

*The Ten Commandments: First Things First—Making Room for God*  
Exodus 20:1-3; Deuteronomy 6:4-9

The Ten Commandments can help diagnose problems in our lives and families. They are also God's prescription: either remedies, preventions or radical surgery.

**The First Commandment:** Keep first things first by making room for God in our lives and families.

**Why does God deserve first place in our lives?**

1. God \_\_\_\_\_ us. *Psalms 24:1*
2. God \_\_\_\_\_ us. *1 Corinthians 6:19-20; Exodus 20:1-2*

**We Can Make Room for God:**

1. With our \_\_\_\_\_, *Ephesians 5:15-17*
  - A. \_\_\_\_\_ Rhythm  
*Mark 1:35; Jeremiah 2:32*
  - B. \_\_\_\_\_ Rhythm
2. With our \_\_\_\_\_, *Proverbs 3:9-10; Matthew 6:24; Deuteronomy 14:23*

**When We Make Room for God, God Promises:**

1. His \_\_\_\_\_. *Exodus 19:3-6*
2. His \_\_\_\_\_. *Matthew 6:33*