



The Cancellation of Sabbath

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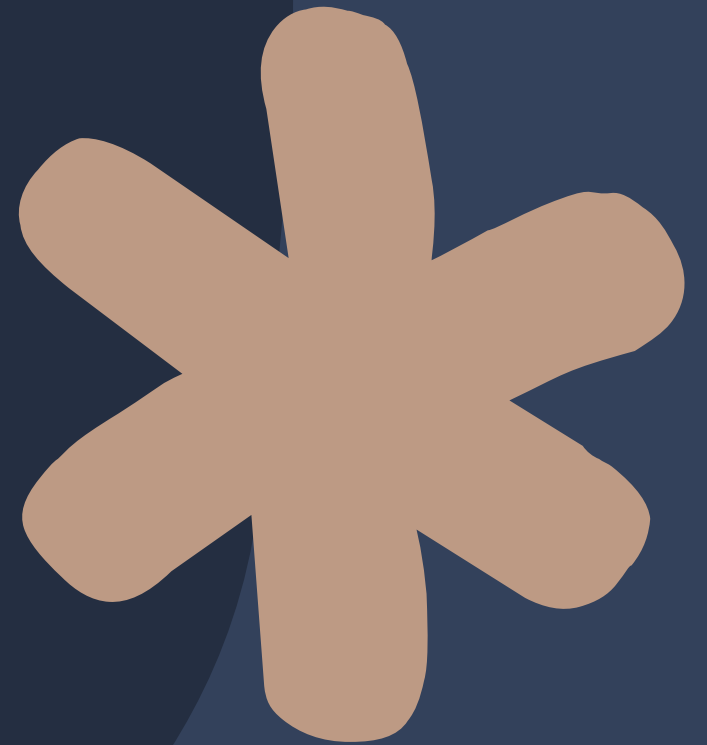
A white telephone handset is centered on a blue background. The handset is oriented horizontally with the receiver on top and the base on the bottom. A coiled cord is visible on the left and right sides. In the top-left and bottom-left corners, there are three red, pill-shaped decorative elements arranged in a slight arc.

Colossians

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Blotted Out & Nailed To The Cross



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Acts 20:7

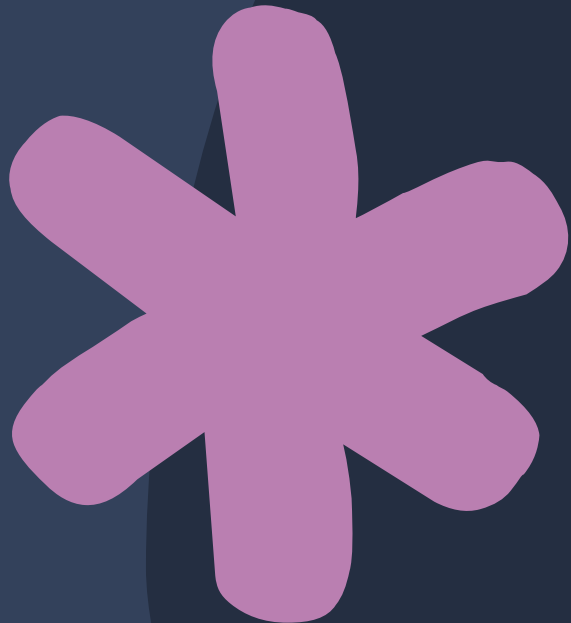
- ⁷ And upon the first day of the week, when the disciples came together to break bread, Paul preached unto them, ready to depart on the morrow; and continued his speech until midnight.



1 Corinthians

16:1-2

- Now concerning the collection for the saints, as I have given order to the churches of Galatia, even so do ye.
- ² Upon the first day of the week let every one of you lay by him in store, as God hath prospered him, that there be no gatherings when I come.



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Romans 14:5-6

- ⁵ One man esteemeth one day above another: another esteemeth every day alike. Let every man be fully persuaded in his own mind.
- ⁶ He that regardeth the day, regardeth it unto the Lord; and he that regardeth not the day, to the Lord he doth not regard it. He that eateth, eateth to the Lord, for he giveth God thanks; and he that eateth not, to the Lord he eateth not, and giveth God thanks.





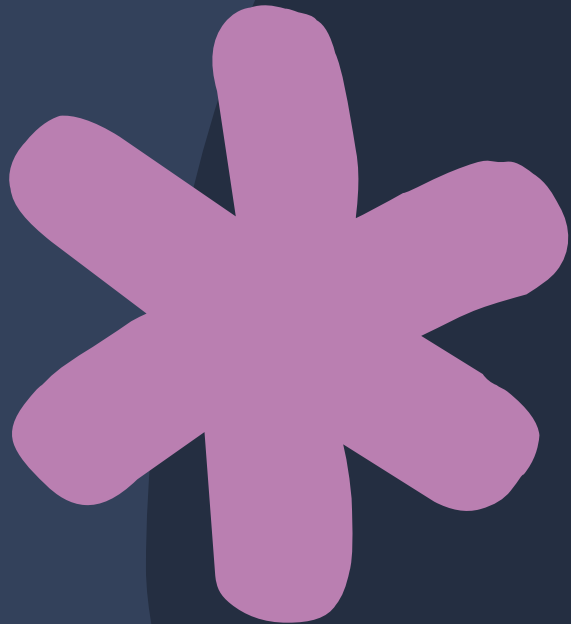
Fact #1

Two types of laws in the Bible (10 Commandment law and every other law)

Deuteronomy

4:13-14

- ¹³ And he declared unto you his covenant, which he commanded you to perform, even ten commandments; and he wrote them upon two tables of stone.
- ¹⁴ **And** the LORD commanded me at that time to teach you statutes and judgments, that ye might do them in the land whither ye go over to possess it.
- Ten Commandment law **and** the statutes & judgements written by Moses



2 Chronicles 33:8

- ⁸ Neither will I any more remove the foot of Israel from out of the land which I have appointed for your fathers; so that they will take heed to do all that I have commanded them, according to the whole law **and** the statutes and the ordinances by the hand of Moses.
- Ten commandments law written in stone & the law written by Moses written on parchment

2 Kings 21:8

- ⁸ Neither will I make the feet of Israel move any more out of the land which I gave their fathers; only if they will observe to do according to all that I have commanded them, **and** according to all the law that my servant Moses commanded them.





Fact #2

Two types of Sabbaths in the Bible
7th day Sabbath & the ceremonial
Sabbaths

Within The Statutes and Ordinances

- We learn of ceremonial laws, feasts, festivals, and holy days.
- These feasts and holy days were called Sabbaths because on each of those days no one was to work.
- Hence, they got their names, Days of Rest! (Hebrew word for sabbath means rest)
- Find these special Sabbath days - Leviticus 23: 24,27,32, 37, 38!

Colossians 2:16

- Holy day – included such days as Passover, Feast of Weeks, etc.
- New moon – celebrations were a part of those ordinances

Sabbath Days

- Sabbath days – included Passover, Feast of unleavened bread, first fruits, feast of weeks, Day of Atonement, feast of Tabernacles and many others. Again, these were all sabbath days because on these days the nation rested:
 - -Deuteronomy 31:24-26
 - -2 Chronicles 8:13
 - -Heb. 10:1

 - -Colossians 2:16 vs. Ezekiel 45:17

Deuteronomy 31:24-26

- ²⁴ And it came to pass, when Moses had made an end of writing the words of this law in a book, until they were finished,
- ²⁵ That Moses commanded the Levites, which bare the ark of the covenant of the LORD, saying,
- ²⁶ Take this book of the law and put it in the side of the ark of the covenant of the LORD your God, **that it may be there for a witness against thee.**

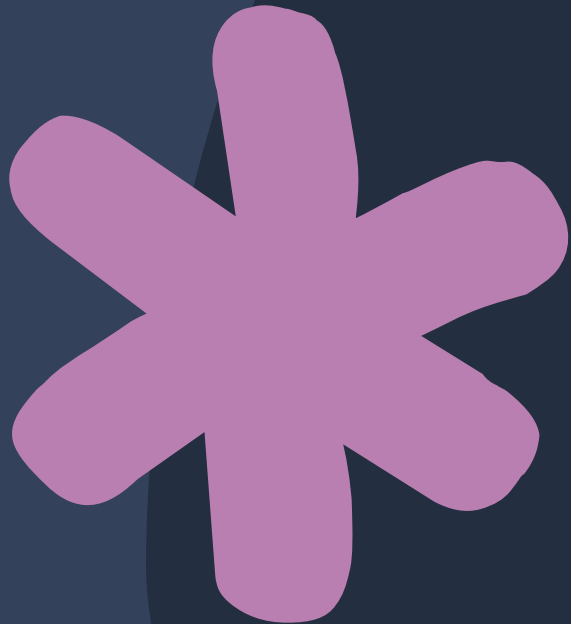
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- In the previous verses we just read, we learned that the when Moses was done writing the law that was against us, that law (with it's sabbath festivals) was place on the side of the ark as opposed to the 10 commandments which was placed inside of the ark.



2 Chronicles 8:13

- “¹³ Even after a certain rate every day, offering according to the commandment of Moses, on the sabbaths, and on the new moons, and on the solemn feasts, three times in the year, even in the feast of unleavened bread, and in the feast of weeks, and in the feast of tabernacles.



Hebrews 9:1-5

- 1 Then verily the first covenant had also ordinances of divine service, and a worldly sanctuary.
- 2 For there was a tabernacle made; the first, wherein was the candlestick, and the table, and the shewbread; which is called the sanctuary.
- 3 And after the second veil, the tabernacle which is called the Holiest of all;
- 4 Which had the golden censer, and the ark of the covenant overlaid round about with gold, wherein was the golden pot that had manna, and Aaron's rod that budded, and the tables of the covenant;
- 5 And over it the cherubims of glory shadowing the mercyseat; of which we cannot now speak particularly.

Hebrews 9:6-11

- ⁶ Now when these things were thus ordained, the priests went always into the first tabernacle, accomplishing the service of God.
- ⁷ But into the second went the high priest alone once every year, not without blood, which he offered for himself, and for the errors of the people:
- ⁸ The Holy Ghost this signifying, that the way into the holiest of all was not yet made manifest, while as the first tabernacle was yet standing:
- ⁹ Which was a figure for the time then present, in which were offered both gifts and sacrifices, that could not make him that did the service perfect, as pertaining to the conscience;
- ¹⁰ Which stood only in meats and drinks, and divers washings, and carnal ordinances, imposed on them until the time of reformation.
- ¹¹ But Christ being come an high priest of good things to come, by a greater and more perfect tabernacle, not made with hands, that is to say, not of this building;



Hebrews 10:1

- “For the law having a shadow of good things to come, and not the very image of the things, can never with those sacrifices which they offered year by year continually make the comers thereunto perfect.

Comparison

- Colossians 2:16

"¹⁶ Let no man therefore judge you in meat, or in drink, or in respect of an holyday, or of the new moon, or of the sabbath days:"

- Ezekiel 45:17

"¹⁷ And it shall be the prince's part to give burnt offerings, and meat offerings, and drink offerings, in the feasts, and in the new moons, and in the sabbaths, in all solemnities of the house of Israel: he shall prepare the sin offering, and the meat offering, and the burnt offering, and the peace offerings, to make reconciliation for the house of Israel.

TWO SABBATHS

<u>10 Commandment Sabbath</u>	<u>Annual Jewish Sabbaths</u>
Spoken by God personally (Exodus 20:1, 8-11)	Spoken by Moses (Exodus 24:3)
Written in stone by God Himself (Exodus 31:18)	Written by Moses hand on paper (Exodus 24:4)
Put inside the Ark of the Covenant (Deuteronomy 10:5)	Stored on the outside of the Ark (Deuteronomy 31:26)
Was made at creation (Genesis 2:1-3)	Were made after Sinai (Exodus 20:24)
Was established before sin (Genesis 2:1-3)	Were established after sin (Exodus 20:24)
Breaking the Sabbath is sin (1 John 3:4)	These were kept because of sin (See Leviticus)
It is a law of love (Matthew 22:35-40, Isaiah 58:13-14)	They were not love (Colossians 2:14, Galatians 4:9-10)
It is a law of liberty (freedom) (James 1:25, 2:10-12)	They were bondage (Galatians 4:9-10, Colossians 2:14)
The Sabbath is for everyone (Mark 2:27, Hebrews 4:9-10)	Only for the children of Israel & Jews (Old Testament)
God calls it MY Sabbath (Exodus 31:13, Ezekiel 20:20)	God calls them HER sabbaths (Hosea 2:11, Lamentations 1:7)
The Sabbath is eternal (Exodus 31:16-17, Isaiah 66:22-23)	Were nailed to the cross (Colossians 2:14, Ephesians 2:15)