



## ROLE OF RULES

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Your View on the Role of Rules will affect how  
you View your Relationship with God

1. \_\_\_\_\_ the \_\_\_\_\_ you most likely  
have of the Rules

- \_\_\_\_\_ View
- \_\_\_\_\_ View
- \_\_\_\_\_ View

2. Know that the Rules are for \_\_\_\_\_  
Members \_\_\_\_\_

Why, then, was the law given? It was given alongside the promise to show people their sins. But the law was designed to last only until the coming of the child who was promised. God gave his law through angels to Moses, who was the mediator between God and the people (Galatians 3:19 NLT).

God decided in advance to adopt us into his own family by bringing us to himself through Jesus Christ. This is what he wanted to do, and it gave him great pleasure (Ephesians 1:5 NLT).

What are the 1<sup>st</sup> rules given to the people of God? \_\_\_\_\_

3. Make your Starting Point from \_\_\_\_\_  
not \_\_\_\_\_

But to all who believed him and accepted him, he gave the right to become children of God (John 1:12 NLT).

### **Questions for Meditation & Conversation**

*From Starting Point: A Conversation About Faith*

1. Growing up, did you feel religion was based on the Ohana, Club, or the Neighborhood Association View?
2. How does having a correct or incorrect view on the role of rules affect one's relationship with God?
3. What does it mean that we've been adopted into God's Ohana?
4. Have you entered a relationship with God through the door of belief or have you been trying to behave your way in?
5. Read Exodus 20:1 - 17 and Matthew 22:34 - 40 from the Ohana View and discuss the implications of those rules.

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