

## **Romans** Bible Study Questions

Romans 13:1-7 || will be preached on May 5, 2024

1. What are some ways that our relationship to "governing authorities" is different than that of the original audience? What are some ways that it is the same?

2. The central command is clearly stated in v. 1. What are some of the arguments that Paul uses to explain this command in the verses that follows?

3. Read 1 Peter 2:13-17 and Titus 3:1-2. How is Paul's exhortation in Romans 13 different from those other passages? How is it similar?

4. Can you think of situations in which a Christian can refuse to be subject to the governing authorities in good conscience? What makes that justified in your mind?

5. In light of the truth in this passage, how can others pray for you?