

Now What?

Titus 2:1-14 (ESV)

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1. **GROW** up.

Titus 2:1-3 ¹ But as for you, teach what accords with sound doctrine. ² Older men are to be sober-minded, dignified, self-controlled sound in faith, in love, and in steadfastness. ³ Older women likewise are to be reverent in behavior not slanderers or slaves to much wine. They are to teach what is good,

Philippians 2:12–13 ¹² Therefore, my beloved, as you have always obeyed, so now, not only as in my presence but much more in my absence, work out your own salvation with fear and trembling, ¹³ for it is God who works in you, both to will and to work for his good pleasure.

2. **SHOW** up.

Titus 2:4-5 ⁴ and so train the young women to love their husbands and children, ⁵ to be self-controlled, pure, working at home, kind, and submissive to their own husbands, that the word of God may not be reviled.

Titus 2:6-8 ⁶ Likewise, urge the younger men to be self-controlled. ⁷ Show yourself in all respects to be a model of good works, and in your teaching show integrity, dignity, ⁸ and sound speech that cannot be condemned, so that an opponent may be put to shame, having nothing evil to say about us.

Matthew 5:16 ¹⁶ In the same way, let your light shine before others, so that they may see your good works and give glory to your Father who is in heaven.

3. Look up.

Titus 2:11-14 ¹¹ For the grace of God has appeared, bringing salvation for all people, ¹² training us to renounce ungodliness and worldly passions, and to live self-controlled, upright, and godly lives in the present age, ¹³ waiting for our blessed hope, the appearing of the glory of our great God and Savior Jesus Christ, ¹⁴ who gave himself for us to redeem us from all lawlessness and to purify for himself a people for his own possession who are zealous for good works.

2 Timothy 4:7 ⁷ I have fought the good fight, I have finished the race, I have kept the faith.