## COMMANDMENT Not "Far," But Not "In"

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 A Common Question (12:28) An Uncommon Response (12:29-31)**A Surprising Admission** (12:32, 33)**A Compelling Evaluation** (12:34)

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 What Did This Man Have **Going For Him?** He knew the Word of God. He was discerning the essence of God's Covenant. He was intellectually honest. He respected Jesus. He had understood the theme of God's revelation

## Not "Far," But Not "In" What Was Keeping **Him Out?** Was it the depth of his sin? Was it the impossibility of self-deliverance? Was he unwilling to see Jesus as more than a great teacher?