James

Chapter 1 (Part 3)

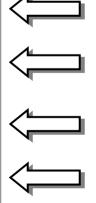
1 – I am the LORD...

2 – No Idolatry

3 – Protect My NAME

4 – Keep the Sabbath

5 – Honor Parents



6 – No Murder

7 – No Adultery

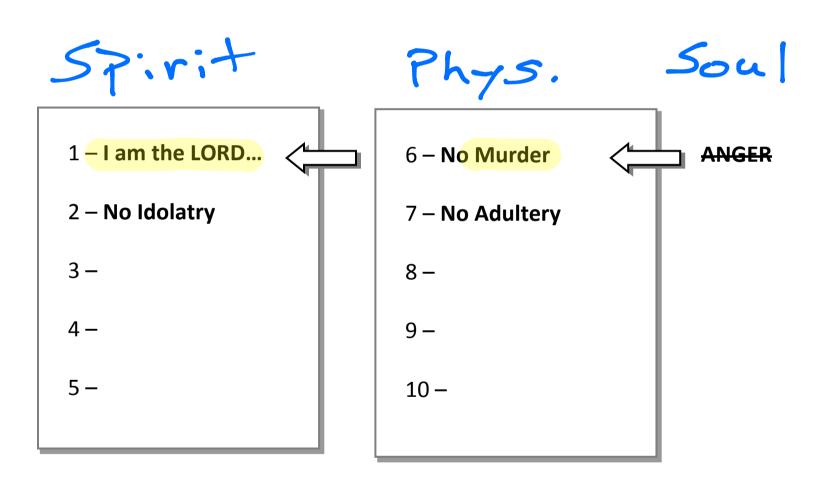
8 - No Theft

9 – No False Witness

10 - No Coveting

Matthew 5:21-22

"You have heard that it was said to those of old, 'You shall not murder; and whoever murders will be liable to judgment.' But I say to you that everyone who is angry with his brother will be liable to judgment..."

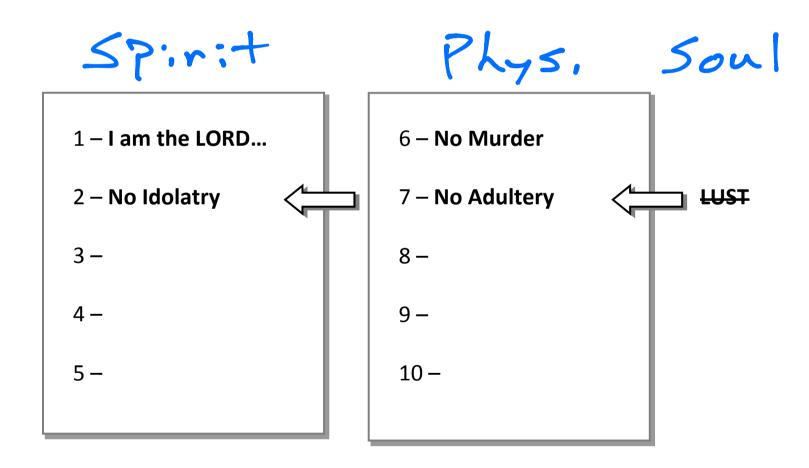


Exodus 20:2

"I am ADONAI your God, who brought you out of the land of Egypt, out of the abode of slavery.

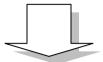
Matthew 5:27-28

"You have heard that it was said, 'You shall not commit adultery.' But I say to you that everyone who looks at a woman with lustful intent has already committed adultery with her in his heart."



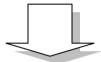
1 - "You shall not commit murder." (Ex.20:13)

Lack of Faith in God



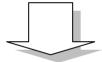
2 - "You shall not commit adultery." (Ex.20:14)

Violating God's Covenant



3 – "Whoever sends his wife away, let him give her a certificate of divorce." (Deut.24:1-3)

Abandoning God's Covenant



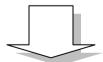
4 – "You shall not make false vows, but you shall fulfill your vows to the LORD." (Lev.19:2)

Assuming God's Place



5 – "An eye for an eye, and a tooth for a tooth." (Ex.21:24)

Misapplication of God's Laws



6 - "You shall love your neighbor (and hate your enemy)."

(Lev.19:18)

Distortion of God's Laws

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Matthew 5:17-18

"Do not think that I have come to abolish the Torah or the Prophets: Lhave not come to abolish them but to fulfill them. For truly, I say to you, until heaven and earth pass away, not an iota, not a dot, will pass from the Torah until all is accomplished."

James 1:16-17

Do not be deceived, my beloved brothers. Every good gift and every perfect gift is from above, coming down from the Father of lights with whom there is no variation or shadow due to change.

Matthew 5:19-20

"Therefore whoever relaxes one of the least of these commandments and teaches others to do the same will be called least in the Kingdom of Heaven, but whoever does them and teaches them will be called great in the Kingdom of Heaven. For I tell you, unless your righteousness exceeds that of the scribes and Pharisees, you will never enter the Kingdom of Heaven."

James 1:18-21

Of His own will He brought us forth by the word of truth, that we should be a kind of firstfruits of His creatures. (Know this, my beloved brothers: let every person be quick to hear, slow to speak, slow to anger; for the anger of man does not produce the righteousness of God.) Therefore put away all filthiness and rampant wickedness and receive with meekness the implanted word, which is able to save your souls.

What is the "implanted word"?

Deuteronomy 30:11-14

"For this commandment that I command you today is not too hard for you, neither is it far off. It is not in heaven, that you should say, 'Who will ascend to heaven for us and bring it to us that we may hear it and do it?' Neither is it beyond the sea, that you should say, 'Who will go over the sea for us and bring it to us that we may hear it and do it?' But the word is very near you. It is in your mouth and in your heart, so that you can do it."

Anyone who thinks that the message of Torah and the message of Yeshua are two different messages understands neither the Torah nor Yeshua.