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IS IT EVER RIGHT TO RESIST GOVERNMENT RULES?

Acts 4:1-20 ; 5:27-32; Romans 13:1-2 ESV)..... Daniel 6:1-10
While God ordained the institution of governments, they are made up of man-selected men and women. We might underestimate the presence and power of evil and godless decisions among those earthly leaders.

So is it ever right to resist the law? If so, when? How?

1– The RESPONSIBILITIES of governments and the governed...

2– The ROLE of the church in any society...

3–The Biblical REASONS some government mandates must be resisted...

- When governments mandate worshipping another god rather than YAHWEH/JESUS.
- When governments forbid the worship of YAHWEH/JESUS.
- When governments would silence the church being a conscience for society.
- When governments forbid gospel ministry.
- When governments order crimes against humanity.



*While times and circumstances **at times** may call for resistance, the Christian must be sure that the criteria for doing so fits within Biblical parameters and is done in a Christian spirit.*

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