

b) Social Justice

i) “Aliens” are \_\_\_\_\_, and therefore are a special concern of God.

ii) All vulnerable people must be cared for!

c) God’s Expectations

iii) \_\_\_\_\_ to God is the first step in \_\_\_\_\_.

**LAW AND PROMISE (23:20-33)**

1. God’s loyalty to Israel

2. Israel’s loyalty to God

Only with a sharp statement of the nature of the relationship will it be possible later to see what \_\_\_\_\_ really means.



Be sure to read through to Exodus chapter 24 for next week’s class.

**COMING UP:**

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**November 13** | 24 Sinai Covenant, IV (Ratification)

**November 20** | 25-31 God’s Royal Tent, 1

**November 27** | NO CLASS - THANKSGIVING

**December 4** | 32-34 God’s Royal Tent, II (Rebellion)

**December 11** | 35-40 God’s Royal Tent, III

**December 18** | CONCLUSION

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## LAWS IN THE COVENANT:

The \_\_\_\_\_ of God cannot be separated from issues of \_\_\_\_\_.

God has not merely given the law, but God is \_\_\_\_\_

in the \_\_\_\_\_ of the law in the community.

We can draw the conclusion that \_\_\_\_\_ to God goes hand in

hand with the \_\_\_\_\_ the laws raise.

\_\_\_\_\_ of the poor is a \_\_\_\_\_ that carries

with it the \_\_\_\_\_. (22:21-24)

When the people of God mistreat \_\_\_\_\_,

they \_\_\_\_\_ their own history.

## JUDGMENT RULES ABOUT PEOPLE AND POSSESSIONS (21:1-

### 22:17)

Two types of laws in the Pentateuch: \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ laws are the short, positive declaratory sentences

found in the Ten Commandments.

\_\_\_\_\_ law is case-law, decisions made by judges which

serve as precedents for other decisions.

## 2) Relating to Persons (21:1-32) - Promoting the Well-Being of All

1. Male Slaves

a. In the \_\_\_\_\_ legislation, slaves begin to be taken into account in \_\_\_\_\_.

a) Female Slaves

b) Acts of Violence

i) Violence shows no respect of \_\_\_\_\_.

c) Injuries Inflicted by Men

i) *Lex Talionis* = \_\_\_\_\_

d) Injuries Inflicted by Animals

## 3) Relating to Property (21:33-22:17)

a) Loss of Animals by Neglect or Theft

b) Intentional or Careless Destruction of Another's Crops (only 2 rules instead of the usual 5)

c) Trusts

d) Loans

## 4) Rules About Social Order and Worship (22:18-23:19)

a) Capital Crimes

i) \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_, & \_\_\_\_\_

ii) \_\_\_\_\_ was a common idolatrous practice in \_\_\_\_\_