Faith and Unjust Suffering

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Text: <u>1 Peter 2:19-25</u>

When you suffer unjustly, follow Christ's example

I. CHRIST IS OUR EXAMPLE IN UNJUST SUFFERING (1 PETER 2:19-21)

Christians need to be willing to submit to injustice in all areas of life

A. Enduring unjust suffering is pleasing to God

Read 1 Peter 1:19-20

B. Enduring unjust suffering is our calling

Read 1 Peter 2:21

II. CHRIST IS OUR EXAMPLE IN INNOCENT SUFFERING (1 PETER 2:22)

A. He suffered without sin

B. He suffered without **quile**

III. CHRIST IS OUR EXAMPLE IN SUBMISSIVE SUFFERING (1PETER 2:23)

A. He submitted to verbal suffering

B. He submitted to **physical** suffering

Jesus submitted to God's righteous judgment

IV. CHRIST IS OUR EXAMPLE IN FAITH-DRIVEN SUFFERING (HEBREWS 12:2)

The joy and rewards that are set before us who submissively walk in faith are the encouragement to help us endure today