

TITUS...

“Setting in order
what is lacking!

The “Good Works” Book!

The “So That” Book!

TITUS STUDIES...

TWO-FOLD APPLICATION

“Setting Straight What is Lacking”

In Our Church

And In Our Personal Lives

“Setting Straight” ...Our Personal Lives

Three Major Motivations:

SO THAT...

- The Word of God will not be dishonored, 5!
- The opponent will be put to shame,
Having nothing bad to say about us, 8!
- We will adorn the doctrine of God
our Savior in every respect, 10!

“Setting Straight” ...Our Personal Lives

God’s Grace Teaches Us To Live...

- ✓ Negatively: “Deny ungodliness and worldly desires”
- ✓ Positively: “Live sensibly, righteously, godly....”
- ✓ Expectantly...Watchfully: “Looking for the Blessed Hope...”
- ✓ Zealously: “Zealous for good deeds”

Titus 3 Presents a series
of CONTRASTS

TITUS 3 ALSO PRESENTS
GOD'S GREAT SALVATION

But when God's clear message
of salvation is being given,
Satan and the flesh will try to
disrupt the scene!!

RESPONDING TO PROBLEMS, 3:9-11...

Doctrinal Problems, 9

Interpersonal Problems, 10-11.

RESPONDING TO DOCTRINAL PROBLEMS, 3:9

The Nature of the Problems,

- ✓ Foolish Controversies,
- ✓ Genealogies.
- ✓ Strife
- ✓ Disputes about the Law.

LOOK AT SIMILAR DOCTRINAL PROBLEMS...

- ✓ Acts 15:1-2
- ✓ Galatians 2:16; 3:1-3, 5
- ✓ Colossians 2:8
- ✓ 1 Timothy 1:3-7.
- ✓ 1 Timothy 6:3-5.
- ✓ 2 Timothy 2:15-18.
- ✓ Titus 1:10-11, 12-14, 15-16.

RESPONDING TO DOCTRINAL PROBLEMS, 3:9

The Evaluation of the Problems,

- ✓ Unprofitable.
- ✓ Worthless

RESPONDING TO DOCTRINAL PROBLEMS, 3:9

The Command Regarding the Problems,

✓ **Avoid them!**

DOCTRINAL PROBLEMS-ACTION STEPS

Essential Doctrines: Hold them FAST!

Peripheral Doctrines: Hold them with GRACE!

Foolish Doctrines: AVOID THEM!!!

RESPONDING TO INTERPERSONAL PROBLEMS, 3:10-11

The Nature of the Problem,

✓ **Factious man** “Hairetikos” ⇔ “Heretic”

Therefore, this “heretic” is a man who causes division in the church over his own personal views and opinions, thereby creating factions and schisms in the body.

LOOK AT SIMILAR “PEOPLE PROBLEMS”...

- ✓ Acts 20:28-32.
- ✓ 1 Timothy 1:18-20
- ✓ 2 Timothy 1:15
- ✓ 2 Timothy 2:16-17-18
- ✓ 2 Timothy 4:14

RESPONDING TO INTERPERSONAL PROBLEMS,

3:9

The Evaluation of the Problem,

“Such a man” is...

- ✓ Perverted.
- ✓ Sinning
- ✓ Self-condemned

RESPONDING TO INTERPERSONAL PROBLEMS, 3:9

The Command Concerning the Problem,

- ✓ Give warning
- ✓ Give a second warning
- ✓ Reject him!

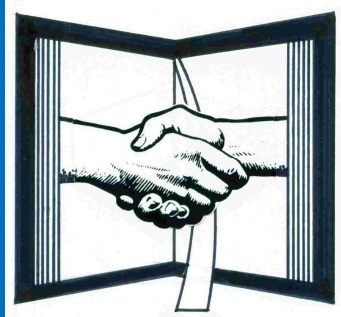
LOOK AT SIMILAR INSTRUCTIONS...

- ✓ Romans 16:17-18
- ✓ Galatians 1:8-9
- ✓ 2 Thessalonians 3:6-15
- ✓ 1 Timothy 4:7
- ✓ 1 Timothy 5:11
- ✓ 2 Timothy 2:23

These people are endangering the
Unity
Purity
Testimony
Of the church,
And that is very serious!.

“Therefore I, the prisoner of the Lord,
implore you to walk in a manner worthy of the
calling with which you have been called,
with all humility and gentleness, with patience,
showing tolerance for one another in love,
being diligent to preserve the unity of the Spirit
in the bond of peace.”

Ephesians 4:1-3.



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