

Bible Study, Titus, Week 4

Day: 1

Read Titus 2: 6-10

1. Read the whole piece to get an overview of what this week's studies are about.
2. In verse 6 to 8 Paul is speaking to the young men. First of all he says they have to be "discreet" or as in The Message to live "disciplined" lives. Decide what you think it means and explain it in one sentence.
3. What can the young men use to measure their conduct against to decide whether it is correct?
4. Can they still do that today?

Day: 2

Read Titus 2: 7 and 8

1. Titus has to be an example to the young men in four things of the Christian lifestyle. Name them.
2. How does each of these four things have to be?
3. Give an example of conduct and actions for each of them that is expected of a Christian concerning these cases.
4. Is it only meant for the young men? Motivate.

Day: 3

Read Titus 2: 8

1. Our example is the best way to show others what a Christian life should be like. Why do you think Paul says to Titus that if the people opposed to the Christians cannot say anything against them it will make them ashamed?
2. When do you think a Christian's behavior makes Christ ashamed of him or her?
3. How do our lives measure up?

Day: 4

Read Titus 2: 9 and 10

Paul also has a special word for the slaves. What has been said above holds true for them as well but there is more. Their circumstances are different and as Christians they have special tasks.

1. Name the different attributes their attitude as slaves should have towards their owners.
2. Why will it differ from those of a non-Christian slave?
3. What does it tell us about our attitude towards our employers today? tu

Day: 5

Read Titus 2: 9 and 10

1. Do you think Paul is saying that slavery is right?
2. If not, why is he addressing the slaves?
3. Why do the slaves have to keep the word of God?
4. Does it have any relation to your life?
5. Motivate.

Day: 6 & 7

Read Titus 2: 6-10

1. Spend these two days in revision. Think about the question: Which truth in this week's study was meant especially for me.
2. Decide how you are going to answer God in this matter.