

## **Meditation On Conflicting Laws: When 'Laws' Contradict God, You Must Obey God's Law.**

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### **Introduction Scripture Meditation:**

"But the house of Israel rebelled against me ... They did not observe my statutes, and they rejected my ordinances that bring life to those who keep them. ... Then I said to their children in the wilderness: Do not follow the statutes of your parents. Do not keep their ordinances. ... I am the Lord, your God: follow my statutes and be careful to observe my ordinances." Ezekiel 20:13-38. "Be careful to observe all my statutes and all my decrees; otherwise the land ... will vomit you out. Do not conform to the customs of the nations whom I am driving out of your way, because all these things that they have done have filled me with disgust for them." Leviticus 20:22-23. "Be careful, therefore, to do as the Lord, your God, has commanded you, not turning aside to the right or left, but following exactly the way the Lord, your God, commanded you that you may live and prosper ... in the land ..." Deuteronomy 5:32-33. "You shall not have other gods beside me. ... For I, the Lord, your God, am a jealous God, inflicting punishment for their ancestors' wickedness on the children of those who hate me ... You shall not kill." Exodus 20:3,5,13.

### **My Meditation:**

God has authored and offered an "agreement" contact we call the Covenant. In each of these meditation essays I will often repeat that fact, because many pretend they are 'in the Covenant' when they disagree with God's laws. They are not in "agreement" with Him. They cannot be in the Covenant, nor be part of His Covenant people. God explicitly commands in scripture that whenever men or legislatures or courts enact or fashion 'laws' that are contrary to any of God's laws, then you must obey God's law, and not the 'law' of men. However, whenever the laws enacted by men do not violate God's laws, then you must obey those duly enacted laws. Only those laws that conform to God's laws are in truth real laws. And all 'laws' that violate any of God's commanded laws are therefore null and void in the eyes of God. They cannot be obeyed by God's contract Covenant people. This also is the founding principle of our nation, codified as such in our Declaration Of Independence, which states that, "We hold these truths to be self evident, that all are ... endowed by the Creator with certain inalienable rights ..." Accordingly, the founding principle of the United States is that God "endows" men with rights, that God is the Author of all true rights, and therefore of all true laws. Men do not make law. Rather God makes true law. And it is the duty of men to enact laws that conform entirely to the laws commanded by God; or the 'laws' they enact are invalid and null in God's eyes.

Men must obey God, not 'laws' contradicting God. This also is true in the cases of commands issued by employees by senior officers, such as orders by the President to his Vice President, or orders by a military commander to the troops, or the orders of a company CEO to his employees. We saw an example of this when Vice President Mike Pence refused the 'order' of President Donald Trump to "refuse to certify the 2020 election results." Pence's legal advisor later testified to Congress that during the capitol riot he "opened his Bible to Daniel 6 to read how Daniel obeyed God instead of an edict law by the king." A relevant portion of that scripture says, "Even after Daniel heard that this law (forbidding anyone from petitioning God or men other than the king) had been signed, he continued his custom of going to his home to kneel in prayer and give thanks to God ..." Daniel 6:11. The attorney advisor to Pence said he took solace and strength that day from that scripture as Pence disobeyed Trump and certified the election. I have to say this, however, while I do not recognize Joseph Biden as duly elected because of his stance encouraging abortions and homosexuals, and other stances he takes on sins that are excommunicating also, I still agree that Mike Pence had to disobey Trump and certify the count as a clerical task. The entire issue, however, is too long a discussion for this present meditation. And I heard that President Trump may have, as some allege, tried as Commander And Chief of the military to order the National Guard to enforce his claim to be the validly elected President of the 2020 election. If so, the military had a duty not to obey the order from Trump. And it is true in the case of hospital CEOs trying to order all its doctors and staff to prescribe or administer abortifacient (abortive) drugs or devices, as such orders must always be refused.

The Lord God must be obeyed, instead of obeying men, whether what God commanded as law is 'popular' or not. "You say, the Lord's way is unfair! Hear now house of Israel: Is it my way that is unfair? Are not your ways unfair?" Ezekiel 18:25. "Whether we like it or not, we will obey the command of the Lord, our God .. so that it may go well with us for obeying the command of the Lord, our God." Jeremiah 42:1-6. God is not changed by 'popular opinion.' His contract "agreement," the Covenant, does not change by 'popularity.' You cannot hide behind the "crowd," but must obey God at all times. Then there is the issue of 'laws' enacted by legislatures, or fashioned by courts, that are ambiguous. Whenever a purported law is ambiguous, then it must be read and interpreted in a manner that makes it consistent with and obedient to all God's laws. But whenever a court issues an order it calls 'precedent' on an issue of 'law,' it is null and void if it in any way contradicts a law of God. It is not then 'precedent' in God's eyes, and it must be reversed and overturned. At all times we must restore the law to conform with God. Remember, our nation was founded on the promise to each of us that we in this nation have a recognized "inalienable" fundamental "right" to obey God, the author and endower of all true laws. The opposite of that inalienable right to obey God is tyranny by men. Anytime a regime tries to impose obedience to itself instead of to God, that is the definition of "tyranny by men." Yet today many legislatures and court have turned that inalienable fundamental guaran-

teed right to obey God's laws inside out and upside down; they impose sin as if that is a 'constitutional fundamental right,' when sin is never a right. They impose as 'laws' that men are to 'not discriminate' against sin, contrary to God's commanded Covenant requiring such discrimination. In fact, you cannot be in the Covenant agreement with God if you refuse to discriminate against sin. So today the 'laws' are corrupt and upside down against God. They must be corrected. Obeying God's laws is the very definition of "freedom" our founders fought for and signed in the Declaration Of Independence. Only that reading conforms with God and His laws.

**Closing Summary Meditation:**

"Do not follow the 'laws' of men that contradict My laws. You must obey My laws exactly as I commanded them, never veering aside to the right or left of My true laws. You shall not make men your gods. I, the Lord, am alone your God."