

Wearing it Well

Titus 2

Background...

- Context of the book (v.1)
- Hebraic Literature
- Similar Patterns (Deut. 6)

But as for you, speak the things which are fitting for sound doctrine.

Older men are to be temperate, dignified, sensible, sound in faith, in love, in perseverance. Older women likewise are to be reverent in their behavior, not malicious gossips

nor enslaved to much wine, teaching what is good, so that they may encourage the young women to love their husbands, to love their children, to be sensible, pure, workers at home, kind, being subject to their own husbands, so that the word of God will not be dishonored.

Likewise urge the young men to be sensible; in all things show yourself to be an example of good deeds, with purity in doctrine, dignified, sound in speech which is beyond reproach, so that the opponent will be put to shame, having nothing bad to say about us.

Urge bondslaves to be subject to their own masters in everything, to be well-pleasing, not argumentative, not pilfering, but showing all good faith so that they will adorn the doctrine of God our Savior in every respect.

For the grace of God has appeared,
bringing salvation to all men, instructing
us to deny ungodliness and worldly
desires and to live sensibly, righteously
and godly in the present age, looking for
the blessed hope and the appearing of
the glory of our great God
and Savior Christ Jesus,

who gave Himself for us to redeem us
from every lawless deed, and to purify
for Himself a people for His own
possession, zealous for good deeds.
These things speak and exhort and
reprove with all authority.
Let no one disregard you.

New Life... (vv.11-14)

- First Appearance (v.11)
- Godly Instruction (v.12)
- Hope of Glory (v. 13)
- Hand-Picked (v.14)

Healthy Living... (vv.2-10)

- Older Men (v.2)
- Older Women (v.3-4)
- Younger Women (v. 4-5)
- Younger Men (& Titus) (v.6-8)
- Bondslaves (v.9-10)

Seeing Results...

- Word of God not dishonored (v.5)
- Opponents put to shame (v.9)
- Adorning sound doctrine (v.10)

What About You?

- Do you Belong?
- Do you look like it?
- Do you want to?

Core Values



Bible Based

The Bible is the only inspired, infallible, and inerrant source of revelation from God, and is the foundation for how we interpret the world around us and the basis for all of our life decisions.



Prayer Powered

Prayer demonstrates our complete dependence on God. Not a formula or form, it is constant communication with Him. Through prayer we seek His direction and strength to accomplish His will.



Family Focused

The family unit was ordained by God as the building block for all human society. We believe the primary environment for biblical instruction is the home, so we support the family by encouraging, protecting, and instructing its member(s) in how to fulfill their role.



Body Building

This church body is a community of faith, a place to belong, to be loved and to show love to others. Therefore we will edify, support, and hold one another accountable to follow Christ's example.