

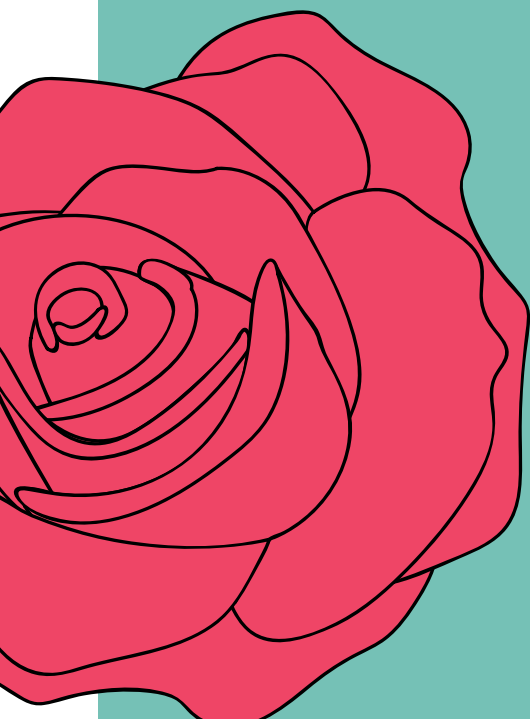
# Vows



WHEN YOU MAKE A VOW TO GOD, DO NOT BE LATE IN PAYING IT; FOR HE TAKES NO DELIGHT IN FOOLS. PAY WHAT YOU VOW! IT IS BETTER THAT YOU SHOULD NOT VOW THAN THAT YOU SHOULD VOW AND NOT PAY.

DO NOT LET YOUR SPEECH CAUSE YOU TO SIN AND DO NOT SAY IN THE PRESENCE OF THE MESSENGER OF GOD THAT IT WAS A MISTAKE. WHY SHOULD GOD BE ANGRY ON ACCOUNT OF YOUR VOICE AND DESTROY THE WORK OF YOUR HANDS?

ECCLESIASTES 5:4-6



“WHEN YOU MAKE A VOW TO THE LORD YOUR GOD, YOU SHALL NOT DELAY TO PAY IT, FOR IT WOULD BE SIN IN YOU, AND THE LORD YOUR GOD WILL SURELY REQUIRE IT OF YOU. HOWEVER, IF YOU REFRAIN FROM VOWING, IT WOULD NOT BE SIN IN YOU. YOU SHALL BE CAREFUL TO PERFORM WHAT GOES OUT FROM YOUR LIPS, JUST AS YOU HAVE VOLUNTARILY VOWED TO THE LORD YOUR GOD, WHAT YOU HAVE PROMISED.

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