

Are all transgressions of the law equally heinous?

“But yet you will see still greater abominations. . . . Yet you will see still greater abominations which they are committing. . . . Yet you will see still greater abominations than these” (NASB; Ezekiel 8:6, 13, 15).

“Therefore I say to you, any sin and blasphemy shall be forgiven people, but blasphemy against the Spirit shall not be forgiven” (NASB; Matthew 12:31).

“Woe to you, scribes and Pharisees, hypocrites! For you tithe mint and dill and cummin, and have neglected the weightier provisions of the law: justice and mercy and faithfulness” . . . (NASB; Matthew 23:23).

Some sins in themselves, and by reason of several aggravations, are more heinous in the sight of God than others.

(Westminster Shorter Catechism, Q. 83)

