

The Gospel of Matthew

The proclamation of the Law: Holiness

It's eternally important

It's exclusively defined

It's exactingly displayed

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The purpose of the Law: Condemnation

Galatians 3:19-25 & Romans 7:4-8

The roots of the Scribes and Pharisees

- Scribes – the students and transcribers of the law
- Pharisee – “Separatist”

The religion of the Scribes and Pharisees

- Externally focused (Matthew 23:23-28)
- Placed ceremony above morale (Mark 7:1-8)
- Glorified self, not God

The rejection of the Scribes and Pharisees

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The peacemaker of the Law: Jesus Christ

He fulfills it

- By obeying it for us (Romans 8:1-4)
- By becoming a curse for us (Galatians 3:13)

He gives it

We receive it

