

THE CHRISTIAN'S PASTOR
Hebrews 13:17-19, 22

- I. FOLLOW THE PASTOR'S LEADERSHIP (v. 17)
 - A. Requirement—*Obey those who rule over you, and be submissive...*
 - B. Reasons—*for they watch out for your souls, as those who must give account...*
 - C. Results—*Let them do so with joy and not with grief, for that would be unprofitable for you.*
- II. PRAY FOR THE PASTOR'S MINISTRY (vv. 18-19)
 - A. Pray for the Pastor's Reputation (v. 18)—*in all things desiring to live honorably.*
 - B. Pray for the Pastor's Relationships (v. 19).—*that I may be restored to you sooner.*
- III. RECEIVE THE PASTOR'S TEACHING (v. 22)
 - A. Receiving the Word is Always a Discipline.—*And I appeal to you, brethren, bear with...*
 - B. Receiving the Word is Often Difficult.—*bear with the word of exhortation*