



The Book of Romans

How to be Right with God

Romans 13:1-7

Paul's Persuasive Argument for Justification,
Romans 1-11. (5 "Cycles")

Paul's Practical Application from our Justification,
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- Concerning Dedication, 12:1-2.
- Concerning ministering spiritual gifts, 12:3-8
- Concerning love, 12:9-21
 - ✓ Unhypocritical love, 12:9-13
 - ✓ Demonstrated love, 12:14-21

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- Concerning Governing Authorities, 13:1-7

SUBMISSION TO AUTHORITY, ROMANS 13:1-7

- The Extent of Submission, 1 “Every person”
- The Command of Submission, “...be in subjection” literally, “place yourself under”
- The Direction of the submission, “to the governing authorities...”

SUBMISSION TO AUTHORITY, ROMANS 13:1-7

- The Reasons for the Submission, 1

- ✓ All authority comes from God

“There is no authority except from God”

“Those which exist have been established by God.”

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- The Explanations for the Submission, 2-3
 - ✓ Resisting authority means **opposing the ordinance of God.**
 - ✓ Rulers are not a cause for fear for good behavior

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- The Explanations for the Submission, 4
 - ✓ A Ruler is a minister (διάκονός) of God to you for good
 - ✓ A ruler does not bear the sword for nothing...a minister (διάκονός) of God, an avenger who brings wrath on the one who practices evil

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- The Necessity of the Submission, 5
 - ✓ Because of wrath
 - ✓ For conscience' sake

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- The Expressions of the Submission, 6-7

- ✓ Paying taxes

“Rulers are servants (λειτουργοὶ) of God devoting themselves to this very thing

- ✓ Render custom to whom custom is due

- ✓ Render fear to whom fear is due

- ✓ Render honor to whom honor is due

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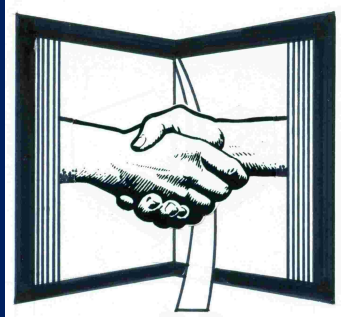
Supported, 1 Peter 2:13-17, 18-24

Qualified, Acts 4:18-20; 5:27-32

Daniel 1: Eating forbidden food

Daniel 3: Bowing to Nebuchadnezzar's image

Daniel 6: NOT praying to God



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