

51 - Commands of God for Christians



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	Command	Verse(s)
1	Repent for the Kingdom of Heaven is at hand.	Matthew (4:17)
2	Follow Me and I will make you fishers of men.	Matthew (4:19)
3	Rejoice for great is your reward in heaven.	Matthew (5:11-12)
4	Let your light shine before men.	Matthew (5:16)
5	Honor Jesus' fulfillment of the Mosaic law.	Matthew (5:17)
6	Be reconciled to other Christians.	Matthew (5:23-25)
7	Don't lust after other people or possessions.	Matthew (5:28-30)
8	Always keep your word (don't lie).	Matthew (5:37)
9	Go the second mile to help others.	Matthew (5:38-42)
10	Love your enemies and bless those who curse you.	Matthew (5:44-46)
11	Strive to be perfect in your love toward everyone.	Matthew (5:46-48)
12	Keep your gifts and giving private.	Matthew (6:1-18)
13	Lay up treasures in heaven and not on earth.	Matthew (6:19-21)
14	Seek God's Kingdom.	Matthew (6:33)
15	Don't judge others.	Matthew (7:1-3)
16	Don't cast pearls before swine.	Matthew (7:6)
17	Ask...seek...knock and God will acknowledge you.	Matthew (7:7-8)
18	Do to others as you want them to do to you.	Matthew (7:12)
19	Choose the narrow path to life.	Matthew (7:13-14)
20	Beware of false prophets (wolves in sheeps clothing).	Matthew (7:15-16)
21	Pray that God will send leaders and missionaries.	Matthew (9:37-38)
22	Be wise as serpents and gentle as doves.	Matthew (10:16)
23	Don't fear men but fear the Lord.	Matthew (10:28)
24	Hear God's voice and commands.	Matthew (11:15)
25	Take the yoke of Jesus and find true rest.	Matthew (11:28-30)
26	Honor your Father and Mother.	Matthew (15:4)
27	Beware of leaven from legalistic leaders.	Matthew (16:6)
28	Deny yourself and take up your cross.	Luke (9:23-25)
29	Be concerned for the well being and safety of children.	Matthew (18:10)
30	Go to personal offenders and confront them with love.	Matthew (18:15-17)
31	Beware of covetousness.	Luke (12:15)
32	Forgive offenders every time they repent.	Matthew (18:21-22)
33	Honor the marriage bond between a man and woman.	Matthew (19:4-6)
34	Be a servant to everyone.	Matthew (20:26-28)
35	Be a house of prayer.	Matthew (21:13)
36	Ask for things in faith and within the will of God.	Matthew (21:21-22)
37	Bring in the poor and underprivileged.	Luke (14:12-14)
38	Render to Caesar (Pay Taxes)	Matthew (22:19-21)
39	Love the Lord your God (Great Commandment #1).	Matthew (22:37-38)
40	Love your neighbor as yourself (Great Commandment #2).	Matthew (22:39-40)
41	Watch and await the return of Jesus.	Matthew (24:42-44)
42	Take, Eat, and Drink (observe the Lord's Supper).	Matthew (26:26-28)
43	Believe, be born again, and be baptized.	John (3:5-7)
44	Keep My Commandments (This list - NOT the Mosaic Law)	John (14:15)
45	Watch, pray, and don't enter into temptations.	Matthew (26:41)
46	Feed My sheep (teach the Word of God).	John (21:15-16)
47	Baptize My disciples (after salvation through faith).	Matthew (28:19)
48	Receive God's power (through the Holy Spirit).	Luke (24:49)
49	Make disciples throughout the world.	Matthew (28:19-20)

In the Old Testament, God gave the Mosaic Law to the Israelites after leading them out of Egypt during the Exodus. The Mosaic Law consisted of 613 commands that encompassed moral laws (10 commandments), civil laws, and religious laws. When Jesus came, He fulfilled the Mosaic Law and gave Christians 2 new commandments referred to as "The Great Commandments". These are basically Love God and Love your neighbor as yourself. Beyond these two there are approximately 47 other commands that Christians should try to follow which reinforce the first two.