



Promises To Abraham

- Genesis 12:1-3 “Now Jehovah said unto Abram, Get thee out of thy country, and from thy kindred, and from thy father’s house, unto the land that I will show thee. And I will make of thee a **great nation**, and I will bless thee, and make thy name great. And be thou a blessing. And I will bless them that bless thee, and him that curseth thee will I curse. And in thee shall all the families of the earth be blessed.”

Time To Develop

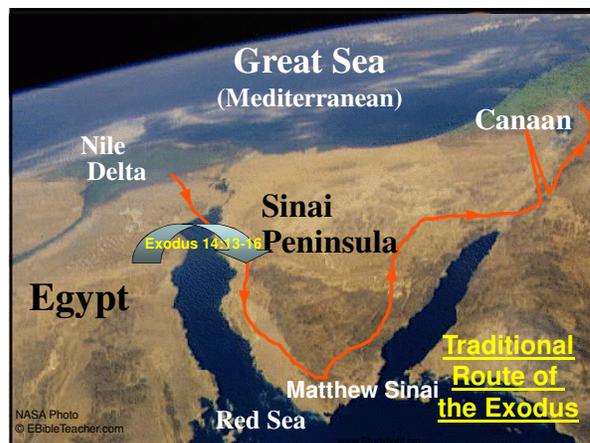
- Genesis 15:12-16. In the fourth generation. (400 years.)

Time To Develop

- Isaac. Genesis 21-22
- Jacob and Esau. Genesis 25
- Joseph. Genesis 37
 - 70 Went into Egypt. Genesis 46:27
- Moses. Exodus 1-2
 - Moses to lead the children of Israel out of Egypt. Exodus 3
 - The plagues. Exodus 7-12
 - Over 600,000 men to leave Egypt. Exodus 12:36-37

Exodus 14:13, 16
 “ And Moses said unto the people, Fear ye not, stand still, and see the salvation of Jehovah ...”

“And Jehovah said ..., lift thou up thy rod, and stretch out thy hand over the sea, and divide it: and the children of Israel shall go into the midst of the sea on dry ground.”



The Promise To Abraham

Nation Promise FULFILLED

Exodus 19:5-6

The Ten Commandments

- Given only to Israel as a nation. Exodus 20:1ff; Deuteronomy 5:1ff.
- Exodus 24:1-8 Moses read the book unto the people and they agreed to do all that the Lord commanded of them.

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The Ten Commandments

Included:	People:
1. Commandments. Exodus 20:3ff	1. Heard.
2. Promises. Exodus 20:12ff	2. Understood.
3. Penalties. Exodus 20:7ff	3. Agreed to all. (cf. Exodus 24:3, 7)

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Ephesians 2:14-16 Law of Moses Nailed to Cross

“For he is our peace, who made both one, and brake down the middle wall of partition, having **abolished** in the flesh the enmity, (even) **the law of commandments** (contained) in ordinances; that he might create in himself of the two one new man, (so) making peace; and might reconcile them both in one body unto God through the cross, **having slain the enmity thereby**”

The Ten Commandments

Colossians 2:14-17 Law of Moses Nailed to Cross

“Blotting out the handwriting of ordinances that was against us, which was contrary to us, and took it out of the way, **nauling it to his cross**; And having spoiled principalities and powers, he made a shew of them openly, **triumphing over them in it.**”

The Ten Commandments

In Ephesians 2 and Colossians 2, Paul clearly shows that the Old Covenant, including the ten commandments is done away, abolished by Christ.

“to cause to cease, put an end to, do away with, annul, abolish” (Romans 3:31; Ephesians 2:15) (Thayer's Greek Lexicon)

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The Ten Commandments

- What is our relation to the Ten Commandments?

1. Exodus 20:3	"Thou shalt have no other gods before me."	Acts 14:15,17; 1 Thessalonians 1:9
2. Exodus 20:4-5	"Thou shalt not make unto thee a graven image."	Acts 17; 1 Thessalonians 1:9; 1 John 5:21
3. Exodus 20:7	"Thou shalt not take the name of Jehovah thy God in vain."	Matthew 6:9

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- What is our relation to the Ten Commandments?

4. Exodus 20:8-11	"Remember the Sabbath day, to keep it holy."	* Keeping the Sabbath day is <u>not</u> commanded in the new covenant. However, certain acts of worship are commanded on the first day of the week. Acts 20:7; 1 Corinthians 16:1-3; Revelation 1:10
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5. Exodus 20:12	"Honor thy father and thy mother ..."	Ephesians 6:1-2
6. Exodus 20:13	"Thou shalt not kill."	Romans 13:9; Matthew 5:21-24; (cf. KJV Matthew 19:18)
7. Exodus 20:14	"Thou shalt not commit adultery."	1 Corinthians 6:9-10; Matthew 5:32; 19:9

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The Ten Commandments

- What is our relation to the Ten Commandments?

8. Exodus 20:15	"Thou shalt not steal."	Ephesians 4:28
9. Exodus 20:16	"Thou shalt not bear false witness."	Ephesians 4:25; Colossians 3:9
10. Exodus 20:17	"Thou shalt not covet."	Colossians 3:5; Luke 12:13ff

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Conclusion:

Since the Old Covenant (Law) has been abolished, no one can appeal to it for support of any religious teaching to bind on man today.

1. It was given only to the Jews and now even they are free from it.
2. The Jewish law came to an end with the death of Christ on the cross.

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Conclusion:

However, all of the Ten Commandments are repeated in the New Testament, but one.

These are bound upon us, not because they were given to Israel by God, but because they are given to us by Jesus Christ.

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