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Knowledge is Power

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Francis Bacon and Beyond

- Francis Bacon wrote *Meditationes Sacrae* in 1597 and was an English Philosopher who would eventually influence Robert Hooke, an important scientist, and Thomas Jefferson, an important American politician.
- Thomas Jefferson equated knowledge with power, safety, and happiness in an 1817 letter to George Ticknor

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History Part One

- The book of Romans is a letter written by Paul to approximately 6-10 house churches in Rome. It was likely composed during Paul's third missionary journey between 50 and 60 AD. The book consists of 16 chapters. The letter was written while Paul was staying in Corinth

Quick Rundown

- 1 Timothy 4:13 Until I come, devote yourself to the public reading of Scripture, to exhortation, to teaching.
- 2 Timothy 3:16 All Scripture is breathed out by God and profitable for teaching, for reproof, for correction, and for training in righteousness
- Luke 24:45 Then he opened their minds to understand the Scriptures
- Colossians 3:16 Let the word of Christ dwell in you richly, teaching and admonishing one another in all wisdom, singing psalms and hymns and spiritual songs, with thankfulness in your hearts to God.

Tennessee v. Garner (1985)

- Law enforcement officers may not use deadly force to prevent the escape of a fleeing suspect **unless** they have **probable cause** to believe that the suspect poses a significant threat of death or serious physical injury to the officer or others. The decision set significant limitations on the use of deadly force by police, emphasizing the importance of the Fourth Amendment rights against unreasonable seizures

Terry v. Ohio (1968)

- The case dealt with the 'stop and frisk' practice of police officers, and whether or not it violates the U.S. Constitution's Fourth Amendment protection from unreasonable searches and seizures. The court ruled that it is constitutional for American police to "stop and frisk" a person they reasonably suspect to be armed and involved in a crime

Pennsylvania v. Mimms

- A police officer ordering a person out of a car following a traffic stop and conducting a pat-down to check for weapons **did not** violate the Fourth Amendment to the United States Constitution.

Miranda v. Arizona (1966)

- Under the Fifth Amendment, any statements that a defendant in custody makes during an interrogation are admissible as evidence at a criminal trial only if law enforcement told the defendant of the right to remain silent and the right to speak with an attorney before the interrogation started, and the rights were either exercised or waived in a knowing, voluntary, and intelligent manner.

1 Kings 3:1 – 15

- 9Give your servant therefore an understanding mind to govern your people, that I may discern between good and evil, for who is able to govern this your great people?”
- This is your homework assignment! No Cheating!

Conclusion

- READ THE BIBLE
- Don't forget your homework assignment: Read 1 Kings 3:1 – 15
- Don't break the law