

**BIBLE-BELIEVING IDOLATERS**  
*Exodus 32:1-14 // March 29, 2026 AM*

*God cares deeply about who and how we worship.*

**I. *Godless insurrection* elicits divine *wrath* (vv. 1-10).**

**II. *Godward intercession* elicits divine *mercy* (vv. 11-14).**

QUESTIONS FOR FAMILY WORSHIP

1. Read 1 Corinthians 10:11. Why has God caused stories like Exodus 32 to be recorded for us? How does this change the way we read this account?
2. What did Israel demand of Aaron? How should Aaron have responded? How did he actually respond, and why?
3. Which of the ten commandments did Israel break by making and worshiping the golden calf? How can we break these commands today?
4. What is the wrath of God? Why must God be wrathful if He would be good, just, and loving?
5. How is Israel saved from the destruction their sin deserves?
6. Who is the Mediator who ever lives to intercede for us? What would happen if He left God alone?
7. Does God accept the worship of all religions? Why, or why not?

QUESTIONS FOR PRIVATE REFLECTION

1. How does impatience with God tempt me to idolatry? What are the idols I am particularly prone to?
2. Do I depend upon the intercession of Christ for me? And do I imitate Him by interceding for the church, pleading with God to show compassion to His wayward people according to His promise?
3. Do I care deeply about the *who* and *how* of worship?