

Romans - 13

Questions:

1. Based off of vs.1-2 why should we submit ourselves to the governing authorities? _____
2. Give examples of what it means to submit to the governing authorities. Should we do that even if we disagree with the government? _____

3. What should be our response if the government tells us that we are not allowed to share Christ in certain places? _____

4. What is the role of governing rulers in the plan of God? vs.3-6 _____

5. Why should we pay taxes according to vs.6-8? _____

Discuss whether or not you think it is ever appropriate to not pay taxes to the government.

6. We should not let any debt remain outstanding except what? _____

7. Which commandments are summed up by the commandment to love your neighbor as yourself? _____

Why do you think love your neighbor as yourself did not get included as one of the 10 Commandments? v.8-10 _____

8. What does it mean that our salvation is nearer now than when we first believed? _____

9. How should we live our lives until the coming of the salvation that is ready to be revealed? _____
10. Instead of living in gross sin, we should put on the Lord Jesus Christ and clothe ourselves with him v.14. What does it mean to clothe ourselves with the Lord Jesus Christ? _____
How do we do this? _____

11. Why do you think Paul used the metaphor of clothing yourself with Christ?

12. We are told not even think about how to gratify the desires of the sinful nature. Are there any steps that we can take to help us to fulfill this word of God?

True/False

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| 1. We should submit to the governing authorities only when we have a Christian president. | T/F |
| 2. Government leaders are God's servants to maintain law and order, generally speaking. | T/F |
| 3. We have a continuing debt to love one another, until we are out of debt. | T/F |
| 4. Love is a burning thing and it makes for a fiery ring. | T/F |
| 5. We should love our enemies only when they stop being our enemies. | T/F |