

Seeking the Peace of the City

The Bible, Political Parties and Oregon Measures 64 & 65

Living In Exile, Part Five

Sermon Outline by Pastor Dennis Tuuri, September 14, 2008

1. Seek the Peace of the City: Her. 29:7 Command, Goal, Mechanisms
Islam – Different Goal and Mechanism; Theonomy's Controversial Aspect
Isa. 8:19,20

2. The Bible and the Age of Majority – Measure 54
Exo. 30:14; 38:26; Numbers 1:2,3,18; 14:29; 26:2; 2 Chr. 25:5

Ruling Age: 25 or 30 Numbers 4:2,3, 23, 30, 35, 43,47; 8:23-26; 1 Chr. 23:3

3. The Bible and Taxation – Measures 56, 59
Consent
 Consent, Freedom and Responsibility
 Consent and Contractual Relationship
 Consent and Representation as Means
 Consent, Clarity and Price (Leicester under Norman Rulers)
 Consent, Justice and Fairness

Envy and Statism

Political Action as Religion

4. The Bible and Party Spirit – 1 Cor. 1

5. The **Application** of Command, Goal, and Mechanism to Oregon's Ballot Measures
 - A. Measure 65 – Creates one open primary for most elections
 - B. Measure 64 – Eliminates unions' use of taxpayer resources to collect funds