

Jesus further presses the issue of authority with His parable. What does the tenants' rebellion against the owner reveal about their view of authority? How is our authority different than God's authority and how does this impact how we live our lives? What are some ways – big or small – that you ignore, rebel against or try to usurp God's authority in your life?

You know it is a bad day when you get “the look” from Jesus. Summarize Jesus's point of the stone metaphor in verses 17-18 in your own words. What is He trying to teach us here? How do these verses give us hope as we follow Jesus?

3. APPLY THE TRUTH

By what authority are you living your life? How do you need to repent of trying to usurp God's authority over your life?



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Luke 20:1-18

BY WHAT _____ AM I LIVING MY _____?

I. Jesus's authority is beyond my _____. – v. 1-8

II. Jesus's authority stands above my _____. – v. 9-16

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SMALL GROUP QUESTIONS

1. CONNECT TO THE TEXT

Growing up as kids we long to be in authority over our friends, our siblings, even just ourselves. When was the first time you remember really feeling like you finally had authority over your own life? Perhaps a moment of independence in your childhood, or when you got your license, or when you went to college or moved out? How did that make you feel and how did it change the way you lived your life?

2. ASSESS YOUR LIFE

Read Luke 20:1-18. Jesus has another classic throw down with the religious leaders. Of all the ways they could have challenged Him, why do you think they chose "authority"? What did their answer to Jesus's question reveal about their own questions? What is the difference between a sincere question and a leading question? When have you questioned God and which category does your questioning of Him fall into?

III. Jesus's authority is unchanged by my _____. – v. 17-18

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Last Week: \$7.751

This Month: \$0

Last Month: \$47,594

Monthly Budget: \$54,740

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