

Paul's Letter to Titus

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1 Paul ^{strong="G3972"}, a ^{strong="G2532"} servant ^{strong="G1401"} of ^{strong="G2316"} God ^{strong="G2316"}, and ^{strong="G2532"} an ^{strong="G2532"} apostle ^{strong="G0652"} of ^{strong="G2316"} Christ ^{strong="G2424"} ^{strong="G5547"}, according ^{strong="G2596"} to ^{strong="G2596"} the ^{strong="G3588"} faith ^{strong="G4102"} of ^{strong="G2316"} the ^{strong="G3588"} elect ^{strong="G1588"} of ^{strong="G2316"} God ^{strong="G2316"} and ^{strong="G2532"} the ^{strong="G3588"} acknowledging of ^{strong="G2316"} the ^{strong="G3588"} truth ^{strong="G0225"}, which ^{strong="G3588"} is ^{strong="G2316"} according ^{strong="G2596"} to ^{strong="G2596"} godliness ^{strong="G2150"}: ² Unto the ^{strong="G3588"} hope ^{strong="G1680"} of ^{strong="G2316"} life ^{strong="G2222"} everlasting, which ^{strong="G3739"} God ^{strong="G2316"}, who ^{strong="G3739"} lieth not ^{strong="G3739"}, hath promised ^{strong="G1861"} before ^{strong="G4253"} the ^{strong="G3588"} times ^{strong="G5550"} of ^{strong="G2316"} the ^{strong="G3588"} world: ³ But ^{strong="G1161"} hath in ^{strong="G1722"} due ^{strong="G2596"} times ^{strong="G2540"} manifested ^{strong="G5319"} his ^{strong="G0846"} word ^{strong="G3056"} in ^{strong="G1722"} preaching ^{strong="G2782"}, which ^{strong="G3739"} is ^{strong="G2316"} committed to ^{strong="G2596"} me ^{strong="G1473"} according ^{strong="G2596"} to ^{strong="G2596"} the ^{strong="G3588"} commandment ^{strong="G2003"} of ^{strong="G3056"} God ^{strong="G2316"} our ^{strong="G2316"} Saviour: ⁴ To ^{strong="G2596"} Titus ^{strong="G5103"} my ^{strong="G2596"} beloved son ^{strong="G5043"}, according ^{strong="G2596"} to ^{strong="G2596"} the ^{strong="G3588"} common ^{strong="G2839"} faith ^{strong="G4102"}, grace ^{strong="G5485"} and ^{strong="G2532"} peace ^{strong="G1515"} from ^{strong="G0575"} God ^{strong="G2316"} the ^{strong="G3588"} Father ^{strong="G3962"}, and ^{strong="G2532"} from ^{strong="G0575"} Christ ^{strong="G5547"} Jesus ^{strong="G2424"} our ^{strong="G2316"} Saviour. ⁵ For ^{strong="G1722"} this ^{strong="G3778"} cause I ^{strong="G1473"} left ^{strong="G0620"} thee in ^{strong="G1722"} Crete ^{strong="G2914"}, that ^{strong="G2443"} thou shouldst set ^{strong="G1930"} in ^{strong="G1722"} order ^{strong="G2443"} the ^{strong="G3588"} things ^{strong="G3778"} that ^{strong="G2443"} are ^{strong="G3778"} wanting, and ^{strong="G2532"} shouldst ordain priests in ^{strong="G1722"} every ^{strong="G2596"} city ^{strong="G4172"}, as ^{strong="G5613"} I ^{strong="G1473"} also ^{strong="G2532"} appointed ^{strong="G2525"} thee: ⁶ If ^{strong="G1487"} any ^{strong="G5100"} be ^{strong="G1510"} without ^{strong="G3361"} crime, the ^{strong="G2192"} husband ^{strong="G0435"} of ^{strong="G0435"} one ^{strong="G1520"} wife ^{strong="G1135"}, having ^{strong="G2192"} faithful ^{strong="G4103"} children ^{strong="G5043"}, not ^{strong="G3361"} accused ^{strong="G2724"}

of ⁷ riot, or ⁷ unruly.
 For ⁷ a ⁷ bishop must ⁷
 be ⁷ without ⁷ crime, as ⁷
 the ⁷ steward ⁷ of ⁷
 God ⁷: not ⁷ proud, not ⁷
 subject to ⁷ anger, not ⁷ given
 to ⁷ wine ⁷, no ⁷ striker,
 not ⁷ greedy of ⁷ filthy lucre: ⁸
 But ⁷ given to ⁷ hospitality, gentle, sober,
 just ⁷, holy ⁷, continent: ⁹ Embracing
 that ⁷ faithful ⁷ word ⁷
 which ⁷ is ⁷ according ⁷
 to ⁷ doctrine ⁷, that ⁷
 he ⁷ may ⁷ be ⁷
 able ⁷ to ⁷ exhort ⁷
 in ⁷ sound ⁷ doctrine ⁷,
 and ⁷ to ⁷ convince the ⁷
 gainsayers. ¹⁰ For ⁷ there ⁷
 are ⁷ also ⁷ many ⁷
 disobedient, vain talkers ⁷, and ⁷ seducers:
 especially ⁷ they ⁷ who ⁷
 are ⁷ of ⁷ the ⁷
 circumcision ⁷: ¹¹ Who ⁷
 must ⁷ be ⁷ reprov'd, who ⁷
 subvert whole ⁷ houses, teaching ⁷
 things ⁷ which ⁷ they ⁷
 ought ⁷ not ⁷, for ⁷ filthy
 lucre's sake ⁷. ¹² One ⁷ of ⁷
 them ⁷ a ⁷ prophet ⁷
 of ⁷ their ⁷ own ⁷,
 said ⁷, The ⁷ Cretians are ⁷
 always ⁷ liars ⁷, evil ⁷
 beasts ⁷, slothful bellies. ¹³ This ⁷
 testimony ⁷ is ⁷ true ⁷.
 Wherefore rebuke ⁷ them ⁷
 sharply ⁷, that ⁷ they ⁷
 may ⁷ be ⁷ sound ⁷
 in ⁷ the ⁷ faith ⁷; ¹⁴
 Not ⁷ giving ⁷ heed to ⁷
 Jewish ⁷ fables ⁷ and ⁷
 commandments ⁷ of ⁷ men ⁷,
 who ⁷ turn ⁷ themselves
 away ⁷ from ⁷ the ⁷
 truth ⁷. ¹⁵ All ⁷ things ⁷
 are ⁷ clean ⁷ to ⁷
 the ⁷ clean ⁷: but ⁷

to|strong = "G2532" them|strong = "G0846" that|strong = "G3956"
 are|strong = "G3956" defiled|strong = "G3392", and|strong = "G2532"
 to|strong = "G2532" unbelievers|strong = "G0571", nothing|strong = "G3762"
 is|strong = "G3588" clean|strong = "G2513": but|strong = "G1161"
 both|strong = "G2532" their|strong = "G0846" mind|strong = "G3563"
 and|strong = "G2532" their|strong = "G0846" conscience|strong = "G4893"
 are|strong = "G3956" defiled|strong = "G3392". ¹⁶ They|strong = "G2532"
 profess|strong = "G3670" that|strong = "G3956" they|strong = "G2532"
 know|strong = "G1492" God|strong = "G2316": but|strong = "G1161"
 in|strong = "G2316" their|strong = "G2532" works|strong = "G2041"
 they|strong = "G2532" deny|strong = "G0720" him|strong = "G2532";
 being|strong = "G1510" abominable, and|strong = "G2532" incredulous,
 and|strong = "G2532" to|strong = "G4314" every|strong = "G3956"
 good|strong = "G0018" work|strong = "G2041" reprobate.

2But|strong = "G1161" speak|strong = "G2980" thou the|strong = "G3588"
 things|strong = "G3739" that|strong = "G3739" become
 sound|strong = "G5198" doctrine|strong = "G1319": ² That|strong = "G1510"
 the|strong = "G3588" aged|strong = "G4246" men|strong = "G4586"
 be|strong = "G1510" sober, chaste, prudent|strong = "G4998",
 sound|strong = "G5198" in|strong = "G4102" faith|strong = "G4102",
 in|strong = "G4102" love|strong = "G0026", in|strong = "G4102"
 patience|strong = "G5281". ³ The|strong = "G1722" aged
 women|strong = "G4247", in|strong = "G1722" like manner|strong = "G5615",
 in|strong = "G1722" holy attire, not|strong = "G3361" false accusers,
 not|strong = "G3361" given to|strong = "G1722" much|strong = "G4183"
 wine|strong = "G3631", teaching|strong = "G2567" well: ⁴
 That|strong = "G2443" they|strong = "G1510" may|strong = "G2443" teach
 the|strong = "G3588" young|strong = "G3501" women to|strong = "G2443"
 be|strong = "G1510" wise, to|strong = "G2443" love|strong = "G5362"
 their|strong = "G5362" husbands|strong = "G5362", to|strong = "G2443"
 love|strong = "G5362" their|strong = "G5362" children|strong = "G5388", ⁵
 To|strong = "G2443" be|strong = "G2316" discreet, chaste|strong = "G0053",
 sober, having a|strong = "G2316" care of|strong = "G3056"
 the|strong = "G3588" house, gentle, obedient|strong = "G5293"
 to|strong = "G2443" their|strong = "G2398" husbands|strong = "G0435",
 that|strong = "G2443" the|strong = "G3588" word|strong = "G3056"
 of|strong = "G3056" God|strong = "G2316" be|strong = "G2316"
 not|strong = "G3361" blasphemed|strong = "G0987". ⁶
 Young|strong = "G3501" men, in|strong = "G3588" like
 manner|strong = "G5615", exhort|strong = "G3870" that|strong = "G3870"
 they be sober. ⁷ In|strong = "G1722" all|strong = "G3956"
 things|strong = "G3956" shew thyself an example of|strong = "G2041"
 good|strong = "G2570" works|strong = "G2041", in|strong = "G1722"
 doctrine|strong = "G1319", in|strong = "G1722" integrity,

in|strong = "G1722" gravity, ⁸ The|strong = "G3588"
 sound|strong = "G5199" word|strong = "G3056" that|strong = "G2443"
 can|strong = "G3004" not|strong = "G3367" be|strong = "G2192" blamed:
 that|strong = "G2443" he|strong = "G3004", who|strong = "G3588"
 is|strong = "G3588" on|strong = "G1537" the|strong = "G3588"
 contrary|strong = "G1727" part|strong = "G1473", may|strong = "G2443"
 be|strong = "G2192" afraid, having|strong = "G2192" no|strong = "G3367"
 evil|strong = "G5337" to|strong = "G2443" say|strong = "G3004"
 of|strong = "G1537" us|strong = "G3004". ⁹ Exhort
 servants|strong = "G1401" to|strong = "G1722" be|strong = "G1510"
 obedient|strong = "G5293" to|strong = "G1722" their|strong = "G3956"
 masters|strong = "G1203", in|strong = "G1722" all|strong = "G3956"
 things|strong = "G3956" pleasing|strong = "G2101", not|strong = "G3361"
 gainsaying: ¹⁰ Not|strong = "G3361" defrauding, but|strong = "G0235"
 in|strong = "G1722" all|strong = "G3956" things|strong = "G3956" shewing
 good|strong = "G0018" fidelity, that|strong = "G2443" they|strong = "G1722"
 may|strong = "G2443" adorn|strong = "G2885" the|strong = "G3956"
 doctrine|strong = "G1319" of|strong = "G2316" God|strong = "G2316"
 our|strong = "G2316" Saviour in|strong = "G1722" all|strong = "G3956"
 things|strong = "G3956": ¹¹ For|strong = "G1063" the|strong = "G3956"
 grace|strong = "G5485" of|strong = "G2316" God|strong = "G2316"
 our|strong = "G2316" Saviour hath appeared|strong = "G2014"
 to|strong = "G0444" all|strong = "G3956" men|strong = "G0444"; ¹²
 Instructing|strong = "G3811" us|strong = "G1722", that|strong = "G2443",
 denying|strong = "G0720" ungodliness|strong = "G0763"
 and|strong = "G2532" worldly|strong = "G2886" desires|strong = "G1939",
 we|strong = "G2249" should|strong = "G2443" live|strong = "G2198" soberly,
 and|strong = "G2532" justly|strong = "G1346", and|strong = "G2532"
 godly|strong = "G2153" in|strong = "G1722" this|strong = "G3588"
 world|strong = "G0165", ¹³ Looking|strong = "G4327" for|strong = "G2316"
 the|strong = "G3588" blessed|strong = "G3107" hope|strong = "G1680"
 and|strong = "G2532" coming of|strong = "G2316" the|strong = "G3588"
 glory|strong = "G1391" of|strong = "G2316" the|strong = "G3588"
 great|strong = "G3173" God|strong = "G2316" and|strong = "G2532"
 our|strong = "G2316" Saviour Jesus|strong = "G2424"
 Christ|strong = "G5547", ¹⁴ Who|strong = "G3739" gave|strong = "G1325"
 himself|strong = "G1438" for|strong = "G5228" us|strong = "G1325",
 that|strong = "G3739" he|strong = "G2532" might|strong = "G2532"
 redeem|strong = "G3084" us|strong = "G1325" from|strong = "G0575"
 all|strong = "G3956" iniquity, and|strong = "G2532" might|strong = "G2532"
 cleanse|strong = "G2511" to|strong = "G2443" himself|strong = "G1438"
 a|strong = "G1325" people|strong = "G2992" acceptable, a|strong = "G1325"
 pursuer of|strong = "G0575" good|strong = "G2570" works|strong = "G2041".
¹⁵ These|strong = "G3778" things|strong = "G3778" speak|strong = "G2980",
 and|strong = "G2532" exhort|strong = "G3870" and|strong = "G2532"
 rebuke|strong = "G1651" with|strong = "G3326" all|strong = "G3956"

authority|strong = "G2003". Let|strong = "G4065" no|strong = "G3367"
man|strong = "G3778" despise thee.

3 Admonish them|strong = "G0846" to|strong = "G4314"
be|strong = "G1510" subject|strong = "G5293" to|strong = "G4314" princes
and|strong = "G3956" powers|strong = "G1849", to|strong = "G4314"
obey|strong = "G3980" at|strong = "G4314" a|strong = "G1510" word,
to|strong = "G4314" be|strong = "G1510" ready|strong = "G2092"
to|strong = "G4314" every|strong = "G3956" good|strong = "G0018"
work|strong = "G2041". ² To|strong = "G4314" speak evil|strong = "G0987"
of|strong = "G3956" no|strong = "G3367" man|strong = "G0444",
not|strong = "G3367" to|strong = "G4314" be|strong = "G1510" litigious,
but|strong = "G0444" gentle|strong = "G1933": shewing all|strong = "G3956"
mildness towards all|strong = "G3956" men|strong = "G0444". ³
For|strong = "G1063" we|strong = "G2249" ourselves|strong = "G2249"
also|strong = "G2532" were|strong = "G1510" some time|strong = "G4218"
unwise, incredulous, erring|strong = "G4105", slaves|strong = "G1398"
to|strong = "G2532" divers desires|strong = "G1939" and|strong = "G2532"
pleasures|strong = "G2237", living in|strong = "G1722"
malice|strong = "G2549" and|strong = "G2532" envy|strong = "G5355",
hateful|strong = "G4767", and|strong = "G2532" hating|strong = "G3404"
one|strong = "G0240" another|strong = "G0240". ⁴ But|strong = "G1161"
when|strong = "G3753" the|strong = "G3588" goodness and|strong = "G2532"
kindness|strong = "G5544" of|strong = "G2316" God|strong = "G2316"
our|strong = "G2316" Saviour appeared|strong = "G2014": ⁵
Not|strong = "G3756" by|strong = "G1722" the|strong = "G3588"
works|strong = "G2041" of|strong = "G1537" justice|strong = "G1343",
which|strong = "G3739" we|strong = "G2249" have|strong = "G2532"
done|strong = "G4160", but|strong = "G0235" according|strong = "G2596"
to|strong = "G2596" his|strong = "G0846" mercy|strong = "G1656",
he|strong = "G2532" saved|strong = "G4982" us|strong = "G4160",
by|strong = "G1722" the|strong = "G3588" laver of|strong = "G1537"
regeneration|strong = "G3824", and|strong = "G2532" renovation
of|strong = "G1537" the|strong = "G3588" Holy|strong = "G0040" Ghost; ⁶
Whom|strong = "G3739" he|strong = "G3739" hath poured forth
upon|strong = "G1909" us|strong = "G1909" abundantly|strong = "G4146",
through|strong = "G1223" Jesus|strong = "G2424" Christ|strong = "G5547"
our|strong = "G2424" Saviour: ⁷ That|strong = "G2443",
being|strong = "G1096" justified|strong = "G1344" by|strong = "G2596"
his|strong = "G2596" grace|strong = "G5485", we|strong = "G3588"
may|strong = "G2443" be|strong = "G1096" heirs|strong = "G2818",
according|strong = "G2596" to|strong = "G2443" hope|strong = "G1680"
of|strong = "G5485" life|strong = "G2222" everlasting. ⁸ It|strong = "G3778"
is|strong = "G1510" a|strong = "G1510" faithful|strong = "G4103"
saying|strong = "G3056": and|strong = "G2532" these|strong = "G3778"

things I will have they in, who believe in God, may be careful in good works. These things are good and profitable unto men. ⁹ But avoid foolish questions, and genealogies, and strivings about the law. For they are unprofitable and vain. ¹⁰ A man that is a heretic, after the first and second admonition, avoid: ¹¹ Knowing that he, that is such, has subverted, and sinneth, being condemned by his own judgment. ¹² When I shall send Artemas or Tychicus, make haste to come unto me to Nicopolis. For there I have determined to winter. ¹³ Send forward Zenas, the lawyer, and Apollo, with care, that nothing be wanting to them. ¹⁴ And let our men also learn to excel in good works for necessary uses: that they be not unfruitful. ¹⁵ All that salute thee: salute them that love us in the faith. The grace of God be with you all. Amen.