

MESSAGE NOTES

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Stand Firm: Submission & Authority
1 Peter 2:13-25
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- How we _____ to authority is part of doing _____, Titus 2:7-14
- Our _____ lets the world see & glorify _____. 1 Pet 2:12,15; 3:16

Submit yourselves for the Lord's sake to every human authority ...

For it is God's will that by doing good you should silence the ignorant talk of the foolish. 1 Peter 2:13,15 (TNIV)

AS CITIZENS (1 Peter 2:13-17)

- *Submit* = to place ourselves _____ or _____ another. Gen 16:9
- Respect to _____ human institution & _____. Rom 13:1-7; 1 Pet 2:17
- For the _____ sake—He's _____ us to do so. Eph 5:21; 1 Peter 2:16

AT WORK (1 Peter 2:18-20)

- *Slave* = " _____ " - paid _____ servant. Eph 6:5-9; Col 3:22-4:1
- Show all respect & do good _____ to _____ bosses. 1 Pet 3:11-17; 4:19
- Conscious of _____, it's a chance to _____ His _____. 1 Peter 5:12

To this you were called, because Christ suffered for you, leaving you an example, that you should follow in His steps. 1 Peter 2:21

JESUS' EXAMPLE (1 Peter 2:21-25)

- Unfairly treated, He _____ Himself to One who judges justly.
- _____ do I need to trust God & do the _____. He wants? Matt 5:16

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Authority Basics In The Bible*

- God has established an _____ of authority. Romans 13:1-7; 1 Peter 2:13-14
- _____ & his angels (_____) rebelled. Luke 10:17-19; Ephesians 6:12; Jude 1:6
- We can _____ & _____ authority. 2 Timothy 3:1-9; 2 Peter 2:10; Jude 1:8
- We're to _____ respect to _____ in authority. Eph 5:21-6:9; Hebrews 13:17
- Human leaders can _____ God-given authority. Matt 26:55-60; 2 Cor 13:10
- But we're called to _____ for _____ is in authority. 1 Timothy 2:1-4
- May have to _____ & _____ consequences. Daniel 3:16-18; Acts 5:29
- If we _____ disobey—do so _____. Daniel 1:8-16; Titus 3:1-2
- For God is _____ working out His _____. Gen 50:20; Matt 22:21; Luke 19:11
- God has _____ Satan's authority. Job 1:12; 2:6; Eph 2:2; 2 Thess 2:7; Rev 12:7-12
- God has given Jesus _____ authority—He will _____. Matt 28:18; John 5:27
- No other _____ is _____ than Jesus. Philipp 2:9-11; Coloss 2:9-10; Rev 19:16
- For Jesus' sake, we _____ to God's _____. Eph 5:21; 1 Peter 2:13; 5:5-6
- In _____ time, God _____ those who honor Him. 1 Sam 2:30c; Eph 6:3

*To do a comprehensive study on the word "authority"

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