



Sermon Discussion Guide
The Forgotten Torah: Leviticus
Leviticus 19:1-37
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Step 1: Reflect on the Text

Read the Scripture printed above. What stands out to you? What do you find interesting and/or important? What is challenging or causes you to have questions?

Step 2: Reflect on the Sermon

INTRODUCTION

1. Read Genesis 12:1-3 and reflect on the mission of Israel in light of God's promise to Abraham. How does the call to be holy in Leviticus 19:2 fit into this mission? Remember that "holy" primarily means "set apart, unique, distinct."
2. What was your one, big takeaway from the sermon? How would you summarize the main theme of the sermon in one phrase or sentence?

THE CHARACTER OF HOLINESS (vv. 1-2, 9-18)

1. What does it mean that the law is a window into the character of God? How does this change your view of the law?
2. Read vv. 19-34. What do these verses teach us about the character of God? What does he care about?

THE REACH OF HOLINESS (vv. 9-18, 35-37)

1. Holiness has implications for all of life. Consider the areas of life covered in these laws and discuss what it would look like for your life to reflect God's holiness.

THE MOTIVATION FOR HOLINESS (vv. 35-37)

1. What is the motivation for holiness? What is the implication of the law coming after Israel's redemption.
2. How does Jesus give us a window into the character of God? How does our redemption motivate our obedience?

Step 3: Final Reflections

1. How has your understanding, appreciation, and love for Jesus and the gospel grown as a result of this study?

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2. In what areas of faith and practice are you feeling convicted by the Holy Spirit to act as a result of this study?