

Bonus Reading

**“The Law” included
more than the
10 Commandments.**

The 10 commandments were no more special than other commandments. In **Matthew 22:36-37**, a lawyer asked,
³⁶ “Teacher, **which is the great commandment in the Law?**”
³⁷ And (Jesus) said to him, “You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your mind.” *(from Deuteronomy 6:5)*

The Jews also spoke of “the law” in Deuteronomy, when citing an act that was “commanded”:

“Moses, **in the law**, commanded” stoning. – *John 8:5*

Jesus included the Psalms as part of “the Law.”

In **John 15:25**: “The word that is written in **their Law** must be fulfilled: ‘They hated me without a cause.’” (from **Psalm 69:4**)

The Old Covenant

– *the Law of Moses, the Prophets and the Psalms* –
was a single unit, a “package deal.” See Luke 24:44.

It was ALL “nailed to the cross.” – Colossians 2:14