

# Here is Our King!

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## Law and Order

### What is Jesus saying in regards to the Law?

- \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_

### Do we still need to follow the Law?

\_\_\_\_\_ – The principles should guide us.

- Sabbath and \_\_\_\_\_
- clothes of multiple colors

\_\_\_\_\_ - Some things were brought to completion

- sacrificial system
- \_\_\_\_\_

Some things were never meant to be

- Relationship with God based on the law \_\_\_\_\_
- Pharisaical legalism: Burdensome

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### How do we know which ones to continue?

Are they mentioned again in the \_\_\_\_\_?

- \_\_\_\_\_ **Matthew 23:23**
- God's forbiddance of homosexuality **Romans 1:24-27**

- \_\_\_\_\_ - no more **Acts 10**

Did Jesus fulfill the need for this law?

Refocusing the Law to its intent:

\_\_\_\_\_ our relationship with God.

Foreshadows our need for a \_\_\_\_\_.

**Galatians 3:11 (NIV)** *Clearly no one is justified before God by the law, because, "The righteous will live by faith."*

**Galatians 3:24 (NIV)** *The law was put in charge to lead us to Christ that we might be justified by faith.*

Following Jesus goes beyond \_\_\_\_\_

- More than the Pharisees
- 6 examples

### The example of murder:

Harboring \_\_\_\_\_ = danger

Unjustified \_\_\_\_\_ = danger

Movement from outward to inward

Urgency – two things: 1. reconciliation > \_\_\_\_\_

2. legal council – \_\_\_\_\_

### Three conclusions:

1. Jesus takes the law beyond obedience
2. Focus on being vs. doing
3. Living in right relationship with God and each other is the very heart of the law.

**Matthew 22:37-40**

Love God and love your neighbor