



# LISTEN UP!

Exodus 20:15-16 – Theft and testimony

**STEP 1** – Find the book of **Exodus** in your Bibles ...

**STEP 2** – Follow in the Bible and **listen up!**

- What two things are we told we mustn't do?

“You shall not S \_ \_ \_ L”

“You shall not give F \_ \_ \_ \_ T \_ \_ \_ \_ M \_ \_ \_ Y against your neighbour”

- What do you think that “false testimony” means?

- How unhappy would you be if someone stole from you?


  
 NOT AT ALL                      A BIT                      A LOT                      OUTRAGED!!!



- And what about if someone told lies about you?


  
 NOT AT ALL                      A BIT                      A LOT                      OUTRAGED!!!



## STEALING

- Is this commandment about more than just stealing money or possession?
- What other things might count as “stealing”?

**yes**  
 **no**  
 **maybe**

## FALSE TESTIMONY

This commandment isn't just about telling lies, but telling lies *against other people*.

- How can you hurt people *by what you say*?
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Look at it the other way around: how can you *help* someone by how you speak? *LISTEN UP* for some suggestions. Are your words ...

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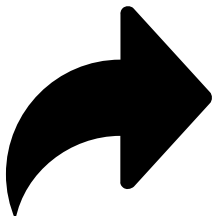
**REMEMBER: *EVERYONE*** has broken these Commandments that God has given.  
But God has invited *EVERYONE* to be forgiven:

*Through [Jesus] everyone who believes is set free from every sin.*  
(Acts 13:39)

**STEP 3** – During / After the preach...



Have you got any questions about all of this? If so, *write them down*



What is God calling you to do? Write it down...



What do you need God's help with? Write it down...