Obeying God, Not Men

Acts 5:17-29 (series #22)

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Matthew 15:3, 22:29 Mark 7:8-9, 13

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Numbers 32:23
Galatians 6:7

The Response of the Apostles - "we'll obey God" v. 29

I Corinthians 4:3 Galatians 1:10 John 17:4 Acts 20:19