

Titus 3:1-11

PART I

{Sunday, January 05, 2014 A.D.}

REFERENCE TEXTS:

Titus 2:1-14 (NASB95)

¹ But as for you, speak **the things** which are **fitting for sound doctrine**. . . .

Titus 2:15 (NASB95)

¹⁵ **These things** speak and **exhort and reprove with all authority**. Let no one disregard you.

FOCUS TEXT:

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¹ Remind **them** to **be subject** to rulers, to authorities, to be **obedient**, to be ready for every **good deed**, ² to malign no one, to be peaceable, gentle, showing every consideration for all men. ³ For we also **once were** foolish ourselves, disobedient, deceived, enslaved to various lusts and pleasures, spending our life in malice and envy, hateful, hating one another.

⁴ But when the **kindness of God** our Savior and *His* love for mankind appeared, ⁵ **He saved us, not on the basis of deeds which we have done in righteousness**, but according to **His mercy**, by the **washing of regeneration** and **renewing by the Holy Spirit**, ⁶ whom He poured out upon us richly through Jesus Christ our Savior, ⁷ so that being **justified by His grace** we would be made heirs according to *the* hope of eternal life. ⁸ This is a trustworthy statement; and **concerning these things I want you to speak confidently**, so that **those who have believed God** will be careful to engage in good deeds. These things are good and profitable for men.

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⁹ But avoid foolish controversies and genealogies and strife and disputes about the Law, for they are unprofitable and worthless.

¹⁰ **Reject a factious man after a first and second warning**, ¹¹ **knowing that such a man is perverted and is sinning, being self-condemned**.

Subject -- a person who is under the dominion or rule of a sovereign and who owes allegiance to him and lives under his protection

