

"A GREATLY MISUNDERSTOOD AND MISUSED BIBLICAL WORD"  
(Proverbs 29:2)

I. GOD HAS ESTABLISHED {AUTHORITY} IN HIS UNIVERSE

\*Genesis 1:26-28      \*I Corinthians 11:3      \*Matthew 26:39-42      \*Colossians 2:5-9  
\*Romans 13:1-7      \*I Peter 2:13-19      \*Daniel 4:28-35      \*Colossians 3:22  
\*Ephesians 5:21-25      \*Colossians 3:18-21      \*Ephesians 6:1-3      \*Proverbs 23:22  
\*Hebrews 13:17      \*I Peter 5:5

1. There is authority in the {Trinity}.

Note: Our greatest example is {Jesus}.

2. There is authority in {government}.

Note: GOD is over all {authority}. Ask Nebuchadnezzar!

3. There is authority in {employment}.

Note: {Submission} and {obedience} are different

4. There is authority in the {home}.

Note: The first commandment with a {promise} has to do with authority!

5. There is authority in the {church}.

II. GOD HOLDS ALL AUTHORITY {ACCOUNTABLE}

\*I Timothy 2:1-2      \*Proverbs 21:1      \*Psalm 62:11      \*John 19:10-11  
\*Luke 9:1      \*Daniel 1:5-20      \*Esther 4:11-16      \*Matthew 27:16-20

1. There is the power of {prayer}.

Note: There is a difference in {power} and {authority}.

2. There is the power of {appeal}.

Note: The power of {appeal} can be stronger than the power of {authority}!