

Kingdom Life from Titus!

Part 7

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~ Titus 2: 11- 15 ~

“For the grace of God that brings salvation has appeared to all men, teaching us that, denying ungodliness and worldly lusts, we should live soberly, righteously, and godly in the present age, looking for the blessed hope and glorious appearing of our great God and Savior Jesus Christ, who gave Himself for us, that He might redeem us from every lawless deed and purify for Himself His own special people, zealous for good works. Speak these things, exhort, and rebuke with all authority. Let no one despise you.”

This is how you live...

- that the Word of God will not be _____.
- that our lifestyle will _____ the Word of God.

Titus 2:1-10 Older men, older women, young men, young women and slaves--- regardless of your status or stage in life, live righteous, holy and godly lives!

- The Gospel is the _____.
- The Kingdom has a King, People and a Land.
- The Kingdom has a _____... But when the Holy Spirit controls our lives, He will produce this kind of fruit in us: love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness, and self-control. Here there is no conflict with the law. Galatians 5:22,23 (NLT)
- The _____ — the vehicle God is using to advance His Kingdom on earth.
- The Church — is made up of people who are bought with the precious blood of Jesus and want to live their lives for Him.

~ Vs. 11 – 15 ~

The Grace of God that brings salvation has appeared...

“Our Savior kneels down and gazes upon the darkest acts of our lives. But rather than recoil in horror, he reaches out in kindness and says, ‘I can clean that if you want.’ And from the basin of his grace, he scoops a palm full of mercy and washes our sin.” – Max Lucado –

“The riches of His free grace cause me to daily triumph over all the temptations of the wicked one, who is very vigilant, and seeks all occasions to disturb me”. – George Whitefield –

“Your worst days are never so bad that you are beyond the reach of God’s grace. And your best days are never so good that you are beyond the need of God’s grace.” – Jerry Bridges –

Grace is...

- a _____
- not earned, is undeserved
- activated by _____
- Jesus Christ
- the only way to be saved, _____
- all of God's favor; every resource of heaven; all God's power; every perfect gift which comes from God
- saved by and justified by

Grace...

1. Brings _____!

- has appeared--epiphany
- every person is _____
- must be _____
- has come to all men on every continent

Intended for every one to hear and _____.

2. _____ us!

A. To _____

- ungodliness
- worldly lusts
- 1 John 2: 15-17

B. To _____

- soberly — inward
- righteously — outward

Godly — upward C. To _____

- a glorious reunion
- a glorious transformation
- a glorious life of happiness
- a glorious world of love, joy and peace
- a glorious reward
- a glorious receiving of responsibility to rule and reign
- a glorious dwelling place/mansion
- a glorious worship experience

The Grace of God teaches us how to live in the world, all the while preparing us to look for the world to come.

3. Demonstrated at _____!

- to _____
- to set us apart – _____
- to stir up good works

The Grace of God says that you are worth dying for!

4. Message to _____!

- speak it
- encourage it
- _____ with it

What is your response to the Grace of God appearing to you? Are you a disciple/student of the Grace of God?