## "From Forgiveness to Faithfulness" Series from II Timothy, Titus and Philemon Lesson Three: "Godly Leadership" (Part Two)

Titus chapter 1

Conquerors Sunday School Class - Sunday, February 27, 2022

Our Lesson's Theme Verse is found in this passage of Scripture...

"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:"

**Titus 1:5** 

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Today's Lesson Thought can be summed up in this one little Question...

"Am I Being The Leader God Desires For Me To Be Today?"

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Lesson: "Godly Leadership"

I : The Greeting

- Titus 1:1-4

II : Godly Leaders

A: Who Are These Leaders?

o Titus 1:5-9

B: What Is The Work Of An Elder?

o I Peter 5:1-2, Acts 20:27-30

C: What Are The Qualifications Required of God for these Elders and Bishops?

- o 1: They were to be blameless before God
  - Titus 1:6, I Timothy 3:2
- o 2: They were to be the Husband of One Wife
  - Titus 1:6, Matthew 19:4-6
- o 3: Faithful Children
  - Titus 1:6
- o 4: Not Self-Willed
  - Titus 1:7a
- o 5: Not Soon Angry
  - Titus 1:7b
- o 6: Not Given to Wine
  - Titus 1:7c, Romans 14:16-18
- o 7: No Striker
  - Titus 1:7d
- o 8: Not Given To Filthy Lucre
  - Titus 1:7e
- o 9: Lover of Hospitality
  - Titus 1:8, John 13:34-35
- o 10: Lover of Good Men
  - Titus 1:8b, Philippians 4:8
- 11: Sober
  - Titus 1:8c
- o 12: Just

- Titus 1:8d, I Corinthians 15:58
- o 13: Holy
  - Titus 1:8e
- o 14: Temperate
  - Titus 1:8f
- o 15: Holding Fast The Word Of God
  - Titus 1:9, Psalm 119:11

III : The Need For Godly Leaders

o Titus 1:10-16

## **Conclusion**:

Titus 1:16 tells us "They profess that they know God; but in works they deny him, being abominable, and disobedient, and unto every good work reprobate."

Oh, that this would never be said of you or me as the spiritual leaders in our homes, our neighborhoods, our Sunday School Class, or any other area in which we minister for the Lord God who has saved us!

Ask yourself this question, dear Conqueror's Class member and child of God, "Am I Being The Leader God Desires For Me To Be Today?"

May you and I choose today to stand up unashamedly for what we know is right as found within the pages of this old Book we call The Holy Word of God!