

Remember:

We are talking about God's commandments!

God's Commandments are like signposts to help us live the way that God really wants us to! They are not horrible rules that God gave us to make life difficult! They will help us if we let them!

Commandment 3

You must not use the Name of the Lord in the wrong way. Don't use His name to swear. Don't use His name in silly talk. God won't put up with it. Exodus 20:7

Names are important

We get annoyed when people forget our names or misspell them.

If we call other people names it makes them small. We look down on them. God can never be looked down on!

Names stand for something.

Marilyn means

Terry means ...

Does anyone know what their name means?

I have a certificate with your name and its meaning.

God's has a name

Jesus – The Lord saves

Immanuel – God with us

I AM “I am who I am” -

He wants us to respect Him and His name.

He is greater than us by miles! He made the whole world and the universe

He is more powerful than us! He keeps the whole universe going

He is perfect, loving kind just etc.

We can call Him Father and know that He is the greatest that there is.

Our Father Hallowed be thy Name. Holy, separate, special great..

What can we do?

Not swear

Ask people who do swear not to swear

Talk about God to other people

Praise and thank God a lot

Thank Him for what He does in our lives and other people's lives.

Helps us to realise how great He is.

Helps us to get to know Him more as we understand a bit more how He works

Pray – help me not to swear, help me to understand how great you are. Help me to praise you more, and to thank you more. Help me to tell others how great you are.