

TITUS

Setting the Church in order:

Teaching us to observe sound doctrine

Titus 2:1-10 NKJV Paul tell Titus

“To speak things that are of sound doctrine.”

1. When we grow in Biblical principles sound doctrine our behavior changes.

A. vs 2 That the older men be sober, reverent, temperate, **sound in faith**, in love, in patience.

- a. Sound Words _____
- b. Sound Speech _____
- c. Sound Mind. _____
- d. Sound in Faith _____

B. vs 3 Older women be **reverent in behavior**, not slanderers, not given to much wine, teachers of good things.

Reverent Attitude toward God, honor Him, obey His word.

C. vs 4-5 **Admonish** the young women to love their husbands, to love their children, to be discreet, chaste, homemakers, good obedient to their own husbands, that the word of God may not be blasphemed.

D. vs 6-8 Exhort the young men to be **sober-minded** in all things showing yourself to be a pattern of good works; in **doctrine**, showing integrity, reverence, incorruptibility, **sound in speech** that cannot be condemned, that one who is an opponent may be ashamed, **having nothing evil to say of you.**

Sober minded – living with eternity in view

E. vs 9-10 Exhort bondservants to be obedient to their own masters, to be well pleasing in all things, not answering back, 10 not pilfering, but showing all good fidelity, that they may adorn the doctrine of God our Savior in all things.

TITUS

2. God's grace brought Salvation

Titus 2:11-12

“For the “**Grace of God**” that brings salvation has appeared to all men **teaching us** that, denying ungodliness and worldly lust, we should live soberly, righteously, and godly in the present age.”

Ephesians 2:8-10 NKJV

“For by grace you have been saved through faith, and that not of yourselves; it is the gift of God, not of works, lest anyone should boast. For we are His workmanship created in Christ Jesus for good works, which God prepared beforehand that we should walk in them.”

3. Get our home in order for the return of Christ.

Looking for the **blessed hope** and **glorious appearing** of our great **God and Savior Jesus Christ**, who gave Himself for us, that He might redeem us from every lawless deed and purify for Himself His own special people, zealous for good works.

Application:

Do you truly love Christ? Do you look forward to His return?

If you truly understand grace, you will desire godly living and will be eager to do “good works”.

What has God “**Entrusted**” to you today to serve and love others?