

TO HELP US STUDY

1. Jesus said he did not come to abolish the Law or the prophets but to _____.
2. Unless our righteousness surpasses that of the Pharisees and teachers of the law, we will not _____.
3. Jesus said not to murder and also not to _____.
4. What are we in danger of when we insult our brother? _____.
5. Which one should be done first – to offer a gift at the altar or to reconcile with a brother who has something against you? _____
Why? _____.
6. Jesus said “I tell you that anyone who looks at a woman _____ has already committed _____ with her in his heart”.
7. If something causes us to sin, what should we do about it? _____.
8. Is Jesus saying that if you are angry with your brother, you have already sinned, so you might as well go ahead and kill him? _____
Why or why not? _____.

TO HELP US REMEMBER: Young Ones—Matt. 5:17
Older Ones—Matt. 5:23-24

TO CHALLENGE TEEN THOUGHT

Write a couple of paragraphs that describe the differences between the Law of Moses and the Gospel of Christ.

TIPS FOR TEACHING PARENTS

Explain what Jesus means by “the Law and the Prophets” (the Old Testament). See if they can remember some of the books. Jesus doesn't teach that we should stop following the moral rules of the old law (against murder, lying, stealing, adultery, etc.) but that we can be even better than that by giving our hearts to God.

FOR ADULT STUDY: Luke 21:33; Matthew 20:28; 24:35; 15:9; 20:26; 18:3; 18:15; 19:9; Romans 1:24; 13:14; 1 Corinthians 7:1.