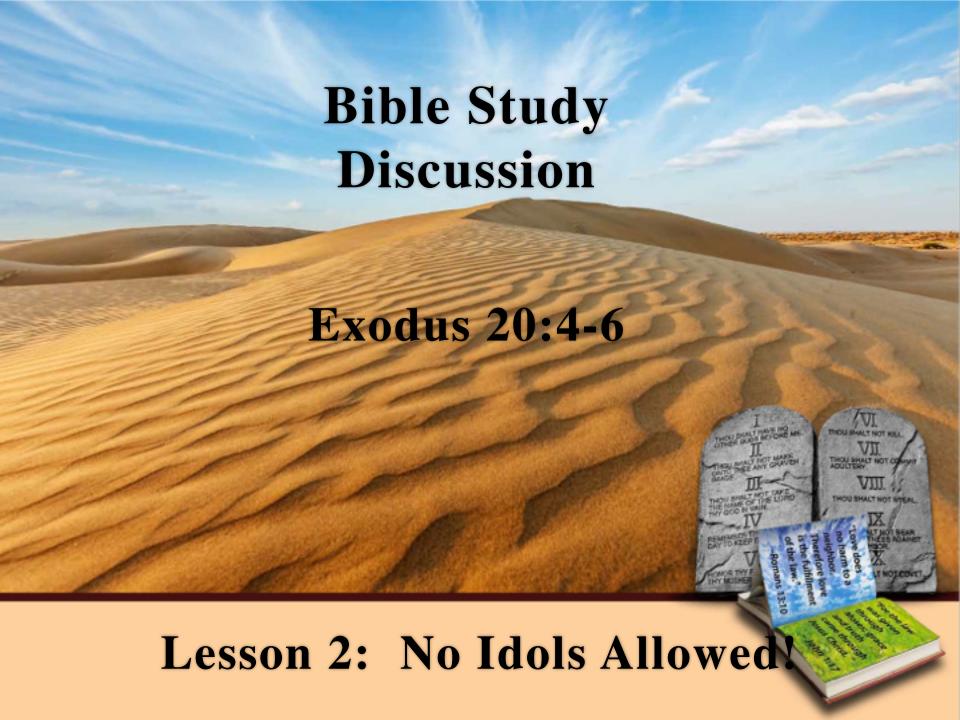




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On Eagles Wings

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Exodus 20:4

"You shall not make for yourself an image in the form of anything in heaven above or on the earth beneath or in the waters below."

Exodus 20:4







The Ten Commandments Movie Clip - watch all clips http://j.mp/yfv07P



Idols and Images





Too Many Gods, Too Little Time!









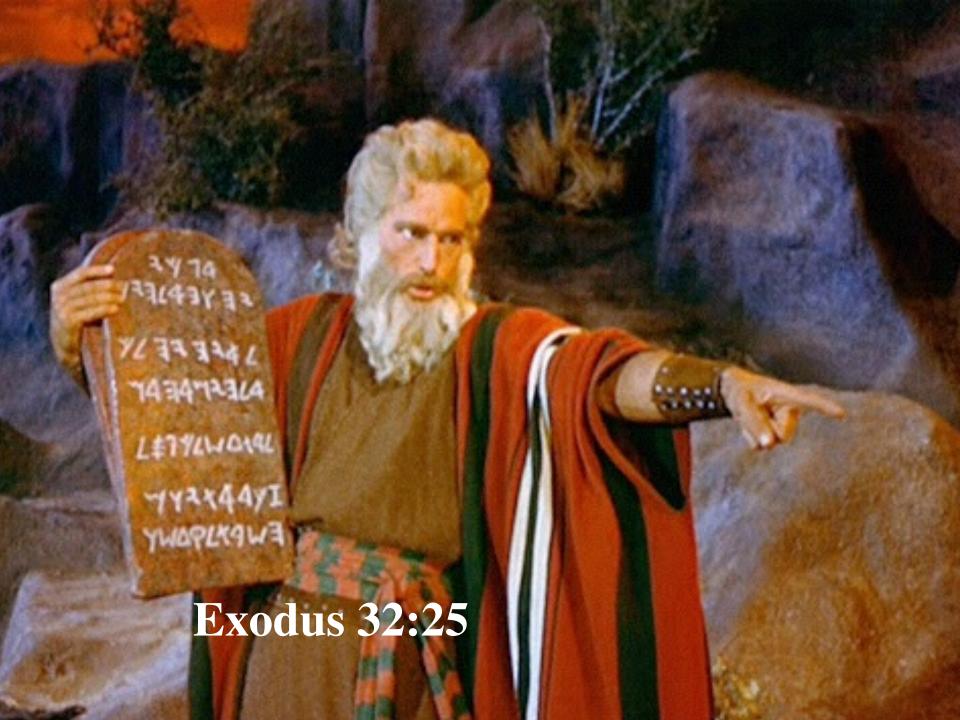
21st Century Idols

- ♦ Possessions
- Positions
- ♦ Power
- ♦ Pleasures
- People

Why Did Israel Want To Worship Idols?

Short-term benefits
Good feelings
Easy "rules"
Convenient

Sensuality is approved
Low ethical standards are tolerated
Selfishness is condoned
No concern for others is expected



Rescue from the Life We Thought Would Make Us Happy ABOUT

Did you happen to notice what subtitle immediately follows the giving of The Ten Commandments in Exodus 20?

Idols and Alters!

That man would fail and find it impossible to keep the commands is evidenced in the fact of God's immediate provision of a place for sacrifice.

No Idols, Images, Symbols or Representations are Allowed

- Distort, diminish and misrepresent the true and living God.
- ♦ Focus on man's imagination and creativity rather on God's revelation.
- Draw attention and glory to the individual and not God.
- ♦ Fashion God according to the surrounding culture.

Worship God This Way

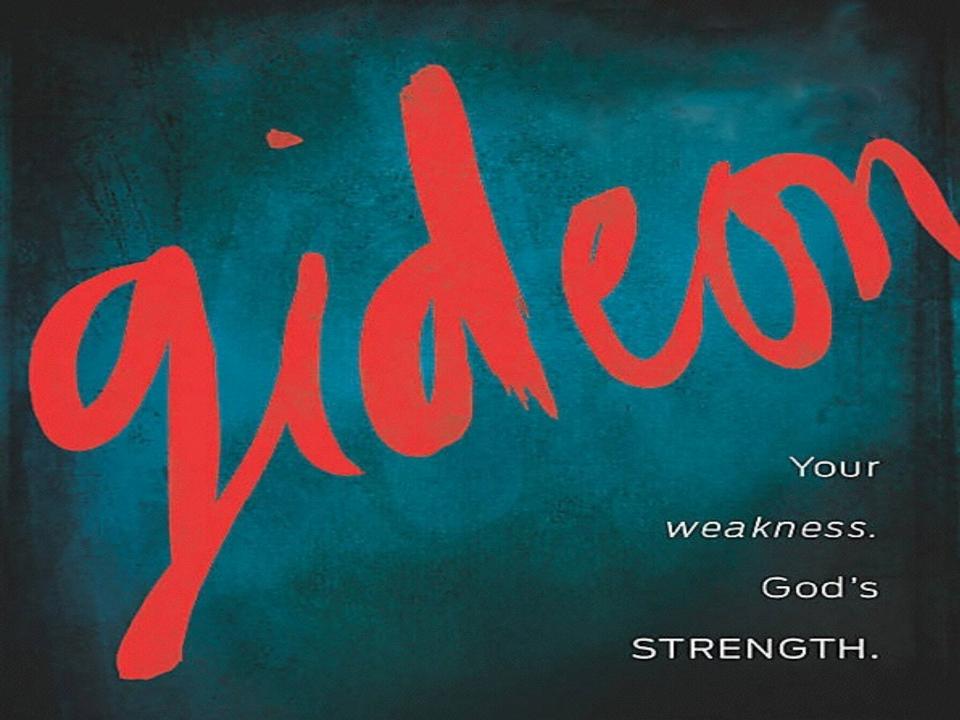
In Spirit and in Truth through His Word, His Law, and His Son



After that whole generation had been gathered to their ancestors, another generation grew up who knew neither the Lord nor what he had done for Israel. Then the Israelites did evil in the eyes of the Lord and served the Baals. They forsook the Lord, the God of their ancestors, who had brought them out of Egypt. They followed and worshiped various gods of the peoples around them. They aroused the Lord's anger because they forsook him and served Baal and the Ashtoreths.

Judges 2:10





Rodney (Gypsy) Smith







Sink or Swim

Apply In Me

What are we doing to equip our next generation with the foundation necessary to live a significant life?

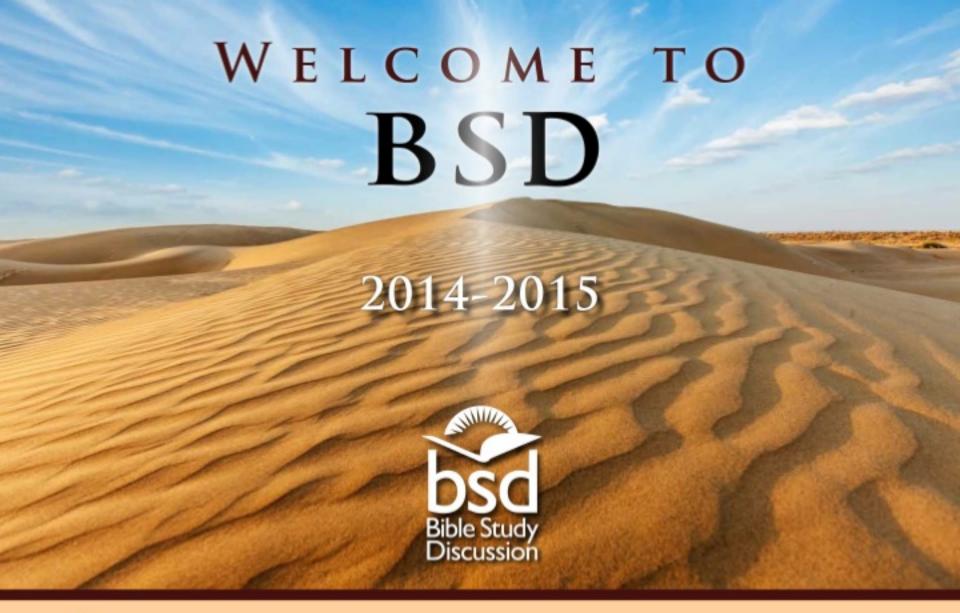
God's Promise

"Wherever I cause my Name to be honored, I will come to you and bless you."

Photo Courtesy of Shirley Swinbank

Here I am, Lord (Music Only, No Video)

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