

Now that the Election is Over

Scriptural Principles for Moving Forward

Acknowledge & Accept **(God is in Control of Whoever is in Control)**

“He removes kings and sets up kings.” Daniel 2:21

“The Most High rules the kingdom of men and gives it to whom he will.” Daniel 4:32b (See also verse 17)

“For not from the east or from the west and not from the wilderness comes lifting up, but it is God who executes judgment, putting down one and lifting up another.” Psalm 75:6-7

Submit & Support

“Let every person be subject to the governing authorities. For there is no authority except from God, and those that exist have been instituted by God. Therefore whoever resists the authorities resists what God has appointed.” Romans 13:1-2

“Be subject for the Lord’s sake to every human institution, whether it be to the emperor as supreme, or to governors as sent by him...Fear God. Honor the emperor.” 1 Peter 2:13-14, 17

“You shall not speak evil of a ruler of your people.” Acts 23:5

“The Lord forbid that I should do this thing to my lord, the Lord’s anointed, to put out my hand against him...” 1 Samuel 24:6

Exception: Obey God First: *“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.”*

“We must obey God rather than men.” Acts 4:19-20 & 5:29

Pray (and Pray!)

“First of all, then, I urge that supplications, prayers, intercessions, and thanksgivings be made for all people, for kings and all who are in high positions, that we may lead a peaceful and quiet life, godly and dignified in every way. This is good, and it is pleasing in the sight of God our Savior, who desires all people to be saved and to come to the knowledge of the truth.” 1 Timothy 2:1-4

Remember Your Real Citizenship

“But our citizenship is in heaven, and from it we await a Savior, the Lord Jesus Christ.” Philippians 3:20

“You joyfully accepted the plundering of your property, since you knew that you yourselves had a better possession and an abiding one.” Hebrews 10:34

“These all died in faith, not having received the things promised, but having seen them and greeted them from afar, and having acknowledged that they were strangers and exiles on the earth...they desire a better country, that is, a heavenly one. Therefore God is not ashamed to be called their God, for he has prepared for them a city.” Hebrews 11:13 & 16

“Let us be grateful for receiving a kingdom that cannot be shaken.” Hebrews 12:28

“For here we have no lasting city, but we seek the city that is to come.” Hebrews 13:14

Trust God

“I know that you can do all things, and that no purpose of yours can be thwarted.” Job 42:2

“For we walk by faith, not by sight.” 2 Corinthians 5:7