

God's Law and Order
Exodus 20:1-17

Intro: The Ten Commandments are God's fundamental rules for worship and relationships.

- I. "You shall have no other gods before me."
- II. "You shall not make for yourself an image...[to] bow to..."
- III. "You shall not misuse the name of the LORD your God."
- IV. "Remember the Sabbath day by keeping it holy."
- V. "Honor your father and your mother."
- VI. "You shall not murder."
- VII. "You shall not commit adultery."
- VIII. "You shall not steal."
- IX. "You shall not give false testimony against your neighbor."
- X. "You shall not covet...anything that belongs to your neighbor."

Close: The Ten Commandments are God's perfect plan for law and order. Everyone is guilty of breaking of them, and the penalty is death. However, Jesus fulfilled the Law and died in our place on the cross! Through him we are forgiven and free to love God and our neighbor.