

Why God Requires Respect for Authority

1. Respect for Spiritual Authority is required by God.

Hebrews 13:7, 17, 24

2. Respect for Civil Authority is required by God.

Romans 13:1-7; I Tim. 2:1-3; Titus 3:1;

I Peter 2:13-17

A. Why does God require that respect?

1. Because all authority is from God.

Dan. 4:17, 25, 32; 5:21; John 19:11

2. As Christians we are not to be involved in riots,
etc. **Romans 13:13; I Peter 4:4; II Peter 2:13**

3. By our respect to all, we may help some to be
saved. **I Tim. 2:4; II Peter 3:9**

3. We must not get caught up in the spirit of the world.

I John 2:15-17; Romans 12:2 Proverbs 14:34