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**Murder
and
Murders**

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Murder and Murders.

Murder and murders do not refer to those who suicide as many believe, since suicide is a symptom of a person suffering extreme emotional and mental torment, pain, depression, and darkness, in contrast to this, murder refers:

- To taking an innocent life that does not want to be taken.
- To those who deliberately plan and plot to kill an innocent person and then do it.

Whoever committed intentional murder and wilfully attacked another person to kill them by cunning were to be put to death.

- **Exodus 21:14:** But if a man willfully attacks another to kill him by cunning, you shall take him from my altar, that he may die.
- **Leviticus 24:17:** “Whoever takes a human life shall surely be put to death.
- **Leviticus 24:21:** “Whoever takes a human life shall surely be put to death.

Those who accidentally killed someone are not murders and therefore were not condemned to capital punishment, but were permitted to flee to a city of refuge.

- **Deuteronomy 19:2-3:** you shall set apart three cities for yourselves in the land that the LORD your God is giving you to possess. ³ You shall measure the distances and divide into three parts the area of the land that the LORD your God gives you as a possession, so that any manslayer can flee to them.
- **Deuteronomy 19:4-6:** “This is the provision for the manslayer, who by fleeing there may save his life. If anyone kills his neighbor unintentionally without having hated him in the past—⁵ as when someone goes into the forest with his neighbor to cut wood, and his hand swings the axe to cut down a tree, and the head slips from the handle and strikes his neighbor so that he dies—he may flee to one of these cities and live, ⁶ lest the avenger of blood in hot anger pursue the manslayer and overtake him, because the way is long, and strike him fatally, though the man did not deserve to die, since he had not hated his neighbor in the past.
- **Deuteronomy 19:11-13:** “But if anyone hates his neighbor and lies in wait for him and attacks him and strikes him fatally so that he dies, and he flees into one of these cities, ¹² then the elders of his city shall send and take him from there, and hand him over to the avenger of blood, so that he may die. ¹³ Your eye shall not pity him, but you shall purge the guilt of innocent blood from Israel, so that it may be well with you.

In the New Testament murder is called a sin that leads to death, because the punishment for it is death.