



## *How things fit together in the Kingdom*

### In the Kingdom We Don't Make Oaths or Vows

*I received the topic in my spirit as I was driving to work today, so I decided I needed to write an article on it that I've wanted to do for a long time. Even though I didn't need confirmation, immediately I'd assented to doing writing this, I received it through a tradie's truck that pulled in front of me with a "Tom Oath" sticker on the tailgate. (16-6-2023)*



Jesus (Jesus of Nazareth) taught about the Kingdom<sup>1</sup> and how it would change the way things used to be under the Torah<sup>2</sup>. Here's one of his reprogramming lessons:

**Matthew 5:33-35** (AMPC<sup>3</sup>) – *Again, you have heard that it was said to the men of old, You shall not swear falsely, but you shall perform your oaths to the Lord [as a religious duty]. But I tell you, **Do not bind yourselves by an oath at all**: either by heaven, for it is the throne of God; or by the earth, for it is the footstool of His feet; or by Jerusalem, for it is the city of the Great King.*

**Matthew 5:33-34** (EXB<sup>4</sup>) – *[Again] You have heard that it was said to our people long ago [our ancestors; the ancients], 'Don't break your promises [vows; oaths], but keep [fulfill] the promises [vows; oaths] you make to the Lord.' But I tell you, **do not swear an oath at all**...*

Because we've received this from "The Word" himself ("The Truth"<sup>5</sup> himself), nothing more needs to be said. In the Kingdom, therefore, we don't need to make vows or swear oaths.

That includes the religious wedding ceremonies which are instituted by the church, where wedding vows are made. In the Kingdom, the operation of sons is a heart matter because Father looks at the heart, not what's said. (More on weddings in the Kingdom, another time.)

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(Readers will need to look up for themselves any scriptures alluded to in this document)

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1 – Under the New Covenant  
2 – Under the Old Covenant  
3 – Amplified Bible (Classical edition)  
4 – Expanded Bible  
5 – VIDEO: Mike Parsons "Take it back to the Father" [youtu.be/P9QirRi5PEs](https://youtu.be/P9QirRi5PEs)