

# TITUS

*Setting in Order Things That are Wanting*

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- Writing to Titus, “Mine own son” (1:4)

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**THEME** “GOOD WORKS”

“High doctrine with low conduct is intolerable to New Testament Christianity.” – J. Sidlow Baxer

1. Works speak louder than words. (1:16)
2. Works make our faith attractive. (2:1, 7-10)
3. Works do not bring salvation, but they are a fruit of salvation. (3:5-8, 14)
  - a. \*Belief does affect Behavior!

## **OUTLINE**

- I. Order in the Church (Ch. 1)
- II. Order in the Home (Ch. 2:1-8)
- III. Order in the World (Ch. 2:9-3:15)

## **KEY WORDS**

- Good works

## **KEY VERSE**

Titus 1:5

“For this cause left I thee in Crete, that thou shouldest set in order the things that are wanting, and ordain elders in every city, as I had appointed thee.”

## **SPECIAL FEATURES**

1. The message of Titus completes the messages of I, II Timothy
  - a. I Timothy 6:20 – Protect the gospel
  - b. II Timothy 4:2 – Preach the gospel
  - c. Titus 2:11-12 – Practice the gospel
2. Titus reveals the timeless work of grace (2:11-13)
  - a. Grace in the past – Salvation
  - b. Grace in the present – Separation
  - c. Grace in the future – Second Coming of Christ

## **CHRIST IN THE BOOK**

1. Our Blessed Hope (2:13)
2. Our Redeemer with purpose (2:14)
3. Our Justifier (3:6-7)