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B A P T I S T C H U R C H

**“Calibrated Honesty is Sin!”**

Matthew 5:33-37

- I. Jesus cites Torah laws for swearing in God’s \_\_\_\_\_ and against swearing  
\_\_\_\_\_ in God’s name (5:33).

*Deuteronomy 6:13; Leviticus 19:11-12; Hebrews 6:13, 17; Romans 1:9*

- II. Jesus rejects the Jews’ system of swearing by various objects \_\_\_\_\_ than God,  
oaths for which violation was thought to carry a \_\_\_\_\_ consequence and  
provide shelter for liars (5:34-35).

- III. People who navigate life using \_\_\_\_\_ commitments to honesty are, at  
their core, evil (5:36).

*James 5:12; Proverbs 22:1*