

Character of a Healthy Church

Titus 2: 1-10

Sound Doctrine
(Healthy)

How a Godly Congregation Functions

- **Older Men (v. 2)**
- **Older Women (v. 3)**
- **Younger Women (vv. 4-5)**
- **Younger Men (vv. 6-8)**

Older Men

v. 2

Sober-minded

Dignified

Self-controlled

Sound in faith, in love, and in steadfastness

Older Women

v. 3

Reverent in behavior

Not slanderers

Not Slaves to much wine

Teach what is good

Training younger women

Younger Women

vv. 4-5

Loves husband and children

Self-controlled

Pure

Worker at home

Kind

Submissive to their own husband

Younger Men

vv. 6-8

Self-controlled

Model of good works

Teach with integrity,

Dignity and sound speech

Bondservants (Workers)

vv. 9-10

Submissive to boss

Well pleasing

Not argumentative

Not pilfering, but showing good faith

Observations

Legitimate age and gender distinctions

Interaction, not complete separation

The Driving Concept: Discipleship

Differences at every stage in life

Order our lives with Godly behavior