

# SANCTITY OF HUMAN LIFE



In whose hand *is* the soul of every living thing, and the breath of all mankind.

**JOB 12:10**

So God created man in his *own* image, in the image of God created he him;  
And God saw every thing that he had made, and, behold, *it was* very good.

**GENESIS 1:27a, 1:31a**

And David sent messengers, and took her; and she came in unto him, and he lay with her;  
And the woman conceived, and sent and told David, and said, I *am* with child.

**II SAMUEL 11:4a, 5**

Lo, children *are* an heritage of the LORD: *and* the fruit of the womb *is* his reward.

**PSALM 127:3**

Then the word of the LORD came unto me, saying, Before I formed thee in the belly I knew thee;

**JEREMIAH 1:4-5a**

For thou hast possessed my reins: thou hast covered me in my mother's womb.

I will praise thee; for I am fearfully *and* wonderfully made:

marvellous *are* thy works; and *that* my soul knoweth right well.

My substance was not hid from thee, when I was made in secret,

*and* curiously wrought in the lowest parts of the earth.

Thine eyes did see my substance, yet being unperfect; and in thy book all *my members* were written,  
*which* in continuance were fashioned, when *as yet there was* none of them.

**PSALM 139:13-16**

But thou *art* he that took me out of the womb:

thou didst make me hope *when I was* upon my mother's breasts.

I was cast upon thee from the womb: thou *art* my God from my mother's belly.

**PSALM 22:9-10**

Thine hands have made me and fashioned me together round about;

Remember, I beseech thee, that thou hast made me as the clay;

Thou hast clothed me with skin and flesh, and hast fenced me with bones and sinews.

Thou hast granted me life and favour,

**JOB 10:8a, 9a, 11, 12a**

Woe unto him that striveth with his Maker! *Let* the potsherd *strive* with the potsherds of the earth.  
Shall the clay say to him that fashioneth it, What makest thou? or thy work, He hath no hands?  
Woe unto him that saith unto *his* father, What begetteth thou?  
or to the woman, What hast thou brought forth?

## **ISAIAH 45:9-10**

Keep thee far from a false matter; and the innocent and righteous slay thou not:

## **EXODUS 23:7a**

These six *things* doth the LORD hate: yea, seven *are* an abomination unto him:  
A proud look, a lying tongue, and hands that shed innocent blood,

## **PROVERBS 6:16-17**

Thou shalt not kill.

And all the people saw the thunderings, and the lightnings, and the noise of the trumpet,  
and the mountain smoking: and when the people saw *it*, they removed, and stood afar off.

And Moses said unto the people, Fear not: for God is come to prove you,  
and that his fear may be before your faces, that ye sin not.

## **EXODUS 20:13, 18, 20**

Thou shalt not kill.

These words the LORD spake unto all your assembly in the mount out of the midst of the fire,  
of the cloud, and of the thick darkness, with a great voice: and he added no more.

And he wrote them in two tables of stone, and delivered them unto me.

And the LORD heard the voice of your words, when ye spake unto me;  
and the LORD said unto me, I have heard the voice of the words of this people,  
which they have spoken unto thee: they have well said all that they have spoken.

O that there were such an heart in them, that they would fear me, and  
keep all my commandments always, that it might be well with them, and with their children for ever!

## **DEUTERONOMY 5:17, 22, 28-29**

See, I have set before thee this day life and good, and death and evil;  
In that I command thee this day to love the LORD thy God, to walk in his ways, and to keep his  
commandments and his statutes and his judgments, that thou mayest live and multiply:  
and the LORD thy God shall bless thee in the land whither thou goest to possess it.

But if thine heart turn away, so that thou wilt not hear, but shalt be drawn away,  
and worship other gods, and serve them;

I denounce unto you this day, that ye shall surely perish, *and that* ye shall not prolong  
*your* days upon the land, whither thou passest over Jordan to go to possess it.

I call heaven and earth to record this day against you, *that* I have set before you life and death,  
blessing and cursing: therefore choose life, that both thou and thy seed may live:

## **DEUTERONOMY 30:15-19**