

“Jesus’ Teachings on Making Oaths and Vows” Matthew 5:33-37

- Jesus tells us in Matthew 5:33 that it has been said of old “thou shalt not _____ thyself, but shalt perform unto the _____ thine oaths;”
- He goes on in verse 34 to tell us sternly, “ _____ not at all.”
- Which of the Ten Commandments did Jesus pull from for this point?

- Other Old Testament scriptures that also supports this statement of Jesus to swear not at all are:
Deuteronomy _____
Numbers _____
- Ecclesiastes 5:5 states a great thought when it says: Better not to _____ than to _____ and not pay.
- Jesus says to these men do not swear

- Jesus tells these men do not swear

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- What did Jesus suggest we should do?
Matthew 5:37 “But let your _____ be, _____, _____; _____, _____: for whatsoever is more than these cometh evil.
- *Christian, how is your integrity? Here are some questions for us to consider as we each one does an inventory of our integrity:
What would others say about your word? Are you a person of your word? Is it “as good as gold”? If you say you will do something, do you follow through? Is your word perfect as your heavenly Father's word is perfect? Do you exaggerate? (If so, what does that say about the truthfulness of your word)?
Do you tell someone “I’ll pray for you” and then you fail to follow through? Think on these. How is your integrity?*

- Why should we as believers always tell the truth?

Matthew _____, James _____, Proverbs _____