

Moses: The 10 Commandments – Stealing

- **Exodus 20:15** “You shall not steal.
- **Leviticus 6:1–7** The LORD said to Moses: **2** “If anyone sins and is unfaithful to the LORD by deceiving his neighbor about something entrusted to him or left in his care or stolen, or if he cheats him, **3** or if he finds lost property and lies about it, or if he swears falsely, or if he commits any such sin that people may do— **4** when he thus sins and becomes guilty, he must return what he has stolen or taken by extortion, or what was entrusted to him, or the lost property he found, **5** or whatever it was he swore falsely about. He must make restitution in full, add a fifth of the value to it and give it all to the owner on the day he presents his guilt offering...

1. We are all “_____.”

Ephesians 4:28 He who has been stealing must steal no longer, but must work, doing something useful with his own hands, that he may have something to share with those in need.

2. The opposite of stealing is _____.

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Genesis 2:15 The LORD God placed the man in the Garden of Eden to tend and watch over it.

- **We were created to _____ and _____ things.**

Psalms 24:1 The earth is the LORD’s, and everything in it. The world and all its people belong to him.

3. The opposite of stealing is _____.

Ephesians 4:28 ...that he may have something to share with those in need.

- **We were created to _____.**

• **Num. 18:21, 2 Chron. 31:4-10**

• **Leviticus 23:22** “When you harvest the crops of your land, do not harvest the grain along the edges of your fields, and do not pick up what the harvesters drop. Leave it for the poor and the foreigners living among you. I am the LORD your God.”

• **Malachi 3:7-10**

• **Acts 4:32-35** All the believers were united in heart and mind. And they felt that what they owned was not their own, so they shared everything they had. **33** The apostles testified powerfully to the resurrection of the Lord Jesus, and God’s great blessing was upon them all. **34** There were no needy people among them, because those who owned land or houses would sell them **35** and bring the money to the apostles to give to those in need.

- **How can we learn to live _____?**

2 Corinthians 8:8-9 I am not commanding you to do this. But I am testing how genuine your love is by comparing it with the eagerness of the other churches. **9** You know the generous grace of our Lord Jesus Christ. Though he was rich, yet for your sakes he became poor, so that by his poverty he could make you rich

• **Isaiah 53:12**

• **Luke 23:40-43** But the other criminal rebuked him. “Don’t you fear God,” he said, “since you are under the same sentence? **41** We are punished justly, for we are getting what our deeds deserve. But this man has done nothing wrong.” **42** Then he said, “Jesus, remember me when you come into your kingdom.” **43** Jesus answered him, “I tell you the truth, today you will be with me in paradise.

Next Steps for Growth:

I want to begin to follow Jesus today.

I want to talk to a Pastor, please contact me.

I am interested in becoming a member

My contact information has been updated.

I want to be baptized.

Name(s): _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____ Change my contact info

Mailing Address: _____

I am a: 1st time guest 2nd time guest Regular Attendee Member (taken membership class & committed to membership)

Prayer Requests/Praise Items: __ Put this on the prayer chain.