

Jesus First - Getting Along With Others - 1 Peter 2:13-25 (NLT)

I. Can We Get Along?

II. Going Back To Go Forward

A. "Dear friends, I warn you as "temporary residents and foreigners" to keep away from worldly desires that wage war against your very souls. Be careful to live properly among your unbelieving neighbors. Then even if they accuse you of doing wrong, they will see your honorable behavior, and they will give honor to God when he judges the world."

- 1 Peter 2:11-12, (NLT)

1. Live Holy On The Inside
2. Live Holy On The Outside

III. Living Out Our Faith

A. In Our Authority Structures

1. 1 Peter 2:13-17 -

B. In Our Relationships

1. 1 Peter 2:18-20

IV. Jesus First

A. Living With The Example of Jesus To Guide Us

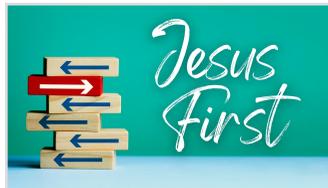
1. 1 Peter 2:21-25

V. Questions To Consider

- A. Where are you struggling to live a Jesus First life?
- B. How does living holy on the inside help to live holy on the outside?
- C. How can you live in such a way that those who don't follow Jesus have a better chance of experiencing him through your example?
- D. What of the example of Jesus do you want to emulate more in your life?

Watch the sermon:

<http://www.coldspringschurch.net/sermons.html>.



This Week:

“Getting Along With Others” (1 Peter 2:13-25)

How do you live with people who have power and have agendas that aren't God's power and God's agenda? Jesus First turns everything upside down to tap into a power that is unavailable to those who don't know him. It is not only possible to live well in our world, it is essential for the witness of the church and the power the gospel to be unleashed.

ONE THING STUDY

During this series, we will be doing the “One Thing Study” for our sermon discussions. Follow the 3 steps below. Once everyone has shared their “One Thing,” if there is time, pick another “thing” to share.

1. Read this week's passage.
2. Pick *One Thing*... (a word or phrase) that stands out to you. Mark it... (highlight it, write it down, underline it, or something).
3. Talk about it with your group.

NEXT STEP

In light of this week's passage/discussion, what is one thing for you to do?

PRAYER

*Devote yourselves to prayer with an alert mind and a thankful heart.
Colossians 4:2 (NLT)*

Pray for one another, including next steps shared in your group time.