SERMON OUTLINE

Honoring your spiritual leaders 1 Thessalonians 5:12-13

- I. Understand and appreciate the spiritual leaders of your church (5:12).
 - A. Appreciate their hard work (1 Timothy 5:17).
 - B. Appreciate the responsibility they bear to lead you spiritually (1 Peter 5: 1-4; Hebrews 13:17).
 - C. Appreciate that they must sometimes say "hard things" (5:14; Acts 20:28; Titus 3:10-11).
- II. Respect and love the spiritual leaders of your church because of their work (5:13a; Hebrews 13:7).
- III. Make their ministry more joyful by living in peace with each other (5:13b; Hebrews 13:17).

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