

GOING BEYOND "DUTY"



Luke 17:10:

“So likewise you, when you have done all those things which you are commanded, say, ‘We are unprofitable servants. We have done what was our duty to do.’”

MOSES REQUIRED MORE THAN “SACRIFICES”

Leviticus 23:37 - 38

“These are the feasts of the LORD which you shall proclaim to be holy convocations, to offer an offering made by fire to the LORD, a burnt offering and a grain offering, a sacrifice and drink offerings, everything on its day — the Sabbaths of the LORD, besides your gifts, besides all your vows, and besides all your freewill offerings which you give to the LORD.”

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In Marriage...

Genesis 2:24: “Therefore a man shall leave his father and mother and be joined to his wife, and they shall become one flesh.”

“LAW”



Colossians 3:18 - 19: Wives, submit to your own husbands, as is fitting in the Lord. 19 Husbands, love your wives and do not be bitter toward them.”

“JUDGMENT”



Ephesians 5:33: Nevertheless let each one of you in particular so love his own wife as himself, and let the wife see that she respects her husband.”

“FREEWILL”



Personal Work...

1 Corinthians 9:19: “For though I am free from all men,” *“LAW”*

John 8:34 - 36: “I have made myself a servant to all,” *“JUDGMENT”*

“... that I might win the more.”

“FREEWILL”



Contributions...

1. *Sunday giving is required.* **“LAW”**
1 Corinthians 16:1 - 2
2. *Collection for the poor saints was going to be needed.* **“JUDGMENT”**
 - a. *Example of Macedonians*
2 Corinthians 8:1 - 5
 - b. *Corinthians' love was tested*
2 Corinthians 8:7 - 8
 - c. *Example of Christ Jesus*
2 Corinthians 8:9
3. *Generosity, not “covetousness”*
2 Corinthians 9:5 - 8 **“FREEWILL”**



WORSHIP SERVICES...

1. *Sunday worship is required.* **“LAW”**
 - a. *To meet Jesus* **John 20:1, 19, 26**
 - b. *To remember His death* **Acts 20:7**
 - c. *To offer gift* **1 Corinthians 16:1 - 2**
2. *Sunday night and Wednesday night are needed.* **“JUDGMENT”**
3. **NOT GRUDGINGLY:** *“Obey those who rule over you, and be submissive, for they watch out for your souls, as those who must give account. Let them do so with joy and not with grief, for that would be unprofitable for you.”* **Hebrews 13:17** **“FREEWILL”**

*There Is a **LAW** Of Liberty!*

Galatians 5:13 - 15: “For you, **brethren**, have been **called to liberty**; only **do not use liberty** as an opportunity for the flesh, but through love serve one another. **14** For all the law is **fulfilled in one word**, even in this: ‘**You shall love your neighbour as yourself.**’ **15** But if you bite and devour one another, beware lest you be consumed by one another!”

James 2:12: “**So speak and so do** as those who will be **judged by the law of liberty.**”

Use Your “Free Will” To Obey Jesus Christ NOW!

“Then Crispus, the ruler of the synagogue, believed on the Lord with all his household. And many of the Corinthians, hearing, believed and were baptized.”

Acts 18:8