## Matthew Chapter 15 Questions Traditions vs Commandments

1.	What is Jesus' answer to the religious leaders who question his disciples' lack of following oral tradition? What is the main point of the interaction between Jesus and the Religious leaders?
2.	What replaced God's commandment to "Honor Your Father and Your Mother" in the Pharisee's Tradition? What does Jesus say is the result of what they have done (v6)
	a. How was this a fulfillment of Isaiah 29:13-14 and Ezekiel 33:31?
	b. But what does Isaiah promise in Is 29:14, 18-19? How does this occur?
3.	Restate in your own words the overarching point of Matthew 15:1-9
4.	Restate verses 10 -11 in your own words. What does Jesus say is the source of that which defiles and what comes from that source?
5.	What was Jesus' response to the offended religious leaders?

6.	6. What does Jesus call the one who practices religious rules without the inner transformation of the Heart? (see 15:14b)		
7.	7. What was the Canaanite woman's attitude toward Jesus? How does this compare to the attitude of the Jewish Leaders? What was the ultimate result of her interactions with Jesus and why is it so astounding?		
8. Compare the Feeding of the 5000 (14:13-21) and the Feeding of the Four Thousand (15:32-39).			
Simila	arities	Differences	
b. How do we know these are two different miracles? (see 16:9-10)			
	c. Why does Matthew include both miracles in the gospel? What might we learn from this inclusion?		