

SERMON OUTLINE
WRITTEN IN STONE – WEEK 5:

Giving Respect

July 25 & 26, 2026 - Pastor John Zahrte

Intro: The focus of commandments 1-3 = Your _____ of _____
The focus of commandments 7-10 = Your _____ of _____
Exodus 20:12 – Honor _____ established by God

- I. Three phases where this commandment is carried out in life
 - a. Phase #1 = The _____ years
 - i. Keyword: _____
 - ii. Ephesians 6:1
 - b. Phase #2 = The _____ years
 - i. Keywords: _____ and _____
 - ii. Proverbs 23:22
 - c. Phase #3 = The _____ years
 - i. Keyword: _____
 - ii. 1 Timothy 5:8
 - iii. John 19:26-27a
 - iv. Ephesians 6:2-3
 - v. Ephesians 1:6a, Jeremiah 31:34b
- II. Honoring this commandment when parents act dishonorably
 - a. _____, _____ and _____ the pain
 - b. Discuss the pain with _____
 - c. Alternative: Discuss the pain with a _____
 - d. Remember that you have an _____ heavenly Father (1 John 3:1; 1 John 2:2)

This week, I will...

- Look for ways to bring _____ to my parents
- Ask God for the _____ (when needed) to forgive my parents
- Give thanks that I have a Father who _____ and _____ for me