

NATURAL LAW—PRINCIPLES FROM CREATION
GENESIS 1:1-2:25 Part 2

III. PRINCIPLES FROM CREATION - NATURAL LAW (continued from previous message)

Further implications from Principles

R. All government hinges upon self-government

S. Self-government is obedience to God

1. By doing what he says to do

2. By not doing what he prohibits

3. Relationally, living with others as He lives with us - justice, mercy and love

4. Using His Word, will and character as our standard

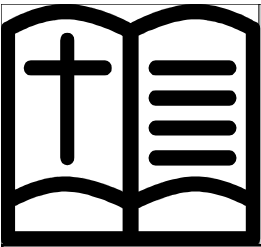
T. Family government is the foundational group government in God's economy

1. The family functions as a team to accomplish the revealed will of God

2. It is governed by a complementary team of a husband and a wife

3. The husband is the responsible head of the household giving direction to the family according to God's revealed will and his gifting

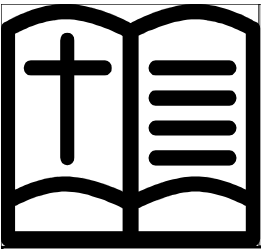
4. The wife, following the husband's direction, using her complementary



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- gifts assists in what is necessary to accomplish the revealed will of God*
- 5. As a mutually functioning team they encourage and remind each other of the revealed will of God and the need to follow it supremely*
 - 6. They are not simply a task-oriented couple but live together in a relationship that reflects the one with their Creator*
 - 7. Their relationship is a union so close as to be called “one flesh” and is one of a self-governing authority separate from but interdependent with one’s parents.*
 - 8. Part of their role is to bring more humans into the world who they train and educate to be self-governing, interdependent families doing the revealed will of God*
 - 9. The effectiveness and efficiency of any family is dependent upon the self-governing of each of its members.*
- U. Multiple families living in a region need little or no governing except*
- 1. By mutual consent and respect and*
 - 2. By agreement to abide by God’s law*
 - 3. After the fall, for protection and securing God’s blessings*



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LAW (continued from previous message)**

Further implications from Principles

R. All *g* _____ hinges upon *s* _____ -

g _____

S. Self-government is *o* _____ to God

1. By *d* _____ what he says to *d* _____

2. By *n* _____ doing what he *p* _____

3. Relationally, living with others as He
lives with us - *j* _____, *m* _____ and *l* _____

4. Using His Word, will and character as
our *s* _____

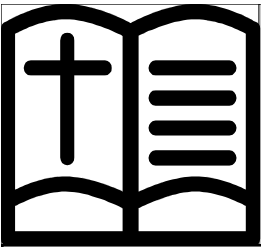
T. *F* _____ government is the *f* _____
group government in God's economy

1. The family functions as a *t* _____ to
a _____ the revealed will of God

2. It is governed by a *c* _____ team
of a *h* _____ and a *w* _____

3. The husband is the *r* _____ head of
the household giving *d* _____ to the
family according to God's revealed will
and his *g* _____

4. The wife, *f* _____ the husband's
direction, using her complementary



- gifts a _____ in what is necessary to accomplish the revealed will of God
5. As a m _____ functioning team they e _____ and r _____ each other of the revealed will of God and the need to follow it s _____
 6. They are not simply a t _____ -o _____ couple but live together in a r _____ that r _____ the one with their Creator
 7. Their relationship is a u _____ so close as to be called "one flesh" and is one of a self-governing authority s _____ from but i _____ with one's parents.
 8. Part of their role is to bring m _____ humans into the world who they t _____ and e _____ to be self-governing, interdependent families doing the revealed will of God
 9. The e _____ and e _____ of any family is d _____ upon the s _____ -g _____ of each of its members.
- U. M _____ families living in a region need l _____ or n _____ governing except
1. By m _____ c _____ and r _____ and
 2. By a _____ to abide by God's law
 3. After the fall, for p _____ and s _____ God's blessings