



In this part of the Sermon on the Mount, Jesus explains Old

Testament laws in _____.

Oaths originated because _____

_____. To give their words weight, they _____

_____.

God's Law warned people that if they _____

_____, they had better _____.

When Jesus gave the Sermon on the Mount, many were using

oaths to _____.

Jesus says, " _____," but the _____

permitted them. In fact, _____ swore oaths, as did _____.

Jesus commands us to _____. Heart

righteousness means _____ and _____.

Application

Does this mean we should not swear an oath in a court of law?

Are there exceptions? Is it ever OK to deliberately lie?

1. The _____ exception: lying in order to

_____.

2. The _____ exception: lying in order to

_____.

Questions to Ponder and Discuss:

1. How can you be honest if the truth might hurt someone?
2. What is the danger of exception # 1?
3. What is the danger of exception # 2?
4. When is it most difficult to be honest?