

The Christian Attitude to Authority

Romans 13:1-5 (page 920)

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The _____ of Authority

*Authority comes from _____
and He _____ authority.

1. Consider this even in the _____:

“Jesus gave them this answer, “Very truly I tell you, the Son can do nothing by Himself; He can do only what He sees His father doing, because whatever the Father does the Son also does.”

John 5:19

“But about that day or hour no one knows, not even the angels in heaven, nor the Son, but only the Father.”

Matthew 24:36

“Moreover, the Father judges no one, but has entrusted all judgment to the Son.”

John 5:22

2. Consider authority here on earth:

* _____ Agencies

* _____ Leaders

* _____

The _____ of Authority

*To establish _____ in society.

1. For rulers hold no terror for those who do right, but for those who do wrong.

2. “In order to form a more perfect Union, establish justice, insure domestic tranquility, provide for the common defense, promote the general welfare, and secure the blessings of liberty. . . “

The Preamble to the Constitution

The _____ with Authority

* Christians can be asked to _____.

“Peter and the other apostles replied, “We must obey God rather than human beings.”

Acts 5:29

We Christians must be very careful how we apply this.

Consider who was the emperor when Romans was written?

We need to apply what God says here in Romans 13!

