

## **Ethics Assignment**

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Read articles 1-3 on Ethical Theories by Joe Carter

- The articles can be found here: <https://erlc.com/resource-library/series-index/ethical-theories/>
- There is a PDF on Weebly with all 3 combined.

Article 1:

1. In the first article, Carter says there are at least 5 elements of biblical ethics. List those 5 below along with a brief explanation of each point in your own words. (Don't copy and paste :)
2. Pick one of the 5 elements from question #1 and write a short paragraph (Minimum of 4 sentences) on a way you see that element neglected sometimes in making ethical choices.
3. What are the 3 elements of the "moral events triangle?" (Article 1)

Article 2:

1. What are the two types of commands in the Bible?
2. Describe each one.
3. Why is it important to distinguish these types of commands?
4. How would you handle the "Nazi at the door" problem? (Minimum 5 sentences)

Article 3:

1. Do you think it's always a sin to violate your conscience? What if your conscience is informing you wrongly?
2. Did you find the "wallet at the neighbors house illustration" helpful? Can you imagine another scenario with a similar ethical situation?
3. What are the ways that we can keep a "clean conscience" before the Lord?