

March 17 Questions

- 1) Moses' Second Sermon (Part 2a). This begins part two of Moses' sermon (Deut 12–26), where God's laws are explained in _____ so Israel would know how to live a _____ life that was pleasing to Him. These laws showed the people how to love _____ and love _____, and the _____ behind these laws still apply today (cf. Matt 7:12; Rom 13:9–10). Moses told Israel, "Suppose there are prophets among you...and they promise you signs or miracles, and the predicted signs or miracles occur. If they then say, 'Come, let us worship other gods'...do not listen to them. The LORD your God is _____ you to see if you truly _____ him with all your heart and soul. Serve only the LORD your God and fear him alone. Obey his commands, listen to his voice, and cling to him" (Deut 13:1–4 NLT). This teaches us that loving God means being faithful to Him alone. This may involve personal _____, for God said, "Suppose someone secretly entices you—even your brother, your son or daughter, your beloved _____, or your closest _____—and says, 'Let us go worship other gods'...Do not give in or listen. Have no pity, and do not spare or protect them. You must put them to _____! Strike the first blow _____, and then all the people must join in" (Deut 13:6–9 NLT). This shows how seriously God takes our faithfulness to Him!