

Our Mission in a Messed Up World!

1 Peter 2:13-23

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To Fulfill Our Mission, We Must Live in
Humble Submission in this World.

1. Display Submission Before Civil Authorities (vs. 13-16)

A. Since it is God's will and purpose

B. Since it proves the reality of faith

To Do #1:

Do Not Adopt the Character of those
Who Oppose Our Faith

2. Display Respect For All (vs. 17)

A. By loving other believers

B. By fearing God

C. By honoring the King

To Do #2:

Let Everyone Know You Are a Follower of Christ

3. Display Submission Before Vocational Authorities

(vs. 18-25)

A. In keeping with God's commendation

B. In keeping with Christ's example

- He didn't sin in speech
- He didn't retaliate
- He didn't threaten
- He did trust God
- He did accomplish His mission

To Do #3:

Remember Your Primary Mission – to See Others
Come to and Follow Jesus

CONCLUSION:

Put God's Mission First