## **Life Group Guide**

# **But Now I See**

### **Week Six**

## **Key Things You Heard**

- The law shows us the reality of who we are and what we deserve.
- The law needed fulfillment, and Jesus was that fulfillment.
- We obey God's commands not to get Him to love us but because He already does love us.

### Pray

Heavenly Father, when we get through this material, let us have a new awareness that without you we can never live like we need to so that others see Jesus. Let us see that you are the fulfillment of the law and that it is our response to your love for us that motivates you, not to check the box, but to truly represent you well to a world that needs you so badly. In Jesus' name, Amen.

#### **Tweetable Moments**

"God's law is like a coin with two sides. The first pertains to God and the last 6 to each other."

"Live in Jesus' love and the obedience that flows out of it."

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## **Questions for Conversation**

**Icebreaker:** Tell about a time you got caught breaking the law?

- Just because something is legal does not make it right or just. Do you agree with this statement? Why or why not? Give examples of something that is legal but is not right or just.
- Pass out a piece of paper and a pen or pencil to each Life Group member. Then, have each person write down the ten commandments. When they have completed their lists, read Exodus 20:1-17. Then ask, how many were you able to write down correctly. Is it important to know these commands by heart? Why or why not?
- Read Mark 12:28-31. Who is your neighbor? Do we live like we really understand this? What might have to change in your life if you are serious about loving your neighbor as yourself? Why do so many of us struggle with living this out?
- Read John 13:34. What is new about this command? How does Jesus love us? What does this say about the seriousness of this command? What light does it shed on your life today? What will you do tomorrow because of this understanding?

### Now Go Do It (resources and next steps)

**Challenge:** Do you want to have a better understanding of how Jesus fulfills the law? Watch this short video by Tim Mackie on RightNow Media. <a href="https://www.rightnowmedia.org/Content/Series/181470?episode=6">https://www.rightnowmedia.org/Content/Series/181470?episode=6</a>

The ten commandments are an invitation to a better life. Many of us never take to time to realize this truth. Over the next ten days, spend time watching the series 10 Commandments on RightNow Media. Each video is only 10-12 minutes long. However, it will enrich your life. <a href="https://www.rightnowmedia.org/Content/Series/328548?episode=1">https://www.rightnowmedia.org/Content/Series/328548?episode=1</a>