

Questions for Gospel Harmony #33 – The Sermon on the Mount (Part 7)

Matthew 5.31-32

1. Jesus quotes Deuteronomy 24.1-4. What did these verses teach about divorce under the Law of Moses? (Verse 27)

2. In Matthew 5.32 Jesus uses the word “except” – what is the rule He is laying down and what is the exception? What happens if a person divorces his or her spouse without the exception?

Special Question: What does “sexual immorality” entail? In the previous verses we learn that “looking to lust” is “adultery in the heart.” Would looking to lust (i.e. using pornography) be a scriptural cause for divorcing a spouse?

Special Question: According to these scriptures, may a person who is divorced for sexual immorality ever marry again?