

## I : 4K Rituals &amp; The Children of Heaven. Abstract

I am guilty of idolatry. I've violated the sacred Second Commandment.

*"You shall not make for yourself a carved image, or any likeness of anything that is in heaven above, or that is in the earth beneath, or that is in the water under the earth. You shall not bow down to them or serve them, for I the LORD your God am a jealous God..."*

Yet I am not alone in this, many Christians have not been shy to depict the holy trinity since the coming of Christ. Whilst the second commandment has been taken very lightly in many cases it is not fully absent, it is still respected in various ways within the religious field. However, many contemporary depictions of the '*divine*' have outgrown their restricted boundaries entirely and pledged themselves fully to the sin of idolatry.

Outgrown and evolved. Many young eyes have fixed their gaze on high definition digital screens, the more contemporary beacons of faith. Portals to the '*likeness of anything that is in heaven above...*', worlds beyond our own, not just to look at, but to immerse oneself in. Video games and their '*magical claiming*' power have created their own forms of contemporary religion accompanied with new rituals and sacred vows. This new idolatry worshiping by younger generations paves a path that helps guide the young and lost in their real, and often complex and chaotic existence.