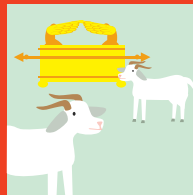


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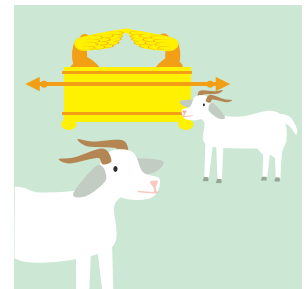


COVENANT PROMISE

Monument #1

God cuts covenant with Abraham, taking the curse of covenant unfaithfulness onto himself.

Genesis 15; Romans 4

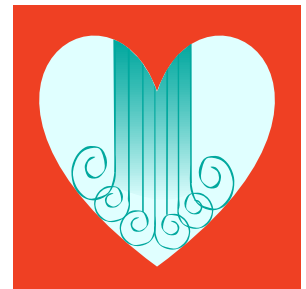
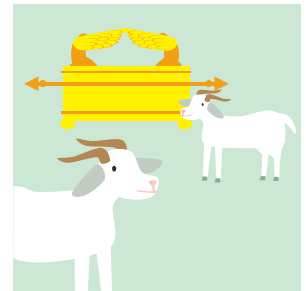
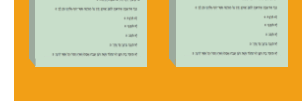


COVENANT NAME

Monument #2

The character of God's name is the basis for the saving work he will accomplish which makes it possible for holy God to live among a flammable people.

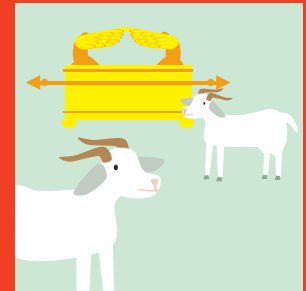
Exodus 34:6-7; John 1:14-18





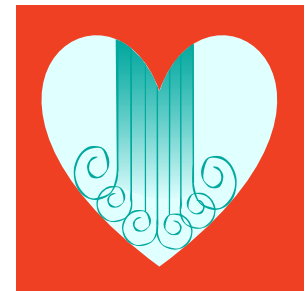
COVENANT HOLINESS

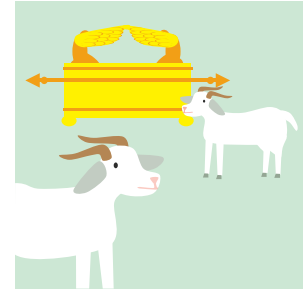
Monument #3



God's holiness is revealed both in the Day of Atonement ceremony (1st Question of Covenant) and in the moral purity code (2nd Question of Covenant).

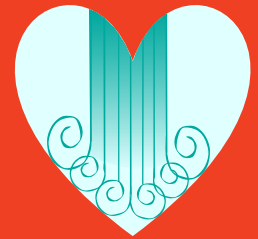
Leviticus 16-17 and 18-20





COVENANT FORGIVENESS

Monument #4



David models for us confession as the path to experiencing the forgiveness we already have in Jesus.

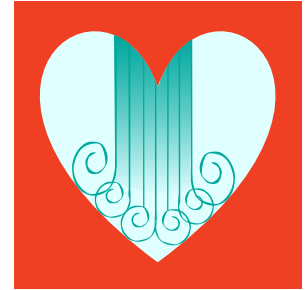
Psalms 51; 1 John 1:9



THE TWO QUESTIONS OF COVENANT

1st Question: What makes me acceptable to be in relationship with God?

2nd Question: Having been accepted, how do I live out my relationship with God?



COVENANT LIFE

Monument #5



Practiced in faith out of a gracious heart, the commands of God guide us into the experience of abundant life.

Deuteronomy 5:6-21; 10:12-13; 30:19-20

Matthew 5:21-48

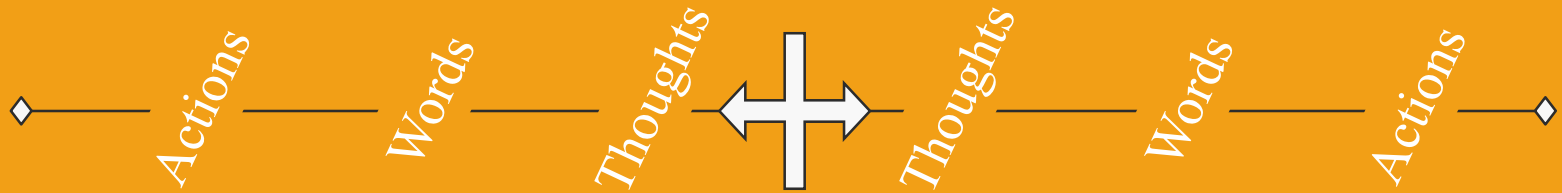


the smallest letter or stroke shall pass from the Law until all is accomplished. ¹⁹ “Whoever then annuls one of the least of these commandments, and teaches others *to do* the same, shall be called least in the kingdom of heaven; but whoever keeps and teaches *them*, he shall be called great in the kingdom of heaven. ²⁰ “For I say to you that unless your righteousness surpasses *that* of the scribes and Pharisees, you will not enter the kingdom of heaven.

²¹ “You have heard that the ancients were told, ‘You shall not commit murder’ and ‘Whoever commits murder shall be liable to the court.’ ²² “But I say to you that everyone who is angry with his brother shall be guilty before the court; and whoever says to his brother, ‘You good-for-nothing,’ shall be guilty before the supreme court; and whoever says, ‘You fool,’ shall be guilty *enough to go* into the fiery hell.

²³ “Therefore if you are presenting your offering at the altar, and there remember that your brother has something against you, ²⁴

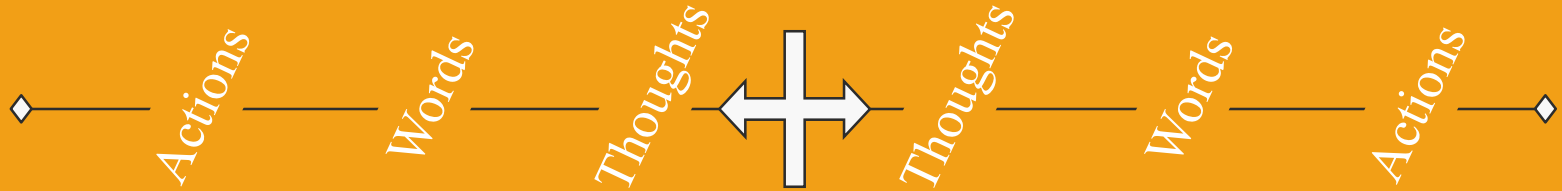




**Do not
murder!**

**Lay down
your life!**

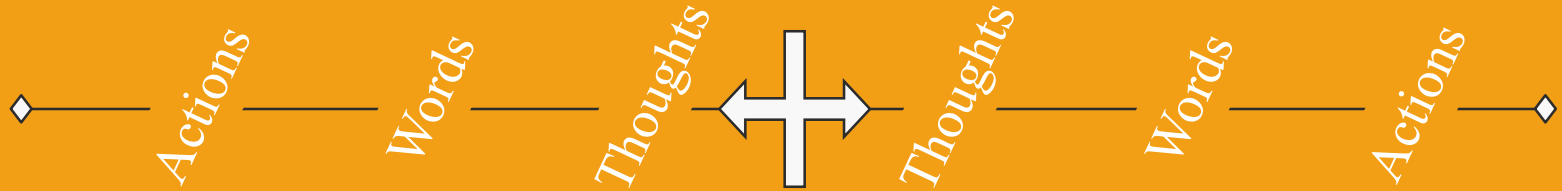
Greater love has no one than this, that
one lay down his life for his friends.
(John 15:13; 1 John 3:15-16)



**Have no
other Gods!**

**Love God
alone!**

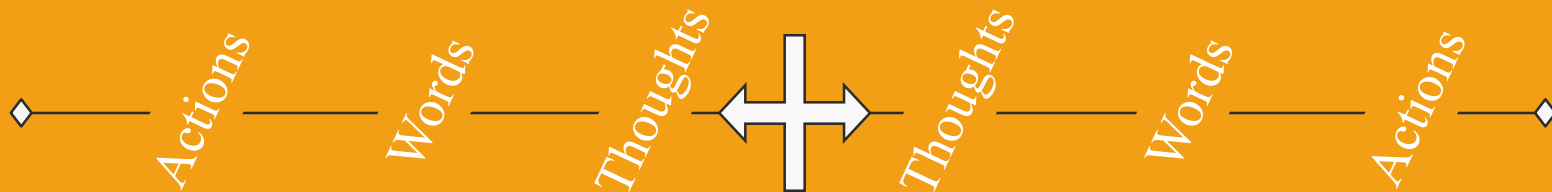
And you shall love the Lord your God
with all your heart, and with all your soul
and with all your might. (Deuteronomy
4:5; Matthew 22:37)



**Make no
idols!**

**Worship God as
he has revealed
himself!**

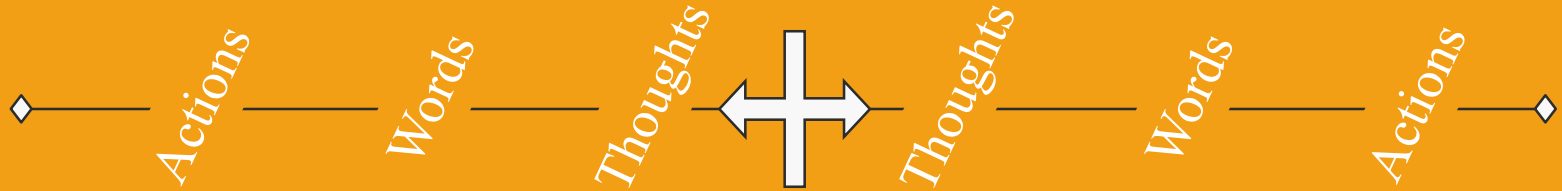
An hour is coming, and
now is, when the true
worshippers shall worship
the Father in Spirit and in
truth. (John 4:23)



**Do not take God's
name in vain!**

**Seek the will of
your heavenly
Father!**

Our Father who is in heaven, holy be
your name, your kingdom come, your
will be done, on earth as it is in
heaven. (Matthew 6:9-10)



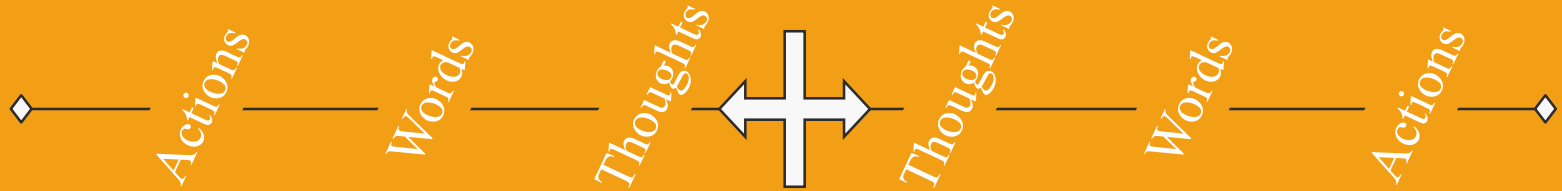
**Do not rely on the
strength of your
hands!**

Cease striving and know that I am
God; I will be exalted among the
nations, I will be exalted in the earth.
(Psalm 46:10)

**Keep the
Sabbath!**

Seek first His kingdom and His
righteousness, and all these things will
be added to you. (Matthew 6:33)

The one who has entered His rest has
himself also rested from his works, as
God did from His. (Hebrews 4:10)



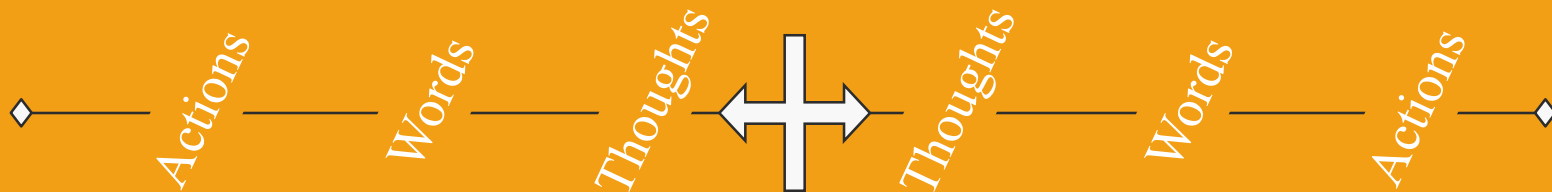
**Do not curse
your parents!**

He who curses his father or his mother, his lamp will go out in time of darkness. (Proverbs 20:20)

He who assaults his father and drives his mother away is a shameful and disgraceful son. (Proverbs 19:26)

**Honor your
parents!**

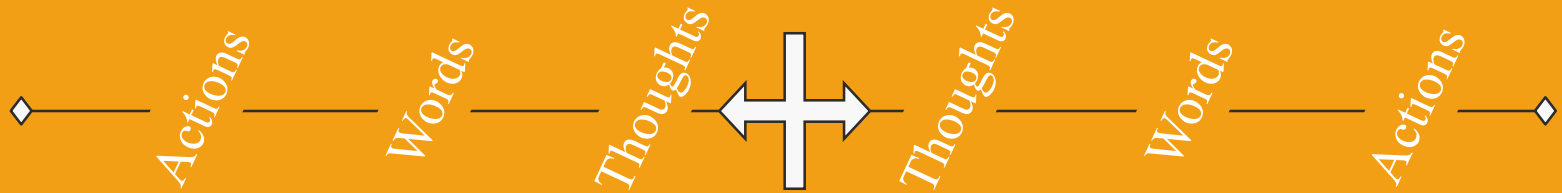
Children, be obedient to your parents in all things, for this is well-pleasing to the Lord. (Colossians 3:20)



**Do not commit
adultery!**

**Love your
spouse!**

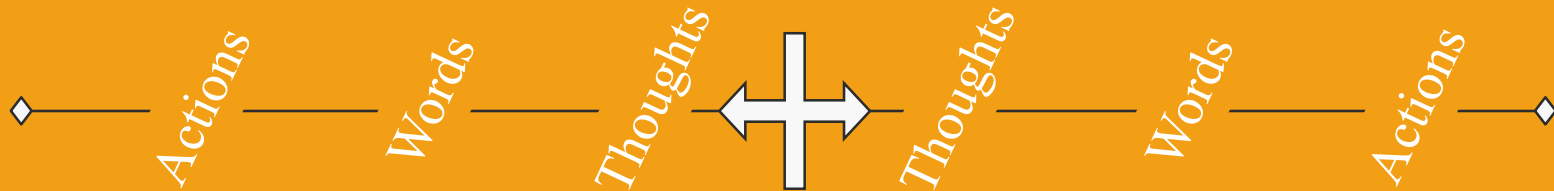
Husbands, love your wives, just as
Christ also loved the church and gave
himself up for her. (Ephesians 5:25)



Do not steal!

Give!

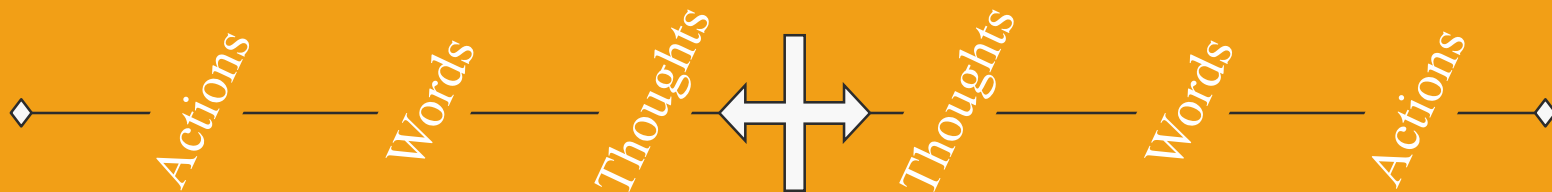
Let him who steals steal no longer; but let him labor, performing with his own hands what is good, in order that he may have something to share with him who has need. (Ephesians 4:28)



**Do not bear
false witness!**

**Speak up for
the truth!**

Do not be afraid, but go on
speaking and do not be silent.
(Acts 18:9)



**Do not
covet!**

**Desire
blessing
for others!**

Rejoice with those who rejoice.
(Romans 12:15)

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