



#8: Back to Reality

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» Watch

Watch the sermon. As you watch, take notes on anything that stands out to you. Pay careful attention to the context of the biblical text, insights and principles highlighted, and any supporting scripture mentioned.

KEY TAKEAWAYS

Four responsibilities a follower of Christ must live out in the present world:

- Keep Order
- Pursue Peace
- Be Responsible
- Show Love

» Talk It Through

1. Think of a time when a group or team you were part of had no clear leadership or structure. What happened? How did people respond—was it frustrating, chaotic, or did things still work out?
2. When you think about keeping order, pursuing peace, being responsible, and showing love, which one do you see being most neglected in churches today? Why do you think that happens?
3. If someone observed how you interact with others—at church, work, school or home—which of these four responsibilities would they say you're strongest in? Which one might they say you struggle with?
4. If you had to intentionally practice one of these responsibilities this week, what would it be? What's one small but real way you can live it out starting today?

» Pray

Close your time together with prayer.