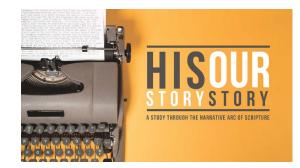
His Story – Our Story

Law (Exodus 19-20) Life Group Questions – February 24, 2019



Connect & Review

- 1. Share a "low" that happened in your life this week.
- 2. What words or pictures come to mind when you hear the word "law?" Of the two, do you lean more easily toward legalism or license?

Investigate & Dig

- 3. Read **Exodus 19:4-6; 20:1-2.** Before giving the Law, of what does God remind them His people that He's done for them? Why is this important?
- 4. Read **Exodus 20:3-17**. God gives these Ten Commandments to show His people how to relate rightly to Him and to each other. Why does God give His people these boundary lines (see **Joshua 1:8**)? List what can happen when any of us ignore or break these Ten Commandments.

Apply & Respond

- 5. God gave His people four kinds of laws: His *moral, ceremonial, dietary & hygiene laws*. Which of these four still apply to us as Christians today, and how do we know this? What method do we use to interpret?
- 6. Read **Matthew 22:36-40**. When have you seen yourself practicing these two commands? Give a specific example.
- 7. When **Romans 6:14** says we're no longer under the law, but under grace, does this mean God's Law no longer applies to us? Explain your answer,
- 8. An advantage we enjoy versus people who lived in the Old Testament, is the Holy Spirit now lives <u>inside</u> every person who's trusted in Jesus. Share a concrete example when you noticed the Holy Spirit helping you obey God.
- 9. As one of God's redeemed people where do you find it most challenging right now to reflect God's character in the world? Ask the group to pray with and for you about this. Do the same for someone when they share.