

# THE FOUR PROHIBITIONS

“Praise the LORD! Blessed is the man who fears the LORD, who greatly delights in his commandments! His offspring will be mighty in the land; the generation of the upright will be blessed. Wealth and riches are in his house, and his righteousness endures forever.” Psalm 112:1-3 ESV

“In that day I will raise up the booth of David that is fallen and repair its breaches, and raise up its ruins and rebuild it as in the days of old, that they may possess the remnant of Edom and all the nations who are called by my name,” declares the LORD who does this.” Amos 9:11 ESV

## Acts 15:19-21 ESV

“And with this the words of the prophets agree, just as it is written, ‘After this I will return, and I will rebuild the tent of David that has fallen; I will rebuild its ruins, and I will restore it, that the remnant of mankind may seek the Lord, and all the Gentiles who are called by my name, says the Lord, who makes these things known from of old.’ Therefore my judgment is that we should not trouble those of the Gentiles who turn to God, but should write to them to abstain from:

1. the things polluted by idols, and
2. from sexual immorality, and
3. from what has been strangled, and
4. from blood.

For from ancient generations Moses has had in every city those who proclaim him, for he is read every Sabbath in the synagogues.”

## Acts 15:28, 29 ESV

“For it has seemed good to the Holy Spirit and to us to lay on you no greater burden than these requirements: that you abstain from:

1. what has been sacrificed to idols, and
2. from blood, and
3. from what has been strangled, and
4. from sexual immorality.

If you keep yourselves from these, you will do well. Farewell.”