

Cross and Commandments
Various Passages
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Main Idea: The Commandments reflect the beams of the cross.

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Deuteronomy 6:5

5 You shall love the LORD your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your might.

Leviticus 19:18b

18 but you shall love your neighbor as yourself: I am the LORD.

Mark 12:30–31

30 And you shall love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your mind and with all your strength.' 31 The second is this: 'You shall love your neighbor as yourself.

I. Commandments are reflected in the cross.

A You shall love, God.

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B Love your neighbor as yourself.

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II. The cross reflects our relationship to others.

A The vertical crossbar relates to the God word commands.

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B The horizontal crossbeam represents our relationship to others.

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Conclusion