

Healthy Older Men

Titus 2:1-2

- I. Elders of the churches protect the content of the faith. (Titus 1)**
- II. Various groups within the church protect the reputation of the faith. (Titus 2)**
 - A. The character qualities which should be found in Christians (2:1-10)

Observations of Titus Chapter 2

1. The chapter contains what ought to be _____ in healthy churches. Verse 1, 6, and 15 include direct commands to Titus to speak, exhort, and rebuke.

2. The chapter includes both _____ a healthy Christian's behavior will include AND _____ it should be that way.
 - "WHY?" is answered in verses 5, 8, and 10 with a _____-looking answer.

 - "WHY?" is answered in verses 11-14 with a _____-looking answer.

3. The chapter addresses various _____ within the church in verses 2-10. This indicates that God has plans for people of all walks of life in the church.

The Shift Toward Healthy Instruction for Every Christian (Titus 2:1)

- Healthy instruction contrasts with contrary _____ and contrary _____.
 - *"Cretans are always liars, evil beasts, lazy gluttons." This testimony is true. (1:12-13)*

 - "teaching things which they ought not" (1:11)
"Jewish fables and commandments of men" (1:14)

- Sound _____ is a result of sound doctrine.
 - "things which are proper for sound doctrine:"

A Lifestyle for Older Men That Fits with Christ (Titus 2:2)

- Why address older men?

- What lifestyle does Christ lead to?
 - 1. sober -**

 - 2. reverent -**

 - 3. temperate -**

 - 4. sound in the faith -**

 - 5. sound in love -**

 - 6. sound in endurance -**