Living Light Titus 2:7-10

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Titus 2:1-10 displays Godly living that will be a light to a lost world. In every stage of life and in every circumstance, Paul provides concrete examples of what a Godly life looks like. It is in stark contrast to the description of false teachers in Titus 1:16 who, "profess to know God, but deny him by their works."

I. Why is Godly living important?

- So that the word of God may not be <u>reviled</u> (v. 5)
- So that an opponent may be put to **shame**, having **nothing evil** to say about us (v. 8)
- So that in everything they may <u>adorn</u> the doctrine of God (v. 10)

II. What does Godly living look like?

- A word from last week
 - o Older men
 - o Older women
 - o Younger women
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 - o Common theme: Self- Control
- A word to <u>Titus</u>- an example disciple-maker
 - o Model good works in everything
 - Are you an example worth following?
 - o In your teaching
 - Show <u>integrity</u>- <u>live</u> what you <u>teach</u>
 - Dignity
 - Sound speech
- A word to slaves
 - o Be submissive
 - o Be well-pleasing
 - Not argumentative
 - Not pilfering
 - Showing yourself to be trustworthy