

“God has all life, glory, goodness, blessedness, in and of Himself . . . ”
(Westminster Confession of Faith 2.2a)

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AN OUTLINE FOR TODAY'S SERMON

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STRANGE SOVEREIGNTY

Jeremiah 27:1-11

I. Doctrine: Civil (and spiritual) “*Bonds and Yokes*” are

_____ in this World

A. –Sinners Tend to _____ themselves with notions of grandeur . . . , (Isa. 65:5)

B. . . . But God *Only* Knows what is _____ for His Church, (Gen. 50:20)

II. The _____ of *Strange Sovereignty*, vv. 1-11

A. –It is Based on God’s _____, and Not Man’s Self-Righteousness, vv. 1-6

B. –Submission under it is Really _____ in God, vv. 7-8

C. –Even Zealous Religious _____ Cannot Thwart it, vv. 9-11

III. The _____ to the Contemporary Church

A. _____ Against Civil Authority is More Rebellion, than Godliness, (Rom. 13:1)

B. Though Submission is _____, it is Christ-Honoring, (1 Pet. 3:14-17)

Key Verse—v. 5: “*I have made the earth, the man and the beast that are on the ground, by My great power and by My outstretched arm, and have given it to whom it seemed proper to Me.*”

NOTES & APPLICATIONS:

Aim: To Submit to God—especially when it is hard—knowing that Good will Follow