

PAUL TO A "T" TITUS 2

Pray and ask God to help you to know Him better as you study His Word.

Read the Bible passage (preferably without using commentaries).

Begin to answer the questions using your own words.

Questions are based on New International Version (NIV) 1984 edition.

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1. What truth, verse or insight from last week's study of **Titus 1** has been helpful to you?

SECTION I: Read Titus 2:1-5

2. According to **V1**, teaching should be rooted in what?
3. What are older men to be taught, in **V2**?
4. a) From **V3**, list what the older women are to be taught and why these things would be vital in the Church?

b) How does slander affect those within the Church, as well as those outside?
5. a) By whom and what are the younger women to be taught in **V4-5**, and why?

b) Comment on the reason Paul gives for adhering to these teachings (**V5b**)?

6. From **V3-5**, which of these do you struggle with and desire God's help to overcome?

SECTION II: Read Titus 2:6-10

7. What encouragement was Titus to give the younger men (**V6**)?

8. a) According to **V7a**, how was Titus to set an example?

b) In what areas do you feel prompted to set an example in a similar way?

9. In **V7-8**, what instructions was Titus given for teaching and why?

10. a) How were slaves to respond to their masters in **V9-10a**?

b) What could be the result of living out this sound teaching in **V10**?

11. Describe a past or current "workplace" situation where you witnessed a Christian living out (or not) this pattern.

SECTION III: Read Titus 2:11-15

12. a) In **V11-12**, what causes us to say "no" to ungodliness and "yes" to Godliness?

b) From these verses, what else does grace produce, and how does this broaden your understanding of grace?

13. Share about a recent time when God's grace empowered you to say "no" to "ungodliness and worldly passions."

14. Read **V13** and share your thoughts about "the blessed hope."

15. In **V14**, from what and for what have believers been redeemed?

16. How "eager" are you to do what is good (**V14**)?

17. What final instruction did Paul give Titus in regard to teaching?

18. Write a prayer based on Titus 2.

DIGGING DEEPER

1. In **V13**, we read about "the blessed hope," the glorious appearing of our great God. What do the following Scriptures say about His return and our future?

Matthew 24:36-51 _____

Luke 21:25-27 _____

1 John 3:2 _____

Revelation 2:7 _____

Revelation 21:1-4 _____

Another verse about heaven _____

2. Which of these references produced a fresh anticipation of His return and why?

