

## Deuteronomy 6

<sup>1</sup> And this is the commandment, the laws and the regulations which Yahweh your Elohiym commanded (me) to teach you to do in the land which you are crossing into to possess, <sup>2</sup> in order that you might (hold in awe/fear) <sup>YARE/</sup> Yahweh your Elohiym, by keeping <sup>SHAMAR</sup> all his laws and his commandments that I command you, you and your son and your son's son all the days of your life; and in order that your days may be prolonged.

<sup>3</sup> You are to hear, O Israel, and take-care to do, that it may be well <sup>YTV</sup> with you, that you may increase greatly, as Yahweh the Elohiym of your fathers has spoken to you; (in) a land flowing with milk and honey.

<sup>4</sup> Hear, O Israel: Yahweh our Elohiym. Yahweh (is) one! <sup>5</sup> You shall love Yahweh your Elohiym with all your heart, with all your soul, and with all your strength. <sup>6</sup> These words, which I command you today, are to be in your heart.

<sup>7</sup> You are to repeat them to and with your sons, and are to speak of them when you sit in your house, when you walk in road, when you lie down, and when you rise up.

<sup>8</sup> You are to tie them as a sign on your hand, and they are to be for bands between your eyes. <sup>9</sup> You shall write them on the doorposts of your house and on your gates.

<sup>10</sup> And it shall be, when Yahweh your Elohiym brings you to the land that he swore to your fathers, to Abraham, to Isaac, and to Jacob, to give you, towns great and beautiful that you did not build, <sup>11</sup> houses full of every good-thing that you did not fill, wells that you did not dig, vineyards and olive trees that you did not plant, and you eat and are satisfied; <sup>12</sup> take-you-care, lest you forget Yahweh, who brought you out of the land of Egypt, from the house of slaves.

<sup>13</sup> You shall (hold in awe/fear) Yahweh your Elohiym and him you are to serve, by his name you are to swear.

<sup>14</sup> You are not walk after other Elohiyms, from the Elohiyms of the peoples that are around you, <sup>15</sup> for Yahweh your Elohiym is a jealous Elohiym in your midst -- lest the anger of Yahweh your Elohiym flare up against you, and he destroy you from off the face of the earth.

<sup>16</sup> You are not to test Yahweh your Elohiym as you tested him at Massah (where the people grumbled against their leaders because of thirst [Ex. 17:1-7]).

<sup>17</sup> Diligently guard and protect <sup>SHAMAR</sup> the commandments of Yahweh your Elohiym, his precepts, and his laws that he has commanded you.

<sup>18</sup> You are to do what is right <sup>YASHAR</sup> thing and what is good <sup>TOV</sup> in the eyes of Yahweh, in order that it may be well <sup>YTV</sup> with you, so that you may come and take possession of the good land that Yahweh swore to your fathers; <sup>19</sup> to drive out all your enemies before you, as Yahweh promised.

<sup>20</sup> When your son asks you hereafter, saying, 'What are the precepts, the laws, and the regulations that Yahweh our Elohiym has commanded you?'

<sup>21</sup> Then you are to say to your son, 'We were slaves of Pharaoh in Egypt, and Yahweh brought us out of Egypt with a strong hand; <sup>22</sup> Yahweh placed signs and wonders, great and evil-ones, on Egypt, on Pharaoh and all his household, before our eyes. <sup>23</sup> Then he brought us out from there, in order to bring us in and give us the land which he swore to our fathers.

<sup>24</sup> So Yahweh has commanded us to do all these laws, to (hold in awe/fear) Yahweh our Elohiym, to have it be good <sup>TOV</sup> with us always, to keep us alive, as this day.

<sup>25</sup> And it will be righteousness <sup>TZEDAQAH</sup> for us, when we take-care to do all this commandment before the presence of Yahweh our Elohiym, as he commanded us.

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