

# TITUS PRIMER | "THE THINGS WHICH BECOME SOUND DOCTRINE" | TITUS 2:1-10 | LESSON 7

## ① REVIEW/INTRO:

### ① Exhort and Convince Gainsayers

(a) Many unruly, vain talkers, deceivers (especially of circumcision) } filthy liars  
 • subvert houses (teaching things they ought not)

• mouths must be stopped

• rebuke them sharply (something the circumcision are not doing)

• "always liars"

• "evil beasts"

• "slow bellies"

• sound in the faith (the Creteans, not the circumcision)

↳ opposite - ① Jewish fables ② commandments of men - turn from the truth (Creteans are)

### ② Unto the pure all things are pure

• pure inwardly other things are pure

• unto them that are defiled and unbelieving is nothing pure

• ISA. 29:13 - fear taught by precepts of men

• MAT. 15:1-3 (:4-6), 7-11 - make commandment of God of none of effect

• MAT. 23:25-30 - clean outside full of excess inward

• LUKE 11:37-42 - not concerned w/inner

### ③ Profess to know God (ISA. 29:13)

• in works they deny Him

• being abominable

(imagination)

• disobedient

(affections)

• every good work reprobate (works)

## ② REVIEW:

### ① But Speak

### ② Things That Become Sound Doctrine

(a) Aged Men (c) Young Women (e) Servants

(b) Aged Women (d) Young Men

III SERMON:

① "But speak"

1. Titus 2:1: "But speak those things which become sound doctrine:"

1. "but" - that in contrast to what the circumcisers are

- 10 - talking and living
- 14 - the basis from which they teach producing "slow bellies"
  - deny in works

"speak" = exhort, convince, teach, rebuke, give heed

• 9 - the faithful word as taught

• 2 Tim 3:16-17

• 1 Tim 4:14-16

• Php. 4:8-9

• Eph 4:17-24

opposite: what they taught & led

② "the things which become sound doctrine:"

• "the things" - Rom. 8:5, Php. 4:8-9

• "which become" (Mat. 3:15, Eph. 5:3, 1 Tim. 2:10, Heb. 2:10)

↳ fit & suitable

• to pass from one state <sup>or condition</sup> to another or by assuming or receiving new properties or qualities

• worthy of <sup>sound</sup> doctrine

• "sound doctrine" 1 Tim. 6:3

• 2 Tim. 4:3

↳ whole, well (not ill), uncorrupt

(:2) • "that" = speaking things that become sound doctrine PURPOSE

③ "the aged men"

① sober - vigilant (1 Tim. 3:2, 11)

② grave - honest (Php 4:8), 1 Tim. 3:8, 11

③ temperate - self-controlled (1 Cor. 9:25)

• not excessive <sup>(good)</sup> (Eph 5) (Gal 5: fruit)

④ sound in:

Ⓐ faith

Ⓑ charity

Ⓒ patience

(13) ⑥ "The aged women likewise, that they be in behaviour as becometh holiness,

- ① not false accusers - slanderers (diabolos) Sabons) [1 Tim. 3:11] 2 Tim. 3:3
- ② not given to much wine -
- ③ teachers of good things;

(1:4) ⑦

↳ that they may teach the young women to be

- Ⓐ sober
- Ⓑ love their own husbands
- Ⓒ love their children
- Ⓓ discreet - temperate (Joseph) wise in avoiding errors or evil
- Ⓔ keepers at home - *keepership office of a keeper - hold possession ruler at home*
- Ⓕ good
- Ⓖ obedient to their own husbands

↳ isn't just the issue of keeping the home  
 ↳ keeper at home  
 ↳ Gen 2 = keep the garden

(2 Cor. 7:11, 11:2)  
 (Ph.p. 4:8  
 1 Pet. 3:2)

↳ that the word of God be not blasphemed

• you are to be a living epistle

(1:5) ⑧ "Young men likewise exhort"

- ① to be sober minded - Rom. 12:3
- ② in all things shewing thyself a pattern of good works
  - Ⓐ in doctrine shewing uncorruptness - not only doctrine uncorrupt, but manners
  - Ⓑ gravity - honesty, seriousness, sobriety of manners
  - Ⓒ sincerity - honest of intencion (incorruption, immortality (2 Tim. 1:10 life & imm to light)
  - Ⓓ sound speech -

↳ that cannot be condemned

↳ that he that is of the contrary part may be ashamed

↳ having no evil thing to say of you

(1:7) ⑨ "Exhort servants

- ① to be obedient unto their own masters,
- ② to please them well in all things
  - Ⓐ not answering again - spoken against, deny, contradict, gainsay (Tit. 1:9)
  - Ⓑ not purloining - embezzle (Aes 5:2, 3 = kept back), stealing
  - Ⓒ but shewing all good fidelity

↳ that they may adorn the doctrine of God our Saviour in all things