

# HOME TALK

Making Disciples in the Middle of Everyday Life Mt 28:20a



## Talking about The Ten Commandments

### Conclusion of the Ten Commandments

#### What does God say of all His commandments?

**I, the Lord your God, am a jealous God, punishing the children for the sin of the fathers to the third and fourth generation of those who hate me, but showing love to a thousand generations of those who love me and keep my commandments (Exodus 20:5-6).**

#### What does this mean?

This means that God threatens to punish all who fail to keep these commandments. We should, therefore, fear His wrath, and in no manner disobey them. But He promises grace and every blessing to all who keep them. We should, therefore, love Him, trust in Him, and gladly keep His commandments.

### 110 Are believing children affected by the sin of their parents?

Yes, the effects of sin are far reaching and long lasting, but so is God's love.

**Lamentations 5:7** "Our fathers sinned, and are no more; and we bear their iniquities."

**Lamentations 3:22** "The steadfast love of the Lord never ceases; his mercies never come to an end..."

### 111 What is sin?

Sin is everything that is contrary to God's holy law and includes both inherited and actual sin.

**1 John 3:4** "Everyone who makes a practice of sinning also practices lawlessness; sin is lawlessness."

Scriptures are noted in the English Standard Version

