

Sunday, May 15, 2022

Sermon Outline

III. GOD HAD A GOOD PURPOSE FOR THE AUTHORITY STRUCTURES, v-3, 4

- A. Rulers Are To Be A Check On Evil Behaviors,
v-3a
- B. Rulers Are God's Authority Structures Servants,
v-4
 - 1. For Good in a society, v-4a
 - 2. For the Punishment of evil doers in a society
v-4b
 - 3. Evil doers need to be afraid because Rulers
have authority from God to execute His
Wrath even to the death penalty, v-4c

IV. IT IS NECESSARY TO BE IN SUBMISSION TO RULERS, v-5, 6

- A. To Avoid God's Wrath Through Them, v-5a
- B. For The Sake Of Our Conscience, v-5b, 6
 - 1. Therefore we also pay taxes, v-6a
 - 2. Rulers authorize the collecting of taxes, v-6b

V. GOD WANTS HIS PEOPLE TO BE FULLY OBEDIENT UNDER THE AUTHORITY STRUCTURES, v-7

- A. We Are To Pay Taxes To Whom They Are Due,
v-7a
- B. We Are To Pay Custom To Whom They Are Due,
v-7b
- C. We Are To Give Respect To Whom It Is Due,
v-7c
- D. We Are To Give Honor To Whom It Is Due, v-7d

VI. WE MUST DISOBEY THE AUTHORITY STRUCTURES WHEN THEY TELL US TO DISOBEY GOD'S CLEAR COMMANDS TO US --God is the Highest Authority!

- A. This Is Seen In Daniel's Three Friends In The OT,
Dan. 3:12-18
- B. This Is Seen In The Apostles In The N. T.
Acts 5:18-20, 25-29