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Worship Team..... Raise A Hallelujah

Welcome

Worship Team..... You Deserve It All
What A Beautiful Name

Message..... Senior Pastor Jay Bruner
Don't Drink The Poison (Week 1)

Offering/Dismissal

**DON'T
DRINK THE
POISON**

HOW TO LEAVE BIBLICAL IMPRINTS INSTEAD OF BITTER SCARS PART 1

*Do not repay anyone evil for evil. Be careful to do what is right in the eyes of everyone. If it is possible, as far as it depends on you, live at peace with everyone. **Romans 12:17-18 (NIV)***

*So get rid of all evil **behavior**. Be done with all deceit, hypocrisy, jealousy, and **all unkind speech**... 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. For the **Lord's sake**, submit to all human authority—whether the king as head of state, or the officials he has appointed. For the king has sent them to punish those who do wrong and to honor those who do right. **It is God's will that your honorable lives** should silence those ignorant people who make foolish accusations against you. For you are free, yet you are God's slaves, so don't use your freedom as an excuse to do evil. Respect everyone, and love the family of believers. Fear God, and respect the king. **1 Peter 2:1, 12-17 (NLT)***

1. Treat all people with honor and respect.

*Respect everyone... **1 Peter 2:17 (NLT)***

*So God created mankind in His own image, in the image of God He created them; male and female He created them. **Genesis 1:27 (NIV)***

"You have heard that it was said, 'Love your neighbor and hate your enemy.' But I tell you, love your enemies and pray for those who persecute you, that you may be children of your Father in heaven..."

Matthew 5:43-45 (NIV)

2. Honor all authority.

*...and respect the king. **1 Peter 2:17 (NLT)***

*Everyone must submit to governing authorities. For all authority comes from God, and those in positions of authority have been placed there by God. **Romans 13:1 (NLT)***

So they called them and charged them not to speak or teach at all in the name of Jesus. But Peter and John answered them, "Whether it is right in the sight of God to listen to you rather than to God, you must judge, for we cannot but speak of what we have seen and heard."

Acts 4:18-20 (ESV)

Live wisely among those who are not believers, and make the most of every opportunity. Let your conversation be gracious and attractive so that you will have the right response for everyone.

Colossians 4:5-6 (NLT)

Going deeper on your own: Read 1 Peter 1 from beginning to end and make notes about what God brings to your mind. Now read 1 Peter 2:1-17 slowly and out loud. The old saying is, "You should never talk about religion and politics." Recognizing that this election season will soon be over, answer the following questions: How CAN you talk to those with different beliefs in a way that honors God and respects others? How will you approach those who believe differently than you do? With God's help, what can you do to ensure your relationships will stay intact after the election is over? Pray and ask God to guide you as you engage those around you on your journey through this election season. To assist you, read Proverbs 15:1 and post it where you will see it daily.