Day 2

Read Matthew 22:36-40

The religious leader who asked Jesus what the most important law was knew what he was doing. After all, there are 613 laws in the Old Testament! How in the world could Jesus narrow that down?

But Jesus knew what He was doing too—He always does. Jesus narrowed alllll of the laws in the Bible to these two.

Use the passage to fill in the blank:

Love _____

Love _____

That's it! Everything you can and should do in life falls under these two commandments.



Day 3

Go back and read Jesus' answer to the religious leader when he asked Jesus what the most important command was (Matthew 22:37–39).

What a gift Jesus gave us by narrowing down all of the commands to **love God** and love others. Take a minute to thank God for sending Jesus by reading the prayer below.

Dear God, thank You for sending Jesus to be my Savior and for showing me what it looks like to follow after You. Sometimes it's hard to know what the right thing to do is, but thank You for making it simple for me—I just have to love You and love others. Help me this week to find at least one way to show love to both You and to another person. In Jesus' Name, I pray. Amen.