

Living: Part One

1 Thessalonians 5:12-15 (p. 837)
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- Everyone has a boss. Hebrews 13:17; Ephesians 6:1 (p. 853; 829)

  - Highly regarded leaders are respectable, hard working, godly, truth-tellers. 1 Peter 5:1-5; Acts 6:3-4 (p. 859; 774)

  - Respecting earthly leadership is a fact; respecting spiritual leadership is a choice.

- Growing under spiritual leadership becomes giving out spiritual wisdom.
  Matthew 12:34 (p. 690)

  - Warn the idle: God hits moving targets.
    Proverbs 10:4, 20:4, 20:13 (p. 455; 462; 463)

  - Encourage the timid: Be specific and sincere. Hebrews 10:25 (p. 851)

  - Be patient with everyone from top to bottom.
    2 Thessalonians 3:11-12; Galatians 5:16; Ephesians 4:2 (p. 838; 826; 828)