

God, the Holy One: Exodus 19-20 (Continued)  
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As God gathers His people to enter into a covenant with them, He reveals to them one of His most fearful attributes: He is *holy*. There are three features about this amazing encounter at Sinai which highlight God's holiness and its implication for our lives today.

*Last Lord's Day...*

1. The inaccessibility of God.  
*You shall set bounds for the people...(19:12).*
  - A. God was inaccessible in His appearance.
  - B. God was inaccessible in His presence.
  - C. God was inaccessible in His glory.
  - D. God was inaccessible in His communication.
2. The consecration of the people.  
*So Moses...sanctified the people...(19:14).*  
The preparation of the people to meet with God suggests that our private and public worship should be taken seriously, separating ourselves unto God with our hearts and minds riveted upon Him, for He is holy.

*Today...*

3. The establishment of the law.  
*You shall have no other gods before Me (20:2).*