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Titus 1:1-4

Titus: Guidance for Godliness

Book Structure:

1. Introduction (1:1-4)
2. Titus' Tasks (1:5-16)
3. Vision for a New Household (2:1-15)
4. Vision for a New Humanity (3:1-11)

People can't see that God has changed your life unless your life changes.

God's Order of Transformation:

1. Church
2. Family
3. Society

A discipling church makes strong families that change society.

Discussion Questions:

- 1) Discuss the importance of our relationships with each other in giving and receiving instruction.
- 2) How was ancient Crete similar to or different from modern-day California?
- 3) Discuss the differences between fully assimilating to culture and fully rejecting culture. Is there a middle ground?
- 4) If people didn't know you were a Christian, what about your life would give them a clue that you are? In what areas would you like to make this more obvious?
- 5) Paul calls Titus his "true child in a common faith". What would it look like for us to think of each other in the same familial way?