

RATIFICATION OF THE MOSAIC COVENANT

1. PARTIES (YHWH AND ISRAEL) (Exod 19:3-6; 24:3-8)
2. ISRAEL'S SPECIAL ROLE (Exod 19:5-6)
3. CONDITIONAL – Obedience (Exod 19:8; 24:7)
4. TIMING – As long as the Covenant is in EFFECT (Deut 29:1, 14-15; 30:1-20)
5. BLESSINGS AND CURSES (Lev 26; Deut 27-30)

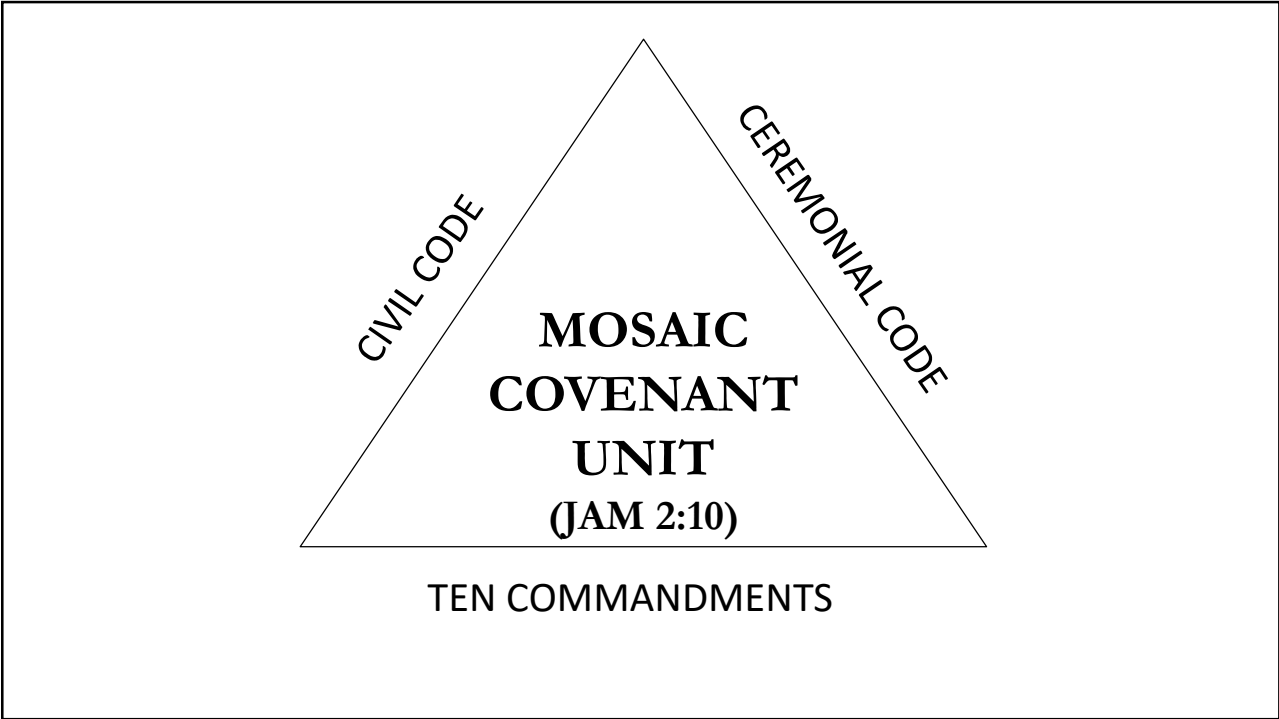
PURPOSE OF THE MOSAIC COVENANT

1. Instruction to Israel for living acceptable before God

“The law defined the responsibility of the covenant nation to God, marking out the requirement for fellowship and communion with him. It gave specific instructions to them concerning appropriate behavior within the covenant relationship” (Strickland, p. 237). This instruction included how to worship God and how the theocracy was to be organized and managed.

2. Allows Israel to stay connected to Abrahamic Covenant (Deut 30:19-20)

TEN COMMANDMENTS Exodus 20:1-17



The Decalogue & Deuteronomy

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DECALOGUE	COMMANDMENT	DEUTERONOMY	DESCRIPTION
5:6-10	I-II	12:1—13:18	Worship
5:11	III	14:1-21	Name of God
5:12-15	IV	14:22—16:17	Sabbath
5:16	V	16:18—18:22	Authority
5:17	VI	19:1— 22:8	Homicide
5:18	VII	22:9—23:18	Adultery
5:19	VIII	23:19—24:7	Theft
5:20	IX	24:8— 25:4	False Charges
5:21	X	25:5-16	Coveting

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4. THE ONLY ONE CREATOR - KEEP THE SABBATH DAY HOLY (EXOD 20:8-11)

















KEY FACTS ABOUT SABBATH

1. Purpose of Sabbath – The SIGN of the Covenant (Exod 31:12-18)

“The sabbath was ordained for those who were delivered out of Egypt and who would inhabit the land of promise.” (Dr. Barrick, TMS Journal (Fall 1999) 2013-32)

1. Multiple Sabbaths – “My Sabbaths” Exod 31:12
 1. The Weekly Sabbath (Exod 20:8-11)
 2. The Feasts of Israel (Levit 23)
 3. Sabbath Year (Levit 25)
 4. The Year of Jubilee (Levit 25; 2 Chron 36:20-23)
2. Punishment for Breaking the Sabbath – Death (Exod 31:14, Num15:32)

THE FEASTS OF THE LORD (The seven month cycles)

		1. PASSOVER			2. PENTECOST		3. TABERNACLES			
		1 ST MONTH - NISAN			2 ND MONTH - IYYAR		3 RD MONTH - SIVAN			
		TAMMUZ AB ELUL 4 TH , 5 TH , 6 TH MONTH			7 TH MONTH - TISHRI					
		1 FEAST OF PASSOVER			2 FEAST OF UNLEAVENED BREAD		3 FEAST OF FIRST FRUITS			
		4 FEAST OF WEEKS			6 FEAST OF ATONEMENT			7 FEAST OF TABERNACLES		
		5 FEAST OF TRUMPETS								
		Lev 23:4&5			Lev 23:6-8		Lev 23:9-14			
		Lev 23:15-22			Lev 23:23-25			Lev 23:26-32		
		Lev 23:33-43								
TYPE										
		Ex 12:1-14	Ex 12:15-20							
		← 50 DAYS →							← 8 DAYS Incl →	
ANTI-TYPE		14 th Day Nisan	15 th Day Nisan	17 th Day Nisan		6 th Day Sivan	THE INTERVAL Typifies the present dispensation of 2 thousand years in which the Holy Spirit is gathering the Church.	1 st Day Tishri	10 th Day Tishri	15 th -22 nd Day Tishri
		REDEMPTION 1 Cor 5:7	SIGN OF JONAH 1 Cor 5:8	RESURRECTION 1 Cor 15:22-23		HOLY SPIRIT Acts 2: 1-4	THE INTERVAL Typifies the present dispensation of 2 thousand years in which the Holy Spirit is gathering the Church.	RAPTURE 1 Thes 4:17	ATONEMENT FOR ISRAEL Zech 13:1	MILLENNIAL REIGN Amos 9: 13-15
										
	Redemption of blood. The lamb of God Passover	Leaven type of sin. Purged by crucifixion	First Fruits Resurrection and those whose graves opened first harvest		Pouring out of Holy Spirit Day of Pentecost in upper room.	The feast of Trumpets typifies the final ingathering of the church at the Rapture	Then we which are alive and remain shall be caught up together with them in the clouds	They shall look upon Him whom they pierced and accept the atonement nationally	Typifies the period of rest. The Sabbath rest in relation to the other 2 thousand years' of work day history	

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SIGNIFICANCE OF SABBATH

1. The only One Creator
2. God's dominion over Israel
 - a. In His sovereignty Yahweh establishes the nation, grants them their land, and claims their time.
3. God as the Redeemer
 - a. The sabbaths are also a means of reminding Israel of their deliverance from bondage. (Deut 5:12-15)
4. God is the God of Time and Space
 - a. Israel's liturgical calendar is Yahweh-oriented. He is the God of time as well as the God of space.

SIGNIFICANCE OF SABBATH

1. God is the provider (Exod 16:23; Levit 26)
 - a. The sabbaths honor the Lord of time by teaching the Israelites to trust the Lord of all things for their provisions.
 - b. By trusting the Lord to provide for the seventh day, the seventh year, and the forty-ninth and fiftieth years, Israel gives tangible witness to His power and wisdom.
2. God who gives rest

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1. The Church did not replace Israel
2. The New Covenant abolished or annulled the Old Covenant (Heb 7:11-28)
3. Christ fulfilled all the demands of the Mosaic Law perfectly and completely (Matt 5:17; Rom 10:4)
4. The First Church Council in Jerusalem did not prescribe observing the Sabbath (Acts 15)
5. Christian is united to Christ and is under the jurisdiction of the law of Christ (Rom 7, Gal 6, James 1)

TEN COMMANDMENTS (EXODUS 20)

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5. HONOR YOUR FATHER AND YOUR MOTHER (20:12)

HONOR YOUR FATHER AND YOUR MOTHER

“Honor your father and your mother, that your days may be prolonged in the land which the LORD your God gives you.” (Exod 20:12)

HONOR YOUR FATHER AND YOUR MOTHER

1. The Command

a. Honor

- a. By demonstrating a respect (Lev 19:3)
- b. By listening to them (Proverbs)
- c. God’s representatives
- d. Applicable equally to a father and to a mother

b. Examples of Dishonor

- a. To strike a father or a mother (Exod 21:15)
- b. To curse a father or a mother (Exod 21:17)
- c. To act defiantly and rebelliously (Deut 21:18-21)

HONOR YOUR FATHER AND YOUR MOTHER

1. The Promise
 - a. Your Days may be prolonged in the Land which the LORD your God gives you
 - a. Prolonged – live long in the land (did not die)
 - b. Focus – the Land
 - c. Which Land? – Which YHWH your God gives you
 - b. National View
2. Disobedience – resulted in curse and death (Deut 21:18-21; 27:16)

HONOR YOUR FATHER AND YOUR MOTHER

“Children, obey your parents in the Lord, for this is right. HONOR YOUR FATHER AND MOTHER (which is the first commandment with a promise), SO THAT IT MAY BE WELL WITH YOU, AND THAT YOU MAY LIVE LONG ON THE EARTH.