9/19/2021 - Speaker: Al Schaap Series: Everybody, Always - Part 1 Scriptures: Deuteronomy 4, 5; Mark 12:28-31 (pp. 175-177, 1005)

Mark 12:28-31 -

Our Strategy: Helping Each Other Grow in -

Loving God

Loving Each Other

Loving His World

Cf. Genesis 12:1-3

As we follow Him, God brings us to _____...and in life w/ Him!. (Deuteronomy 4:1)

 \cdot "hear" – is a command that points not only to physically hearing but hearing that leads to action.

Following God shows _____ and _____ and helps us _____! (4:2-6)

Our task (4:39-40; 6:4-9): Show our love for God by following His directions and teaching our children to do so as well.

→ Jesus said the Top Command is to love Yahweh/The LORD with our _____ selves! (Deuteronomy 6:5; cf. Mark 12:28-31)

→ The 10 Commands give top practical ways to

love _____ & _____ (Deuteronomy 5:6-21)

Command #1: "...no other gods before Me." There's to be _____! I'm to have no higher lover before/ahead of Him!

Command #2: *No images/idols/additional gods.* There's to be _____! I won't practice spiritual polygamy! He will be my One & Only!

Command #3: Don't misuse God's Name! If I love God most, that will shape how I _____ His name on my lips & _____ His name on my life!

Command #4: Keep Sabbath. Set apart time for Him & you each week!

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