

Titus Bible Study: Lesson 2

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Titus 1:4 To Titus, *mine* own son after the common faith: Grace, mercy, *and* peace, from God the Father and the Lord Jesus Christ our Saviour.
5 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:

- I. Message given to Titus
 - A. Won to the Lord by the ministry of Paul
 - B. Common faith: sinner saved by grace
 - C. Grace, mercy and peace is the message
- II. Message is from God
 - A. Father: personal
 - B. Lord: one to be obeyed
 - C. Jesus: our Saviour
 - D. Christ: Messiah sent from God
 - E. Our Saviour: unifying fact for us all
- III. Instruction given
 - A. Set in order the things of the Church
 - B. Ordain elders for each church in each city
 - C. Appointed by authority
- IV. Titus authority is as an evangelist
 - A. Set up local church
 - B. Set up Biblical authority in local church

Ephesians 4:11 And he gave some, apostles; and some, prophets; and some, evangelists; and some, pastors and teachers;

Acts 21:8-9 And the next day we that were of Paul's company departed, and came unto Caesarea: and we entered into the house of Philip the evangelist, which was one of the seven; and abode with him. 9 And the same man had four daughters, virgins, which did prophesy.

2 Timothy 4:1-5 I charge thee therefore before God, and the Lord Jesus Christ, who shall judge the quick and the dead at his appearing and his kingdom; 2 Preach the word; be instant in season, out of season; reprove, rebuke, exhort with all longsuffering and doctrine. 3 For the time will come when they will not endure sound doctrine; but after their own lusts shall they heap to themselves teachers, having itching ears; 4 And they shall turn away their ears from the truth, and shall be turned unto fables. 5 But watch thou in all things, endure afflictions, do the work of an evangelist, make full proof of thy ministry.