

**WORD #2: Have you cut God down to size? (Exod. 20:4-6; Col. 1:15-20)**

Introduction

The essence of the Second Word

*“If the first commandment is against worshipping the same God, the second commandment is against worshipping God in the wrong way.”*

- Kevin DeYoung

**1. Don't cut God down to size**

The basic command

Comprehensive

Worshipping the true God *falsely*

Exodus 32

Why is God so against us making any images of him?

Isaiah 40:18

Conceals more than reveals

“for yourself”

Have we cut God down to size?

**2. Let God tell you who He is**

What it was like at Sinai

Deuteronomy 4:12, 15-16

Why our worship together has to be Word-centred

The Jealous God

v.5b-6

**3. Behold the true image of God**

Hebrews 1:1-3 ; Col 1:15 “the image of the invisible God”

The cross holds together what our man-made images cannot

Behold Christ, and be changed into his likeness (2 Cor. 3:18)