

St. Paul's epistle to Titus | Titus 2:1–10

Verse 1

- After six verses of condemning false teachers and adversaries to the faith, St. Paul reminds Titus (again) to teach sound _____.

Verse 2

- This verse deals with the group of “_____ men.”
- They are to possess four characteristics.
 1. sober-minded (ESV), temperate (NIV), sober (KJV)
 2. dignified (ESV), worthy of respect (NIV), grave (KJV)
 3. self-controlled (ESV, NIV), temperate (KJV)
 4. _____.
 - in _____
 - in _____
 - in _____

Verse 3

- This verse deals with the group of “_____ women.”
- Their work in the congregation is also comprised of four characteristics.
 1. _____ in behavior
 2. Not _____
 3. Not _____ to much wine.
 4. Teacher of what is _____.

Verses 4–5

- These verse deals with the group of “_____ women.”
- This verse also speaks of the benefits that flow out of doing those things listed in the _____ verse.
- Young women are to possess five characteristics, which, interestingly, are to be taught to them by whom? _____
 1. Love their _____ and _____.
 2. Self-controlled (also required of older men in verse 2).
 3. _____. *compare to 2 Corinthians 11:2*
 4. _____ at home.
 5. _____ to their own husbands. How is this different than the first characteristic?
- When benefit flows from doing these things? Nobody _____ the word of God.

Verse 6

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- This verse deals with the group of “_____ men.”
- Only a single characteristic is listed. They are to be _____.
- It's worth noting that the verb in this verse is _____.

Verses 7–8

- In these verses, St. Paul goes on a brief excursus about _____ Titus is to teach “what accords with sound doctrine.”
- First, Titus is to be a _____ for good works in all respects.
- Furthermore, Titus's teaching is to be conducted with the following three characteristics.
 1. integrity (ESV, NIV) uncorruptness (KJV)
 2. dignity (ESV), seriousness (NIV) gravity (KJV) *same word used in verse 2*
 3. sound _____ that cannot be condemned
- What benefits are to be found in conducting his teaching in the manner described by Paul?
 1. That having nothing evil to say about us, the hostile/opponent will be put to _____.

Verses 9–10

- This verse deals with the group of “_____.”
- They are to behave in the following five ways.
 1. _____ to their own masters. *parallel to verse 5*
 2. well-pleasing
 3. Not _____.
 4. Not pilfering
 5. showing all good _____.
- A fourth “purpose clause” appears in verse 10. What is the benefit of a slave doing the behavior outlined here by St. Paul?
 1. It _____ the doctrine of God our Savior.