SUBMISSION MAY BE HARD BUT IS WISE Ecclesiastes 8:1-9 Sermon 19

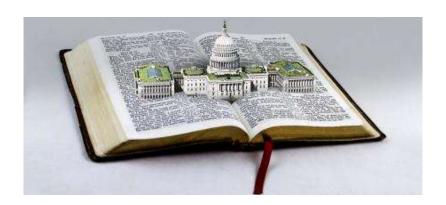


Prop: It is good to submit to our authorities even when we don't feel like it.

Inter: Why?

Trans: There are ten reasons. First . . .

I.	Because your _	will grant you favor and influence in your authority's sight (8:1)
II.	Because your _	are backed by God (8:2).
III.	Because your _	will cost you influence (8:3a).
IV.	Because your _	may be discovered (8:3b).
V.	Because your _	is vulnerable (8:4).
VI.	Because your _	will be rewarded (8:5a).
VII.	Because your _	will keep you from losing influence (8:5b-6a).
VIII.	Because your _	will protect you from an impulsive mistake (8:6b).
IX.	Because your _	is the best defense against changes in government (8:7).
Χ.	Because your _	is in the hand of your authorities (8:8).



Concl: 8:9