

1/2 Peter

Lesson 5 – Faithful living in the face of persecution: submission to earthly authority, 1 Peter 2:11-25

2:11-5:11 – the bulk of the letter, living out our faith

2:11-12 – brief introduction

1. Abstain from . . .
2. Live honorably . . .

2:13-17 – earthly authority – the state

1. Context of Peter's letter
2. Be subject to
3. Verse 15
4. Verse 16
5. Verse 17
6. What do we do when the government asks us to go against God?

2:18-25 – earthly authority – employers

1. How do you give respect to an unjust employer?
2. Christ as an example
3. Isaiah 53:4-9 backdrop
4. Why direct us to Christ in this context?