

Deuteronomy 4:10-24 Commentary On The Second Commandment 5th Sermon

READ 4: 10-24

IDOL WORSHIP: Why do people do this?

They want something they can see.

They want something they can control

They want to compartmentalize

They are half-hearted and refuse to trust God

It just seems too much to examine every area of one's life before God

You may not make a physical idol, but idol worship is alive today!

Idol worship: Wishing something outside of us, or something created, will do for us what only the Creator can do IN us. A "controllable" substitute for the real God.

4: 12, 15 "no form"

Exodus 33 – Moses got to see a manifestation (anthropomorphism) of God but not God in all His glory.

I Kings 8:27 "But will God indeed dwell on earth? Behold , heaven and the highest heaven cannot contain You, how much less this house which I have built."

Exodus 33: 20 "But He said, ' You cannot see my face, for no man can see Me and live!' "

I Timothy 1:17 6: 12-16

God's final word to man is Jesus Christ *****

Col. 2:9

John 14: 6-11

John 1:18

John 4: 20-24 Spirit / Truth

**Deut. 4:24 (9:3) (Hebrews 12:29) "For the Lord your God is a consuming fire,
a jealous God."**

Deut. 4:24 God will not share His glory with useless idols.

Deut. 9:3 He will consume the pagan nations who stand in the way of Israel.