

October 25, 2020
“Not Such A Difficult Question!”
(Matthew 22:34-46)

Our passage is about the _____ leaders asking Jesus _____ questions, not because they wanted answers, but because they wanted to _____ him.

The religious leaders are trying to get Jesus to choose which law is “_____” in God’s order of righteous living.

Jesus takes them all the way back to the very _____ of God’s laws.

3 thoughts.....

#1. Love for God and love for one’s neighbor has to come _____ everything else or the Law has no _____.

If we love the Law more than we love _____ or our _____, then we will miss the _____ of the law altogether!

These religious leaders were pointing their _____ in the wrong direction.

If we fall in love with the _____ instead of the Lord, we miss out on the _____ we were meant to have with God.

Then we become legalistic and _____.

When we put the Law first, we put _____ on God!

Invariable, we make God in our own _____.

#2. If we love God wholeheartedly, our _____ will align with God’s _____ and will.

When we love God wholeheartedly we are no longer _____ by the Law, but by our _____ with the Lawgiver!

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Our love for God _____ us to live in a way that brings God _____!

#3. The best way to show our love for God is to love our _____ as we love _____!

It’s fairly easy to _____ our love for God.

Loving your neighbor as yourself can’t be faked for long. It requires self-_____!

Our love for our neighbors will cause them to experience the _____ of God!

God commands us to love others out of the love we have _____ from Him!

You can’t argue with love. You can _____ it or _____ it.

You can give it or withhold it. But it doesn’t _____ the truth of God’s love!

So, which do you choose?

Seems like a simple question to me.....