

International Bible Lesson

Five Applications from Matthew 15:1-9

1. We need to ask ourselves if we are making judgments based on one of our human traditions or based on what the Bible clearly teaches.
2. God's moral laws and our human traditions can both be for the benefit of others and ourselves.
3. Our human traditions should never set aside or overrule one of God's moral laws.
4. We should not try to find loopholes or create human rules to avoid obeying any of God's moral laws.
5. If we teach merely human rules instead of obeying God's moral laws and teachings, our hearts are far from God and our worship is meaningless.

Your Application — Your Takeaway Notes

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