

Grace, Good Deeds and God's Word – Titus 3: 8-11

Relationship – “those who have believed God” – Titus 3:8

Our relationship with God is not on the basis of deeds but of grace. Titus 3:5-7, Rom 5:1-2, Eph. 2:8-10, Gal.2:16, Titus 2:11-14

Deeds testify to the reality of our faith.  
Titus 1:15-16.

- 1:1 – “according to godliness”
- 1:7 – “must be above reproach”
- 1:8 – “hospitable, loving what is good, just, devout”
- 2:2 – “sound in faith, in love, in perseverance”
- 2:3 – “be reverent in their behavior”
- 2:7 – “be an example of good deeds”
- 2:10 – “adorn the doctrine of God”
- 2:12 – “live sensibly, righteously and godly”
- 2:14 – “zealous for good deeds”
- 3:1 – “be ready for every good deed”
- 3:14 – “learn to engage in good deeds”

Our deeds will either dishonor the Word of God – Titus 2:5 – or make the doctrine of God attractive – Titus 2:10

- 1:1 – “the knowledge of the truth”
- 1:2 – “God, who cannot lie, promised long ages ago,”
- 1:3 – “He brought His word to light, through the preaching entrusted to me”
- 1:4 – “a common faith”
- 1:9 – “Holding fast the faithful word, ... able both to exhort in sound doctrine and to refute those who contradict”
- 1:13 – “so that they may be sound in the faith”
- 2:1 – “speak the things which are fitting for sound doctrine”
- 2:3 – “teaching what is good”
- 2:5 – “so that the Word of God will not be dishonored”
- 2:7 – “purity in doctrine”
- 2:10 – “adorn the doctrine of God”
- 2:12 – “instructing us to deny ungodliness”
- 2:15 – “These things speak and exhort”
- 3:1 – “Remind them”
- 3:15 – “in the faith”

Lifestyle

“be careful to devote themselves to doing what is good” – Titus 3:8

God's Word

“The Word is faithful” – Titus 3:8