



# **The Church and the World**

Titus 3:1-15

# Proper conduct 1-2

What is our involvement..

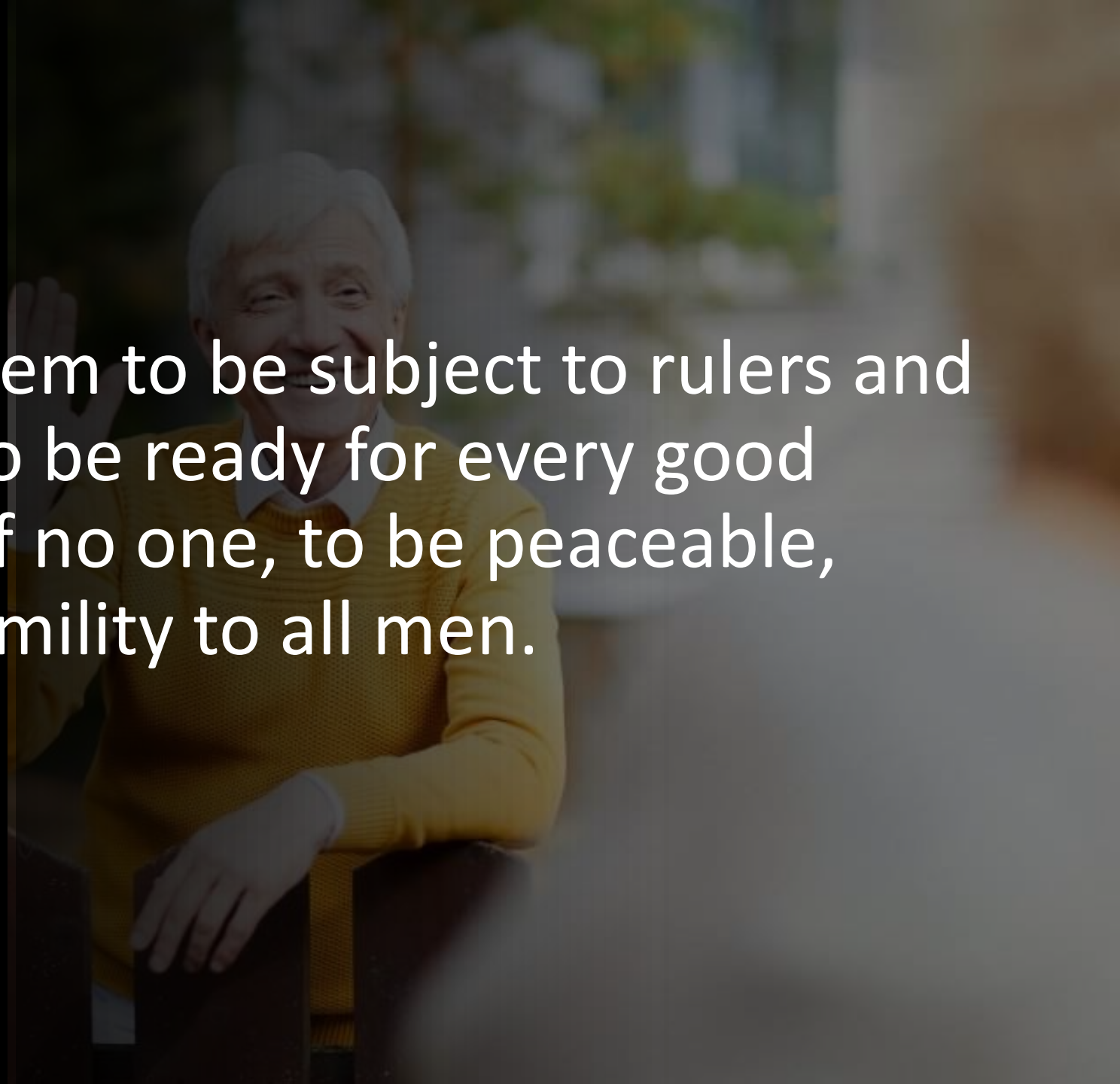
- Our nation
- Our community
- With our neighbors

Basis.. **Our salvation in Christ**



# Living in Society

**Titus 3:1-2** Remind them to be subject to rulers and authorities, to obey, to be ready for every good work, <sup>2</sup> to speak evil of no one, to be peaceable, gentle, showing all humility to all men.







Romans 13, Acts 5:29



Respectful of authority

Peaceable, considerate

Humility to all men





## Basis for right living 3-6

3 For we ourselves were also once foolish, disobedient, deceived, serving various lusts and pleasures, living in malice and envy, hateful and hating one another.

4 But when the kindness and the love of God our Savior toward man appeared, <sup>5</sup> not by works of righteousness which we have done, but according to His mercy He saved us, through the washing of regeneration and renewing of the Holy Spirit, <sup>6</sup> whom He poured out on us abundantly through Jesus Christ our Savior

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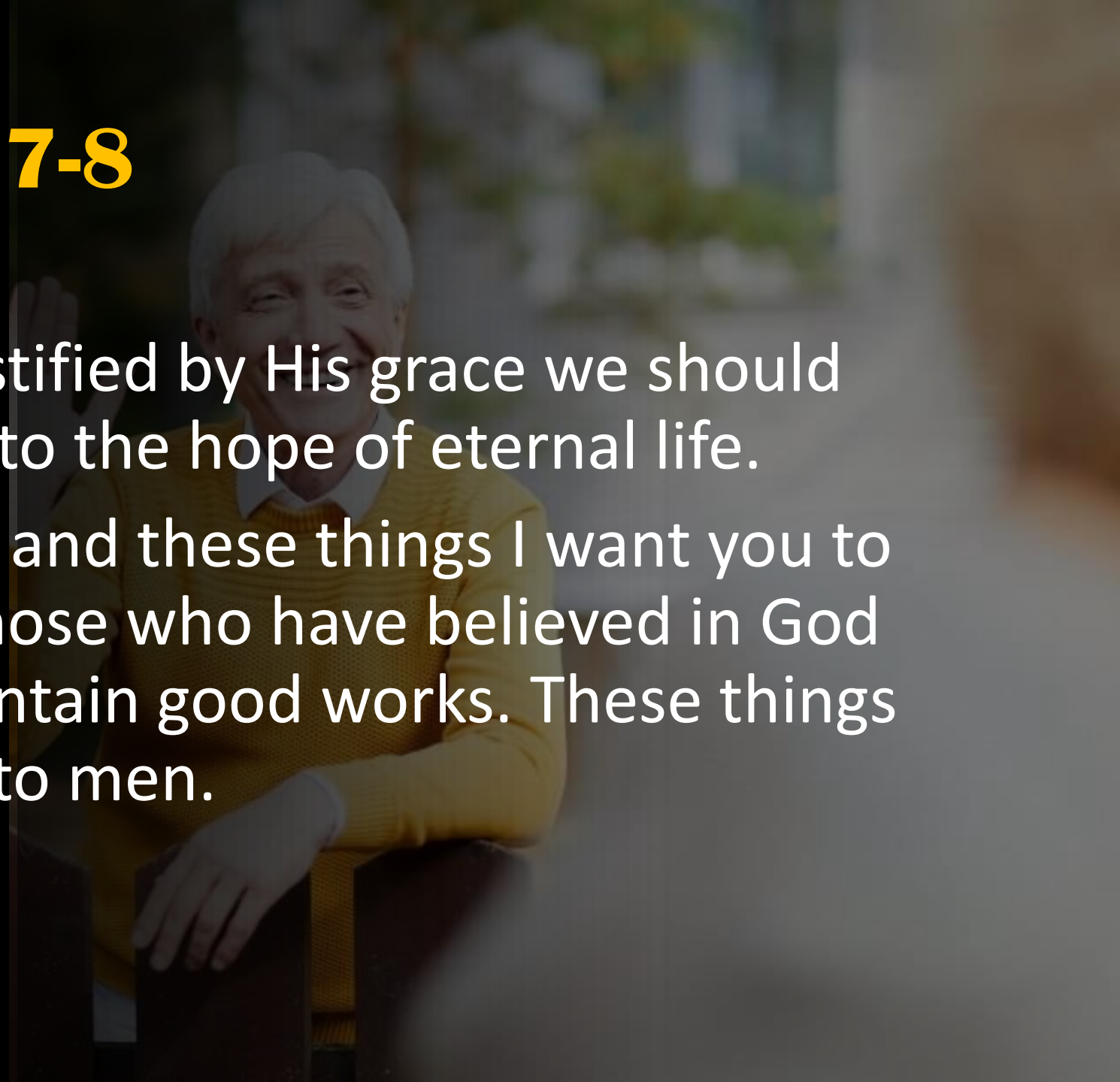
# HE SAVED US

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## Salvation's Result 7-8

7-8 that having been justified by His grace we should become heirs according to the hope of eternal life.

⁸ This is a faithful saying, and these things I want you to affirm constantly, that those who have believed in God should be careful to maintain good works. These things are good and profitable to men.



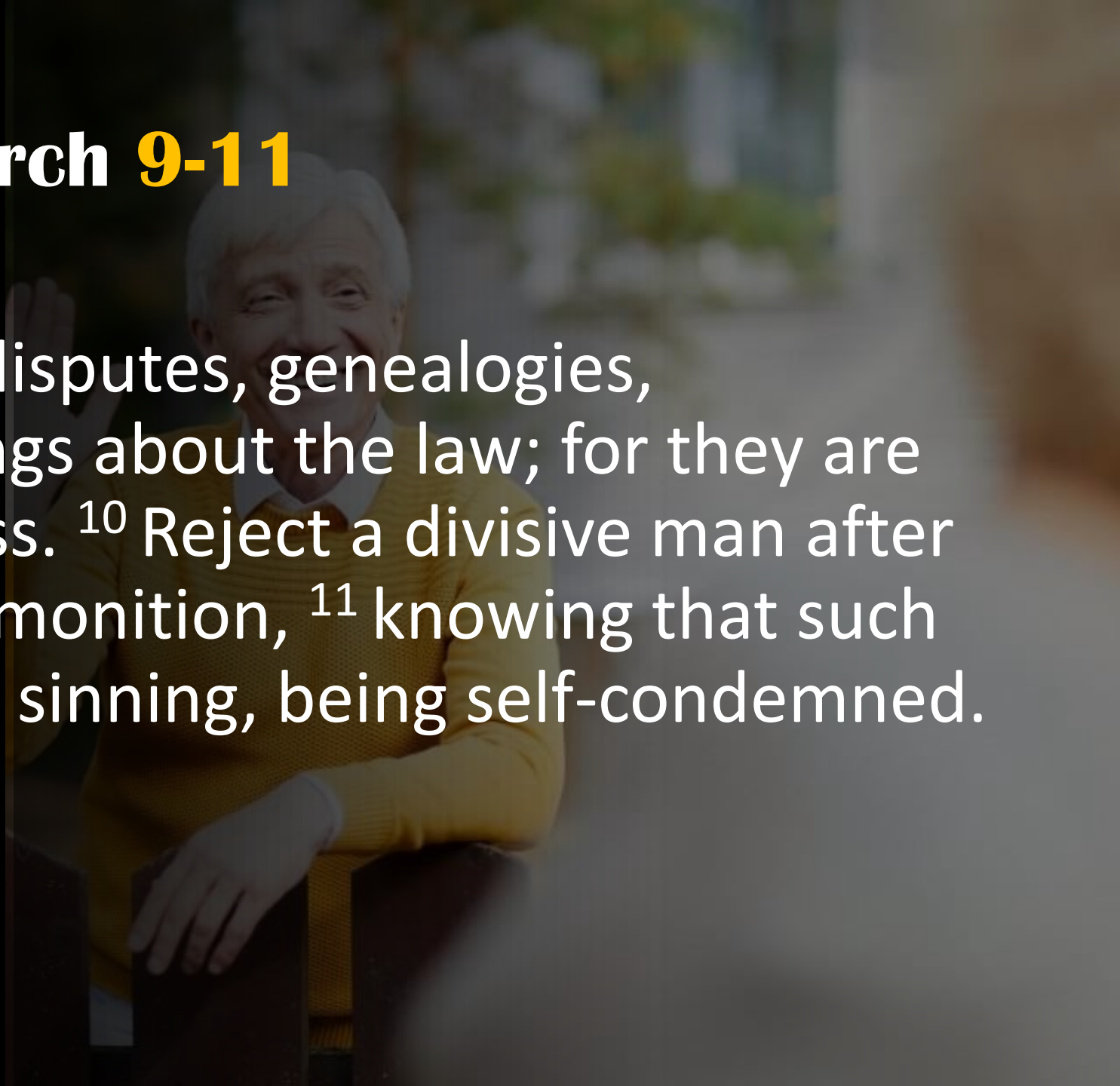




**DEVOTE YOURSELF TO GOOD WORKS**  
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## Harmony in the Church 9-11

9-11 But avoid foolish disputes, genealogies, contentions, and strivings about the law; for they are unprofitable and useless. <sup>10</sup> Reject a divisive man after the first and second admonition, <sup>11</sup> knowing that such a person is warped and sinning, being self-condemned.

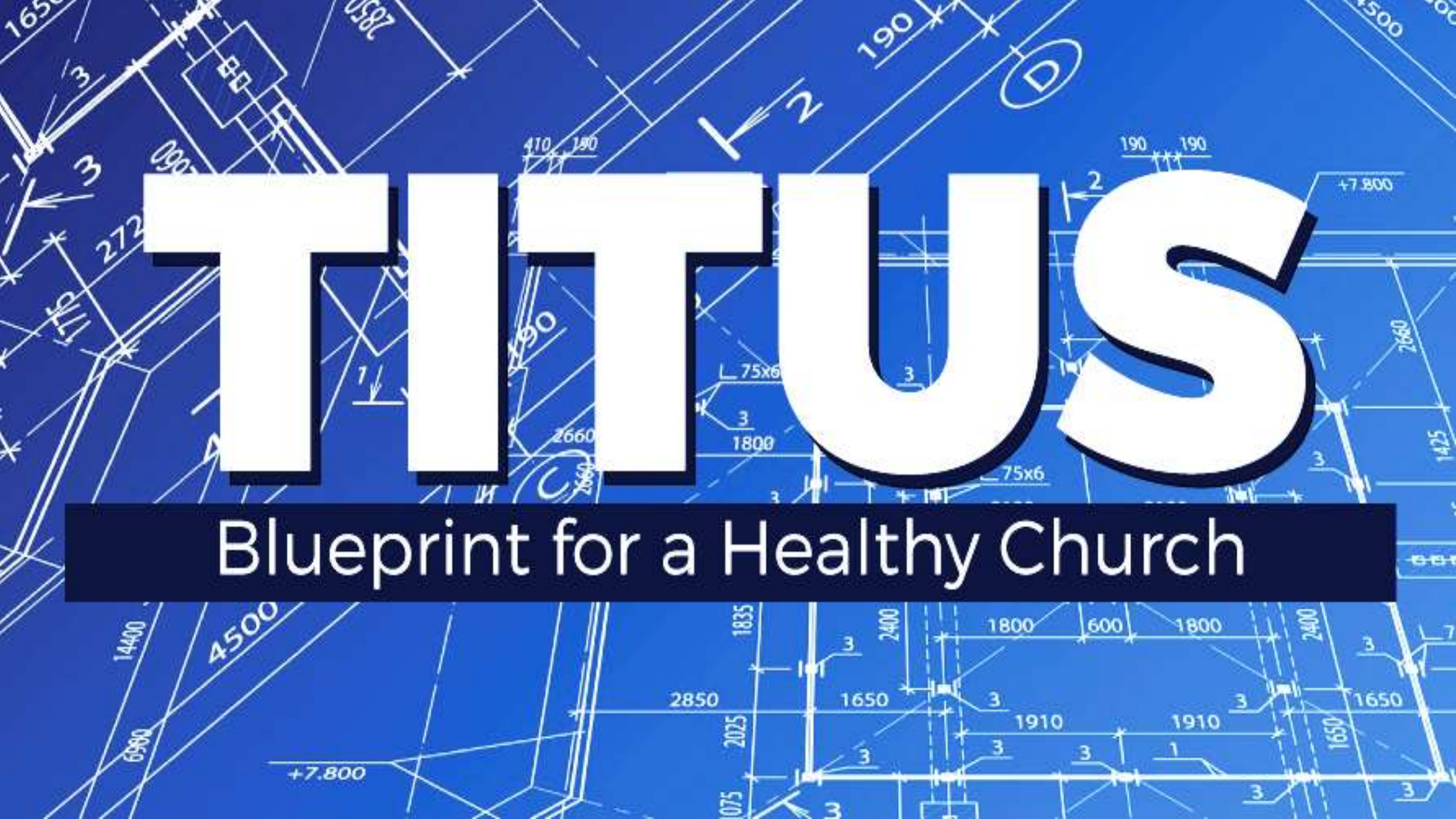


## Final instructions 12-15

**12-14** When I send Artemas to you, or Tychicus, be diligent to come to me at Nicopolis, for I have decided to spend the winter there. <sup>13</sup> Send Zenas the lawyer and Apollos on their journey with haste, that they may lack nothing. <sup>14</sup> And let our *people* also learn to maintain good works, to *meet* urgent needs, that they may not be unfruitful.

**15** All who *are* with me greet you. Greet those who love us in the faith. Grace *be* with you all. Amen.





# TITUS

Blueprint for a Healthy Church



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