

A Historical Anthology of Great Historical Figures

Figure #3: Lesser Lights

The Christian Citizen (Part 2)

The Background of Peter's Letter

The Christian Citizen (Part 1)

- I. Duty #1: His Duty to Regulate Himself (2:13-15)
 - A. The Nature of His Duty: Submission (2:13a₁₋₂)
 - B. The Direction of His Duty: Human Government (2:13a₇₋₁₀) (a)
 - C. The Motivation of His Duty: God (2:13a₃₋₆)
 - D. The Direction of His Duty: Human Government (2:13b-14) (b)
 - E. The Purpose of His Duty: Testimony (2:15)

Some Concerns Based on Part 1

- I. Duty #1: His Duty to Regulate Himself (2:13-15)
- II. Duty #2: His Duty to Represent God (2:16)
 - A. The Believer's Identity (2:16a)
 - 1. Definition: The Nature of Our Freedom
 - 2. Implication: The Way We Define Ourselves
 - 3. Application: The Anomalous Character of Christianity
 - B. The Believer's Genuineness (2:16b)
 - C. The Believer's Responsibility (2:16c)
 - 1. Defining the Term
 - bondslave slave, born bondman, slavish or servile
 - 2. Contrasting the Term
 - 3. Using the Term