

LIFE GROUPS

Text: Exodus Chapter 21-22

1. Are there any of the laws presented in these chapters that you find offensive? How should a follower of Christ approach such things? How do you reconcile these things in your own mind?
2. What are some principles that you see in these laws that if applied, might be helpful in our society today?
3. Chapter 22:21-27 reveals God's gracious care for the immigrant, fatherless, widow, and poor. Can you think of any New Testament passages that teach us these same principles? In what ways can we reveal the grace of the Father to these people today? In what ways are you revealing His love through your own life?
4. In 22:8 the command is given that they should not curse a ruler of their people. What is our role and responsibility toward those in authority over us? How should we respond when we disagree with their decisions?
5. In 22:31 the Lord calls them to holiness which He immediately connects to the eating of animals torn by beasts in the field. Why do you think God made this connection?