

WHO DO YOU
SAY I AM?

June 11 **I Am The Bread Of Life** *John 6:35* - to a world that hungers for real satisfaction

June 25 **I Am The Light Of The World** *John 8:12* - for all who stumble in darkness

July 2 **I Am The Door** *John 10:7* - an invitation to come into a relationship with the father

July 9 **I Am The Good Shepherd** *John 10:11* - for all who need his care and protection

July 16

I Am The Resurrection And The Life

John 11:25 - for all who are tired and need a new start

July 23

I Am The Way The Truth And The Life

John 14:6 - for all who are lost and need His direction

July 30

I Am The True Vine *John 15:1* - the life

source of the living God offered to all

August 6

I Am The Alpha & Omega *Rev. 1:8* - for

all to know where they have come from and where they are going

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PART 1: INTRODUCTION
MATTHEW 16:13-16

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and somewhat mysterious.**

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**GOD IS.
PERIOD.**

"I AM"

**The ultimate statement of
self-sufficiency, self-existence
and immediate presence**

**“LORD” → Jehovah
Yahweh**

"You shall not take the name of the Lord your God in vain, for the Lord will not hold him guiltless who takes His name in vain."

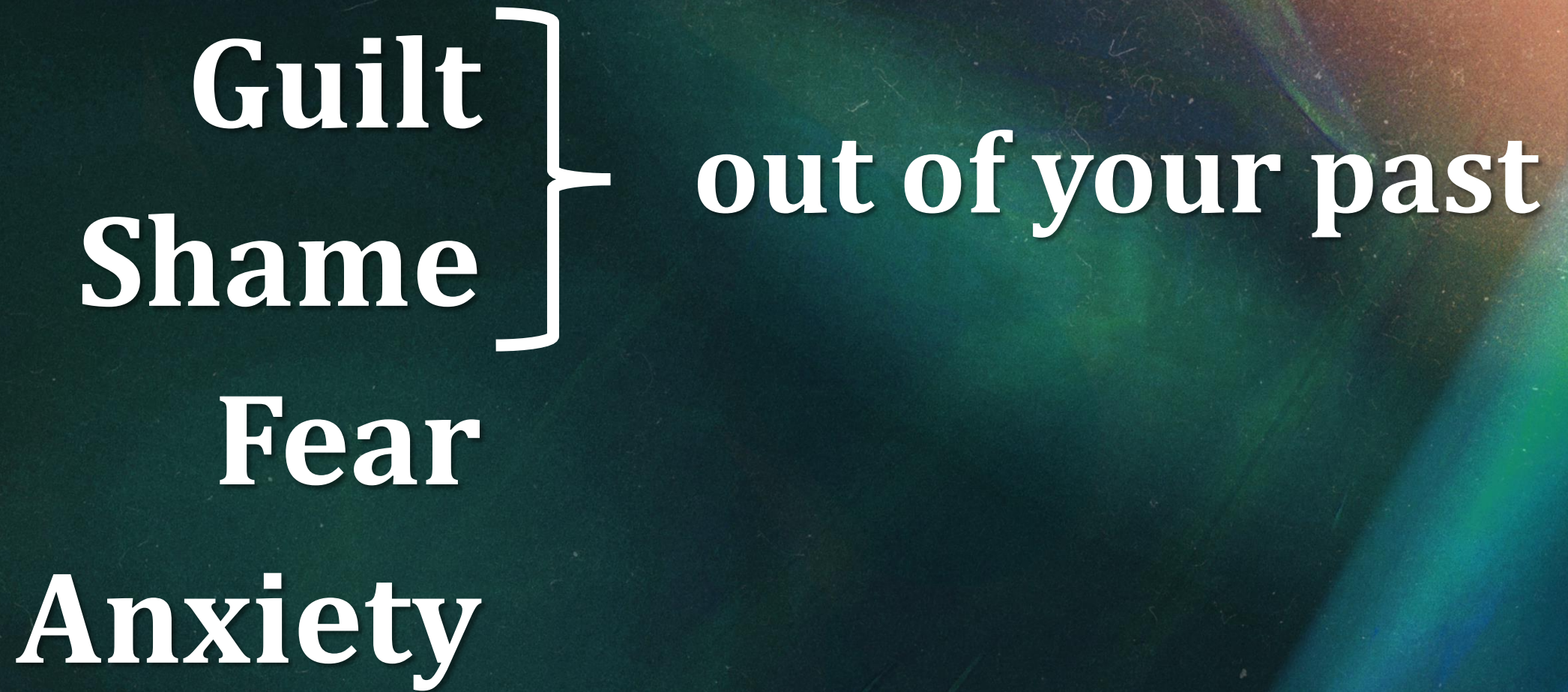
Commandment 3
Exodus 20



YHWH
JHVH

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Guilt
Shame } **out of your past**
Fear
Anxiety

Past: things that we have done or failed to do, or things that have been done to us

Guilt
Shame } **out of your past**

Fear
Anxiety } **from the future**

Future: we see some bad thing happening in the future and then live today like it's already been done to us

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1. God's name is exceedingly holy and somewhat mysterious.
2. The name of Jesus is not mysterious and is the full expression of Jehovah.

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Wherefore God also hath highly exalted him, and given him a name which is above every name: That at the name of Jesus every knee should bow, of things in heaven, and things in earth, and things under the earth; And that every tongue should confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father.

Philippians 2:9-11



NEXT STEPS

- 1. Seek God's forgiveness if you have disrespected His name.**
- 2. Be faithful this summer to hear God's Word - give God the first portion of your week.**
- 3. Ask God to help you to know Him more fully this summer.**