECAUSE HE WAS A THIEF; AS KEEPER OF THE MONEY BAG, HE USED TO HELP HIMSELF TO WHAT WAS PUT INTO IT.

**JOHN 12:6**



