

***You Are...A Living Servant of God***

*1 Peter 2:13-25*

***I. Line up under, be subject, submit...for the Lord's sake.***

- A. God \_\_\_\_\_ to submit to the human institutions He ordained.
1. Emperor (\_\_\_\_\_), governors, etc. (Romans 13:1-5).
  2. Employers, marriage and family.
- B. This command does not \_\_\_\_\_ authorities that make bad or unjust decisions.

***II. You submit for the Lord's sake by submitting to others.***

- A. You are a living servant (\_\_\_\_\_) of God.
- B. Live your life in such a way that the \_\_\_\_\_ of people toward you will be won over by your actions.
- C. The Exception: You do not follow earthly authority when it is in direct \_\_\_\_\_ to God's word (Acts 5:17-42).
- D. The Example: Jesus did not \_\_\_\_\_. He suffered in silence to let God make things right (vs. 23).

*"We teach people to follow Jesus."*