

The Two Camps

Camp #1: The Sadducees and the _____.

They are spiritually _____.

They expected Jesus to be a _____.

Camp #2: The Pharisees and the _____.

They are spiritually _____.

They expected Jesus to be a _____.

Reflection: My temptation is to be _____.

Do not think that I have come to abolish the law...

Jesus is the _____ of the Law. (John 1:14)

Truth: Jesus _____ (Matthew 5-7)

I have not come to abolish them but to fulfill them...

Jesus is the _____ of the Law. (John 1:14)

Truth: Obedience is _____. (John 15:4)

...not an iota, not a dot, will pass from the Law...

The _____ of scripture is necessary. v.18

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...whoever relaxes one of the least of these commandments...

Some will use the Bible _____.

Some will use the Bible as a _____.

"...but whoever does them and teaches them will be called great..." v19

...unless your righteousness exceeds that of the scribes...

"But now the righteousness of God has been manifested apart from the law, although the Law and the Prophets bear witness to it—the righteousness of God through faith in Jesus Christ for all who believe..."

Romans 3:21-22

Responses

- A. God, forgive me for my legalism/lawlessness.
- B. I will strive to the high standard Jesus has set.
- C. I will abide in God through my obedience.
- D. Jesus, only your righteousness is enough for me.
- E. For the first time, I want to become a Christian.