

"Worthless" Unfit to Serve

Titus 1:10-16

The quality of our:

I. Communication –"whose mouths must be stopped" (vs. 10-11) *Speech which is:*

- A. Ins______- "there are many unruly"
- B. Ina_____ "vain talkers and deceivers"
- C. Ins_____ "for filthy lucre's sake"

II. Character – "always liars, evil beasts, slow bellies" (vs. 12-14) *Sincerity in our:*

- A. R______ "a prophet of their own said, the Cretans are..."
- *B. Re______ "That they may be sound in the faith"*
- C. Reg______ "Not giving heed to...commandments of men "

III. Conscience – "their mind & conscience is defiled" (vs. 15-16) Sensitivity in our:

- A. Des_____ "unto the pure all things are pure"
- **B.** *De______ "They profess that they know God"*

C. D_____ – "But in works they deny Him"

Sentence Sermon

Obedience and a clear conscience are essential tools necessary to successfully serve God.

Additional Verses

- ➤ Luke 9:62
- Proverbs 6:16-19; 20:3
- ➤ Titus 3:10
- ➢ I Timothy 4:4
- Matthew 7:15-20
- II John 1:7-8
- Romans 12:18; 16:17
- > I Peter 2:1
- > Acts 20:29-30
- Matthew 18:15
- I Corinthians 6:12
- ➤ Mark 7:15

Questions to Ponder

- 1. What are the key words or phrases in this passage?
- 2. Who are the central characters of the passage?
- 3. Should everyone be allowed to serve God?
- 4. Why do you think that there were "many" Christians that are rebellious?
- 5. How are churches suppose to silence those who are deceivers?
- 6. What is the error of those who are of the circumcision?
- 7. How do false teachers upset whole families?
- 8. What sort of things are money hungry teachers teaching about?
- $\mathcal{9}.~~$ What word or names would others use to describe your character?
- 10. How can believers combat myths and commandments of men?
- 11. What makes someone that is described as "pure" in this passage?
- 12. What has God been working on to make you more fit for service?