

**Money Myths and Principles:
The Principle of the Compass**

! TRADE YOUR _____ FOR A _____.

“You must obey all my decrees.

*“Do not mate two different kinds of animals. Do not plant your field with two different kinds of seed. Do not wear clothing woven from two different kinds of thread.
Leviticus 19:19 (NIV)*

“Do not trim off the hair on your temples or trim your beards.

²⁸ *“Do not cut your bodies for the dead, and do not mark your skin with tattoos. I am the Lord.
Leviticus 19:27-28 (NIV)*

*A man dishonors his head if he covers his head while praying or prophesying. ⁵ But a woman dishonors her head if she prays or prophesies without a covering on her head, for this is the same as shaving her head. ⁶ Yes, if she refuses to wear a head covering, she should cut off all her hair! But since it is shameful for a woman to have her hair cut or her head shaved, she should wear a covering.
1 Corinthians 11:4-6 (NIV)*

*“All those who touch a dead human body will be ceremonially unclean for seven days.”
Numbers 19:11 (NIV)*

! _____ GUIDE US LIKE A COMPASS, POINTING US TO GOD’S
_____ AND _____.

*These people honor me with their lips,
but their hearts are far from me.*

⁹ *Their worship is a farce,
for they teach man-made ideas as commands from God.’
Matthew 15:8-9 (NLT)*

*“Woe to you, teachers of the law and Pharisees, you hypocrites! You give a tenth of your spices—mint, dill and cumin. But you have neglected the more important matters of the law—justice, mercy and faithfulness. You should have practiced the latter, without neglecting the former. ²⁴ You blind guides! You strain out a gnat but swallow a camel.
Matthew 23:23-24 (NIV)*

WE CAN APPLY IT TO MODERN DAY PROBLEMS, LIKE ABORTION:

*You made all the delicate, inner parts of my body
and knit me together in my mother’s womb.
Psalm 139:13 (NLT)*

*You watched me as I was being formed in utter seclusion,
as I was woven together in the dark of the womb.*

¹⁶You saw me before I was born.

Psalm 139:15-16 (NLT)

*Do not give any of your children to be sacrificed to Molek, for you must not profane the name of
your God. I am the Lord.*

Leviticus 18:21 (NIV)

Ahaz was twenty years old when he became king, and he reigned in Jerusalem sixteen years.

*Unlike David his father, he did not do what was right in the eyes of the Lord his God. ³He
followed the ways of the kings of Israel and even sacrificed his son in the fire, engaging in the
detestable practices of the nations the Lord had driven out before the Israelites.*

2 Kings 16:2-3 (NIV)

! PRINCIPLES ENABLE US TO BE LED BY _____.

It is for freedom that Christ has set us free.

Galatians 5:1 (NIV)

*He has made us competent as ministers of a new covenant—not of the letter but of the Spirit;
for the letter kills, but the Spirit gives life.*

2 Corinthians 3:6 (NIV)