

A photograph of a simple stone altar made of rectangular blocks, standing in front of a rustic wall constructed from irregular stones. The ground is a mix of dirt and small stones. The word "ALTARS" is overlaid in large, bold, yellow capital letters.

# ALTARS

*“I lay down my life”*



Today

# Giving to Caesar...

*Romans 13:1-7*

**A L T A R S**

>The Biblical purposes of the State  
*“What belongs to Caesar?”*

**A L T A R S**

# And Giving to God...

*Mark 12:13-17*

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To put it another way...

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## *Romans 12:1*

Therefore, I urge you, brothers and sisters, in view of God's mercy, to offer your bodies as a living sacrifice, holy and pleasing to God—this is your true and proper worship.

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# The Christian's relationship with the State...

*“What belongs to God?”*

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>The benefits we should desire

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>The privileges we don't exercise  
*"Use it or lose it"*

**A L T A R S**

>A trustworthy saying:  
“We always receive the leadership  
we deserve.”

**A L T A R S**



>The reasons we groan

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>The temptations we must resist

**ALTARS**