

To Perceive the Law of God



Read: *To Perceive the Law of God (CBCG)*



Holy Days Review

Place the Holy Days in order of God's calendar year, starting with Passover. Place one in each box.

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How does keeping the weekly Sabbath and Holy Days bring you greater understanding of God and His plan?



True or False?

- ___ The King James translation “done away with” is correct.
- ___ People in the Old Testament were also given the Holy Spirit.
- ___ God’s laws are done away with in the New Covenant.
- ___ Salvation is automatic if we have good intentions.
- ___ Christ expects us to become Christ-like.
- ___ Every physical law set aside has now been raised to a spiritual level, a much higher level, in the New Covenant.
- ___ People in Old Testament times knew about the 2nd resurrection.



Civil Law vs Spiritual Laws In

the Old Testament:

As a physical nation, Israel had ___ _v_ ___ laws. All physical
c ___ _n_ ___ _s_ have civil laws to keep law and order in
their lands.

In the New Testament:

The church becomes a spiritual nation with spiritual ___ _a_ ___ _s_. The
civil laws still exist.

Lawlessness in any society is ___ _n_ ___ _y_ before God.

**Spiritual laws trump ___ _i_ ___ _i_ laws when they conflict with one
another.**



To Obey or Not Obey?

God's laws trump civil laws of our government when they are in conflict. Read each command below. Decide whether you should obey it based on God's Word & instruction. Place a check on those commands you would obey if you were committed to following God.

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Don't steal. | <input type="checkbox"/> Don't commit adultery. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Don't meet on the Sabbath. | <input type="checkbox"/> Only eat shellfish on Friday. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Must work on Saturdays. | <input type="checkbox"/> Must have driver's license. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Must celebrate Christmas. | <input type="checkbox"/> Must have Passport. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Pay taxes to government. | <input type="checkbox"/> Worship a king or priest. |

Why can't the church today use the laws demonstrated in the Old Testament as a guide in how we are to live today?

How are sanctuary cities misused today?

God says that regardless of the judgements made,

we are to _ _ _ _ .



God's Laws in Our Lives

Everything we do must be found or supported by the _____.

On which 2 commands does everything hang, according to scripture?

1. _____
2. _____

On the days God has set, He has placed His spirit among His people where they are gathered. Which days are these?

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2. _____
3. _____

Stirring up the Spirit of God helps us to stay close to Him every day. What are 4 things you can do to stir up God's Spirit in you? Place one in each box.

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True or False?

___ When we obey the world's laws that also align with God's way, we are being obedient to God.

___ God gives His spirit to those who humble themselves & obey Him.

___ Only those led by God's spirit are called sons of God.

___ Outside the church, the world currently has no idea of the mysteries of God.

___ Hungering & thirsting for righteousness means having good intentions.

___ Humbling oneself includes daily repentance & obedience to God's Word every day.



God's Spirit in Us

Finish the sentence by checking those things that apply.

God's Spirit in us leads us and guides us when we...

___ Spend time with Him daily.

___ Obey His words.

___ Meet with Him on Holy Days.

___ Fellowship with brethren.

___ Value material things.

___ Do our own thing.

___ Pray throughout the day.

___ Read His Word daily.

___ Sing songs that glorify Him.

___ Glorify ourselves.

___ Humble ourselves before Him.

___ Hunger & thirst for Him.

What are 4 things God's spirit does in us? (p. 11)

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God's Goal = Perfection of the Saints

Read Hebrews 10:14-17. Explain what God is doing in your own words.

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God's way is a way of living, not a religion. T F

Read the first half of Psalm 119. Make a list of things a blessed follower of Christ would do daily.

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As God's child, we will still sin while we are in the world, but we should not ____ to sin. What should we do if we read what God wants of us, but feel like we can't make it?

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True or False?

___ To “take heed” means to pay attention & do what we read in God’s Word.

___ We will continue to learn & grow in Christ if we stay close to Him, study, obey, & repent when we fail.

___ God’s Word is spirit and life to all who desire it & obey it.

___ Deeply rooted sin is forgiven at baptism, so there is no need to address it.

___ We *must* grow & be perfected by Christ during our time on earth.

___ God provides the strength we need to be overcomers of sin.



Psalm 119

Choose one of the verses in Ps. 119 that speaks to you. Write it below and illustrate it.

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What is Having the Mind of Christ?

Compare & contrast actions related to the mind of the flesh and the mind of Christ. Give examples of actions someone living with each frame of mind.

| Mind of Christ | Mind of the Flesh |
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Desiring the Mind of Christ

Do you dread studying God's Word, or do you delight in it?

What one word on page 15 describes how God wants us to approach Him & our time spent with Him and His Word? _____

Flesh profits _____. The Spirit gives _____.

What is "enmity"? _____

Why is the carnal mind enmity toward God? (p. 18 & 19)

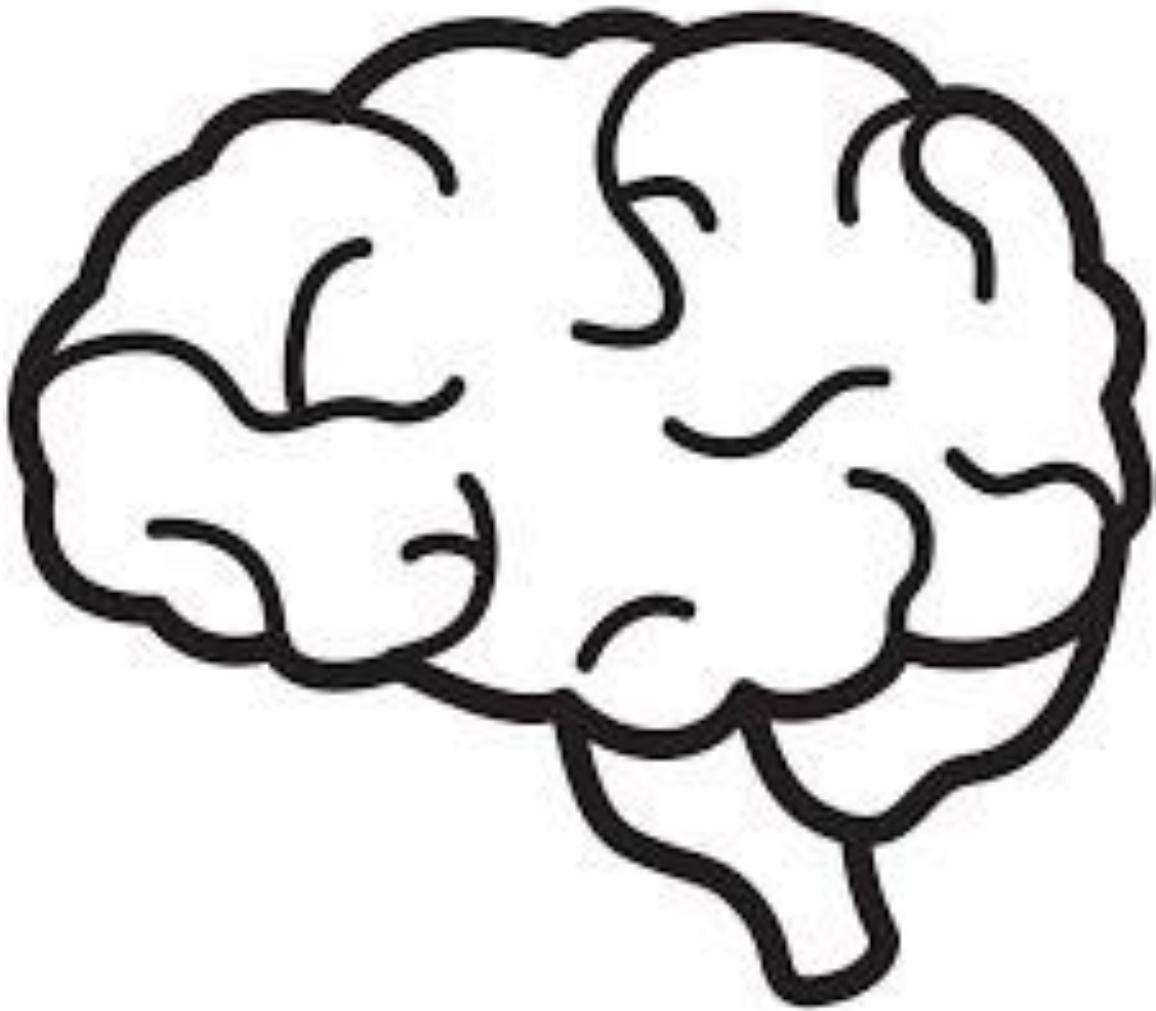
God's law is the __ _R_ __ __ __. Therefore, how could it ever have been done away as some Protestants say?

What does it mean to "have the mind of Christ"?

How can you focus on having the mind of Christ? What will you do differently this week?

Think about the words you speak daily. Do they illustrate the mind of Christ in you? Why or why not?

How can you have the mind of Christ? Place at least 10 things you should allow your brain to focus on that would help you better develop the mind of Christ. Write them in the brain below.





LOVE THE LORD
YOUR GOD

WITH ALL YOUR HEART
AND WITH ALL YOUR SOUL
AND WITH ALL YOUR MIND.

Matthew 22:37

