

8. Do you intentionally disciple someone and if so, how?

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### **Prayer**

*Father,*

*Thank You for saving and sanctifying us. Thank You Lord for sending people into our lives whom You have used to challenge and correct us. Help each of us to be instruments in Your hands to help others to become more Christlike. Enable us to live with an increased sense of Your presence and to be an example of what a repentant, tender-hearted disciple looks like. Grant us the wisdom to teach those who are younger to us the skills and knowledge that they need to grow closer to You. In Jesus' Name we pray,*

*Amen.*

55. **Dr. Andrew Corbett**  
21 September 2020 at 2:13:27 pm  
Titus 2:7 Show yourself in all respects to be a model of good works, and in your teaching show integrity, dignity,  
Titus 2:8 and sound speech that cannot be condemned, so that an opponent may be put to shame, having nothing evil to say about us.
56. **Dr. Andrew Corbett**  
21 September 2020 at 2:27:52 pm  
Eph. 2:8 For by grace you have been saved through faith. And this is not your own doing; it is the gift of God,  
Eph. 2:9 not a result of works, so that no one may boast.
57. **Dr. Andrew Corbett**  
21 September 2020 at 2:27:17 pm  
Eph. 2:10 For we are his workmanship, created in Christ Jesus for good works, which God prepared beforehand, that we should walk in them.
58. **Dr. Andrew Corbett**  
22 October 2020 at 3:34:30 pm  
We are created good works.
59. **Dr. Andrew Corbett**  
21 September 2020 at 3:57:11 pm  
journey
60. **Dr. Andrew Corbett**  
21 September 2020 at 3:58:31 pm  
organisation
61. **Dr. Andrew Corbett**  
21 September 2020 at 3:59:37 pm  
competency



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### Titus 2:7-8

**Truth #5** - Godly leaders lead with integrity

**Doctrine #5** - The doctrine of Ordination

**Principle #5** - Leadership transparency and integrity

When we come to Christ, we are not merely saved so that we can go to heaven. We are saved to intentionally give God glory.

- 56 1. After telling the Ephesians that we are saved by grace (Eph. 2:8-9), what  
57 does Paul say that this should result in in Ephesians 2:10?

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- 59 When Paul left Titus in Crete he charged him to appoint various leaders within the churches there. We might define leadership as *taking people on a \_\_\_\_\_ from where they are, to where they need to be*. Like any journey, leadership  
60 requires cooperation, o \_\_\_\_\_ n, planning, and training. Therefore,  
61 leadership is a skill which requires experience and c \_\_\_\_\_ y.

62. Dr. Andrew Corbett  
21 September 2020 at 4:01:04 pm  
learners
63. Dr. Andrew Corbett  
28 September 2020 at 9:21:15 pm  
Suggestions:  
1. They were genuine/sincere  
2. They cared.  
3. They were competent  
4. They were humble.
64. Dr. Andrew Corbett  
21 September 2020 at 4:07:41 pm  
TITUS 2:7 Show yourself in all respects to be a model of good works, and in your teaching show integrity, dignity,
65. Dr. Andrew Corbett  
21 September 2020 at 4:10:39 pm  
Titus 2:8a and sound speech that cannot be condemned,
66. Dr. Andrew Corbett  
21 September 2020 at 4:11:28 pm  
A model of good works
67. Dr. Andrew Corbett  
21 September 2020 at 4:11:59 pm  
A model of teaching with integrity
68. Dr. Andrew Corbett  
21 September 2020 at 4:12:25 pm  
A model of dignity
69. Dr. Andrew Corbett  
21 September 2020 at 4:12:36 pm  
A model of sound speech.
70. Dr. Andrew Corbett  
21 September 2020 at 4:50:20 pm  
Titus 2:8 ...so that an opponent may be put to shame, having nothing evil to say about us.
71. Dr. Andrew Corbett  
22 October 2020 at 3:38:54 pm  
Integrity
72. Dr. Andrew Corbett  
21 September 2020 at 7:03:57 pm  
Titus 2:7 Show yourself in all respects to be a model of good works, and in your teaching show integrity, dignity, Titus 2:8 and sound speech that cannot be condemned, so that an opponent may be put to shame, having nothing evil to say about us.
73. Dr. Andrew Corbett  
22 October 2020 at 3:59:48 pm  
Integrity, servant-spirit, good example

62 Leaders are I \_\_\_\_\_ s. They initially gain experience from following another leader.

2. If you have worked with a good leader, what was it that made them so?

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3. What qualities of leadership was Titus told to model as he looked to appoint leaders for the Cretan churches? (Titus 2:7-8a)

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In one sense, becoming a leader takes time. But in another sense, it begins immediately. Leadership expert, John Maxwell, defines leadership as *influence*. This means we are all leaders because we all exercise influence over others.

4. Why did Paul particularly want Titus to model about good leadership? (Titus 2:8b)

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This perhaps suggests that there was a hostile environment in which the churches of Crete were having to endure. This would have made the need for strong local leaders even more urgent. But despite this urgency, it was important that Titus took great care to appoint qualified people to positions of leadership within the churches of Crete.

72 5. Based on what Paul told Titus to *model* to the Cretan believers (Titus 2:7-8), what particularly *Christian* leadership qualities were required in those that Titus was to appoint?

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74. Dr. Andrew Corbett

21 September 2020 at 7:24:17 pm  
1Tim. 4:12 Let no one despise you for your youth, but set the believers an example in speech, in conduct, in love, in faith, in purity.

75. Dr. Andrew Corbett

22 October 2020 at 3:04:39 pm  
That he himself was an example of godly, humble, devout leadership

76. Dr. Andrew Corbett

21 September 2020 at 7:55:58 pm  
Gal. 5:22 But the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, Gal. 5:23 gentleness, self-control; against such things there is no law.

77. Dr. Andrew Corbett

21 September 2020 at 8:56:52 pm  
Ex. 28:41 And you shall put them on Aaron your brother, and on his sons with him, and shall anoint them and ordain them and consecrate them, that they may serve me as priests.

78. Dr. Andrew Corbett

21 September 2020 at 8:56:14 pm  
2Chr. 22:7 ¶ But it was ordained by God that the downfall of Ahaziah should come about through his going to visit Joram. For when he came there, he went out with Jehoram to meet Jehu the son of Nimshi, whom the LORD had anointed to destroy the house of Ahab.

79. Dr. Andrew Corbett

22 October 2020 at 3:57:44 pm  
Heb. 7:11 ¶ Now if perfection had been attainable through the Levitical priesthood (for under it the people received the law), what further need would there have been for another priest to arise after the order of Melchizedek, rather than one named after the order of Aaron?

80. Dr. Andrew Corbett

22 October 2020 at 3:58:14 pm  
Heb. 5:1 ¶ For every high priest chosen from among men is appointed to act on behalf of men in relation to God, to offer gifts and sacrifices for sins.

81. Dr. Andrew Corbett

21 September 2020 at 9:45:28 pm  
Heb. 7:27 He has no need, like those high priests, to offer sacrifices daily, first for his own sins and then for those of the people, since he did this once for all when he offered up himself.

82. Dr. Andrew Corbett

22 October 2020 at 3:58:47 pm  
1Tim. 2:5 For there is one God, and there is one mediator between God and men, the man Christ Jesus,

## Godly Leaders of Integrity

Paul also gave a similar instruction, about appointing leaders, to another of his ‘sons’, Timothy.

- 74 6. Note **First Timothy 4:12**. What did Paul tell Timothy was necessary to qualify him to appoint leaders within the Ephesian church?

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As we consider what Paul told Titus, and Timothy, we notice that the emphasis was on the *character* of the leader — not their competency. *Character* involves who a person really is. This becomes particularly apparent under two conditions: (i) when no-one else is around; and, (ii) when things go wrong. *Godliness* is Christlikeness. This is an *inner* transformation that results in the fruit of the Spirit described in **Galatians 5:22-23**. *Integrity* comes from the word *integer* which means *whole* and *complete*. Dr. Henry Cloud describes integrity as *being one person*. By this he means that a person of integrity is someone who listens well to others and genuinely hears them; is the same person in public as well as in private; and knows how to be *present* with people.

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## The Doctrine of Ordination

The word *ordination* describes two different acts of God. Firstly, it is used in the Old Testament to describe those set apart to serve as priests (eg. **Exodus 28:41**). Secondly, it is used to describe God decreeing an event and bringing it pass (eg. **2Chron. 22:7** ESV). Under the Old Covenant, the descendants of Aaron (of the tribe of Levi, **Heb. 7:11**) were the only ones *ordained* to serve as priests. A priest ministered to the Lord with ceremonies and sacrifices on behalf of the people. He therefore served as a mediator between God and mankind (**Heb. 5:1**).

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7. How do we know that God no longer ordains anyone to this kind of priestly service now? (Note **Hebrews 7:27**, **1Tim. 2:5**)

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8. What kind of *priestly* service did the apostle Paul say he was called to? (**Romans 15:16**)

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**83. Dr. Andrew Corbett**

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Because Jesus is the only Priest  
we now need to approach God.

**84. Dr. Andrew Corbett**

21 September 2020 at 9:25:28 pm

Rom. 15:16 to be a minister of  
Christ Jesus to the Gentiles in the  
priestly service of the gospel of  
God, so that the offering of the  
Gentiles may be acceptable,  
sanctified by the Holy Spirit.

**85. Dr. Andrew Corbett**

22 October 2020 at 3:56:01 pm

Preaching the gospel to those  
who were yet to be converted to  
Christ, and then to ensure that  
they became well grounded  
disciples of Christ.