

Two Tablets

Moses took two tablets and went to the hills

And while he was gone people had their thrills.

They could not wait for a month of time

Before human sin would show its grime.

Moses got mad and smashed them to pieces

Because of the anger at the world's thesis.

The ten commandments had to again be written

Because people with selfish desires were bitten.

While Moses was gone they made a gold calf,

A statue which replaced Moses' godly staff.

Moses broke the tablets, the calf was destroyed.

Its dust was spread upon the waters.

And they had to drink it after crossing borders.

Many died because they broke God's law

And the Promised land they never saw.

Even Moses himself could not enter Canaan

Because of his anger again and again.

Well, the ten commandments were written again

And Moses was able to show them God's holy plan.

They passed them down from age to age

And they helped civilization turn the page.

We have a world which rejects the highest of pearls,
God given life for all boys and girls.
The commandments have been removed from their place
In courthouses which sorely need God's grace.
Of law and order, wrong and right.
And how to love with all our might.
As people stand by and watch tablets broken again
God is angered and feels deep pain.
I pray for the church and its people each day
That every one will see what God has to say.
That faith is first above all else
We must love God and neighbor as our self.
Loving God first is the real big deal
For a broken heart God will certainly heal.
Jesus takes us beyond the tablets of stone
And promises to never leave us alone.
He loves us much and brings us peace
And all our pain will surely release.
He makes us able to live forever
And conquers sin so the devil can never
Set us against God and each other
And mother and sister, and husband and brother.
After all, we're the family of God, the church

And never leave each other in a lurch.
The best-kept secret on God's holy street
Is the place where God's people gather to meet.
When e'r we're tempted to go our own way
Remember that we will surely pay
The price for sin and selfish action
An awful recipe for devil's favorite transaction.
We are to worship our God--be in church on the Sabbath
Or go the world's way and find God's wrath.
He will not keep silent, for he loves his people
Who gather and go forth from under the steeple.
So do your part to bring us together
And make our hearts as light as a feather.
We can sure be God's people and give him the glory
As we keep on telling and living his story.
The ten commandments are made to be kept
And to that rule there is never an except.
For how we live and love and grow
Will eternal life to others show.
Two tablets of stone is how it all began
And on to Calvary the key to the plan
Is where Jesus died so that we might live
And saved the world so we might give

Our hearts and souls and trust one another

And serve the God who makes sisters and brothers.