

# Sunday School Lesson

## LOVE FULFILLS THE COMMANDMENTS

This lesson incorporates all of the laws in the requirement to love God supremely and our fellowmen genuinely.

Matthew 22:34-40

The enemies of Christ did not become discouraged and quit working against Him, His cause, and His followers when they suffered a defeat at His hands. Although the Pharisees, Herodians, and Sadducees had suffered a severe rebuff, they proceeded immediately to make another attack on Christ. They decided to enter a realm where the Pharisees thought they knew about all that was to be known, the realm of the Jewish law. To facilitate matters, they selected a brilliant young lawyer to ask the Lord Jesus a question about the law. Acting as spokesman for the hostile Pharisees, he inquired of Christ as to which of the commandments was

the greatest or the most important.

What he asked is the primary question for every man, namely, "Which is the greatest commandment in the law?" Our Lord's answer to that young lawyer's question is the ultimate answer to all in every age.

Just as in the other problem with reference to tribute money, Christ again showed that man's responsibility is twofold: first to God, and second to his fellowmen. The law deals with man's relationship to God and his relationship to man. Christ placed love to God first, and love for man second. Man's first duty is to God, and his second duty is to his fellowmen. It is the duty of every man to love God with that love which controls the whole being and without any reservation. He must put God first in everything. His claims are always supreme. In his memorable reply to the lawyer, Christ set forth the heart of true religion and the substance to right living.

Only the one who loves God with all his heart will be able to love his neighbor as himself. Such love is possible through the grace of God.

Leviticus 19:33-34

Having been delivered from bondage in Egypt, the Israelites were journeying toward the land which God had promised to their ancestors. They had not forgotten how they would have preferred that the Egyptians had treated them while they were sojourning in Egypt. Knowing that strangers from other lands would be in the land to which the Israelites were journeying, God instructed them as to the treatment which He wanted them to give these foreigners whom they would meet after their arrival. Inasmuch as they had been the recipients of the divine love, mercy, forgiveness, and blessing, God let them know that He was expecting them to be the channel through who His blessings might flow to

those who would be strangers in their midst. Any improper treatment at the hands of the Israelites would make it far more difficult for them to be reached and won to God.

Deuteronomy 6:4-5

Joseph, the God of Israel, is the one true and living God, and unlike all of the gods, not made by man. His supremacy must be acknowledged. He must be loved with all the heart, soul, and might. All the capacities for thought, feeling, devotion, and energy must be centered on God. He wants His people to love Him with their whole being. He absolutely refuses to allow anyone to place Him on an equality with other gods. Of course, it is understood that what is in the heart will be expressed through the lips and will be demonstrated in the life. The command to "love the Lord thy God with all thine heart, and with all thy soul, and with all thy might" is the greatest commandment that Moses ever penned.

## Obituaries

Cary Perry Quincy, Sr., 96, of Rt. 2, Hertford, died Sunday night in the Albemarle Hospital following a lingering illness. A native of Bertie County, he was the husband of the late Mrs. Martha Towe Quincy and son of the late William H. and Mrs. Addie Green Quincy. He was a member of Oak Grove Methodist Church and Perquimans Masonic Lodge #106 and was a retired merchant.

Surviving are a son, Cary P. Quincy, Jr. of Virginia Beach, Va.; a daughter, Mrs. Robert Brewer of Tallahassee, Florida; a brother, Ernest Quincy of Norfolk, Va. and five grandchildren.

Funeral services were held Wednesday at 2 p.m. in the chapel of the Swindell Funeral Home by the Rev. Arthur Wall.

Burial was in Cedarwood Cemetery.

George Edgar Newby, Jr., 73, of Rocky Mount, N.C., and formerly of Hertford, died Friday at 1:45 a.m. He was the son of the late Dr. George E. and Mrs. Ruth Toms Newby.

A graduate of the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, he was a retired branch manager for the Liggett and Myers Tobacco Co.

Survivors include one daughter, Mrs. Lee Bond of Charlotte, N.C. and one sister, Mrs. Ruth Archie of Winston-Salem, N.C. and three grandchildren.

Funeral services were held Saturday at 12 noon in the Church of Good Shepherd in Rocky Mount.

Burial followed in the Pineview Cemetery in Rocky Mount.

TYNER — Mrs. Alpine Dail Chappell, age 78, died Friday, November 10 at Norfolk General Hospital.

A native of Chowan County, she was the daughter of the late Lucius J. and Harriett Hobbs Dail.

She was a member of the Happy Home Pentecostal Holiness Church and Ladies Aux.

Surviving are 3 daughters, Mrs. Daniel L. Dilvay, Va. Beach; Mrs. Joe H. Dickens, and Mrs. Braxton L. Jones, both of Tyner; one son Louis S. Chappell of Chesapeake; one brother, Preston Dail, of Tyner; one sister Mrs. Tom Byrum of Hertford, 15 grandchildren, and 3 great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were held at 2 p.m., Monday, Nov. 13, by the Rev. Gilbert Chappell and Rev. Eula Harrell at Happy Home Church.

Burial was at the church cemetery.

Mrs. Eugenia Gregory Tarkenton, 58, of 112 Covert Gardens, died Wednesday morning at 10 a.m. in DePaul Hospital in Norfolk.

A Perquimans County native, she was the wife of William F. Tarkenton and daughter of Mrs. Pencie Hunter Gregory of Hertford and the late Mark Judson Gregory.

Before her retirement, she was a teacher at Hertford Grammar School. She was a member of the Hertford Baptist Church.

Besides her husband and mother, she is survived by a daughter, Mrs. James (Aileen Beck) Presley of Cary, N.C.; a son, George Gregory Beck of Durham, N.C.; a sister, Mrs. Willie (Doris) Ainsley of Hertford; a stepdaughter, Mrs. Gary (Evelyn) Teague of Winston-Salem, N.C.; two step-sons, W.F. Tarkenton, Jr. of Hertford and Wayne D. Tarkenton of Raleigh and six grandchildren.

Funeral services were held Friday at 3 p.m. in the chapel of the Swindell Funeral Home by the Rev. Charles Bullard.

"Sometime We'll Understand" was sung by Mrs. Charles Bullard, accompanied by Mrs. Kay Knox, organist.

The pall was made of pink carnations, white chrysanthemums and baby's breath.

Pallbearers were Tommy Byrum, Jake Chesson, Noah Gregory, Carroll Williams, Bill Tice, Jim Bass, Milton Bailey, and Dan Berry.

Burial followed in Cedarwood Cemetery.



Mr. and Mrs. Richard L. Dunton of Hertford announce the engagement and upcoming wedding of their daughter, Shelly Rucker, to Keith Nowell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Nowell of Belvidere.

The wedding is set for November 26 at the Hertford Methodist Church at 3 p.m.

Following the wedding a reception will be held at the Lions Club Building in Hertford.

### For Your Information

Dear friends,

Our forefathers lived without sugar until the 13th century, without coal fires until the 14th, without buttered bread until the 17th, without gas, matches or electricity until the 19th, without cars, canned or frozen foods until the 20th century. It seems we do have much to be thankful for.

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## Chappell - Winslow

Happy Home Pentecostal Holiness Church in Tyner was the setting recently for the exchange of marriage vows between Lou Ann Chappell and Stanley Jay Winslow. The double ring ceremony was performed by Rev. Gilbert Chappell amidst a candlelight setting of mums, gladioli, and pom poms in fall colors.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wilmer B. Chappell of Belvidere. The groom's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Clifford S. Winslow also of Belvidere.

Wedding music was provided by Mrs. Ira Lou Hare of Tyner, pianist; and Miss Barbara Layden of Belvidere, soloist.

Given in marriage by her parents, the bride wore a full length bridal gown of white Quiana knit. The empire bodice featured silk Venice lace with tiny pearls on a Queen Anne neckline. The long fitted wedding point sleeves were also trimmed in matching silk Venice lace. The back featured pin tucks and chapel length train with edging of lace. Her Camelot headpiece with long fingertip veil and blusher were trimmed in

Venice lace. She carried a nosegay of silk flowers in fall colors. Her only ornament was a pearl necklace.

Mrs. Gail Roberson, sister of the bride, was matron of honor. She wore a long four-tiered gown of spice knit. She wore a silk flower comb of autumn colors in her hair. Her only ornament was a tiny pearl bracelet, gift of the bride. She carried a fall assortment of wheat, leaves and yellow roses.

Bridesmaids were Miss Karen Chappell of Norfolk, Miss Claudia Winslow of Belvidere, sister of the bridegroom, and Miss Debbie Meads of Hertford. They wore gowns identical to that of the matron of honor. They also wore silk flower combs in their hair and carried similar fall flower arrangements.

Best man for his son was Clifford S. Winslow. Groomsmen were Jeffrey Chappell of Belvidere, brother of the bride; Edward Winslow of Belvidere, brother of the bridegroom, and Edgar Roberson of Hertford.

Flower girl was Miss Tammi Leigh Bass, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Bass of Edenton,



cousin of the bride. ceremonies were Mr. and Master and Mistress of Mrs. Lee Bass of Edenton.

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