

God is First and Foremost

Exodus 20:1-3; 32:1-14

Introduction: Today we come to the first Commandment. I cannot overstate the importance of this message. Nothing even comes close to this first commandment. It is the watershed of everything...literally everything! Everything for humanity hinges on it, everything is based on it, everything points to it, everything will be judged by it.

Background to the first and greatest commandment.

Substituting God for a golden calf. (Exodus 32:1-4)

Are there other gods in America?

The first commandment and the greatest commandment (Exodus 20:2-3; Matthew 22:37-38)

Conclusion: The simple truth is that we have all failed to love God. We have all broken the first commandment.