

TITUS 2 CHAT

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"The Titus 2 Experience"

& "Are You a Drama Queen"

Opening: The Daughters of Sarah (DOS) online survey results. The Titus 2 Chats began out of a need for the sisters in Europe to get the information they needed. Titus 2 Chat notes are made available on the DOS website for those who are unable to log-on. DOS meetings should be happening at every school.

Titus 2 Chats are taught by the aged women. The seminars are specific and provide more detailed information.

DOS Online Survey Results and Feedback:

-Some voiced that meetings or lessons appear to be geared towards wives and children.

-What is, and who is a senior sister? ANSWER: A married sister that has been in the truth 7 years or more. (Single sisters are "Helps", and she must have a good report). Those without titles show respect and reverence. Assist them.

*1 Timothy 5:2 - The elder women as mothers; the younger as sisters, with all purity.

*Romans 16:1-6 I commend unto you Phebe our sister, which is a servant of the church which is at Cenchrea: 2 That ye receive her in the Lord, as becometh saints, and that ye assist her in whatsoever business she hath need of you: for she hath been a succourer of many, and of myself also. 3 Greet Priscilla and Aquila my helpers in Christ Jesus: 4 Who have for my life laid down their own necks: unto whom not only I give thanks, but also all the churches of the Gentiles. 5 Likewise greet the church that is in their house. Salute my well-beloved Epænetus, who is the firstfruits of Achaia unto Christ. 6 Greet Mary, who bestowed much labour on us.

-These women ministered to the men out of their substance.

*Luke 8:1-3 - And it came to pass afterward, that he went throughout every city and village, preaching and shewing the glad tidings of the kingdom of God: and the twelve were with him, 2 And certain women, which had been healed of evil spirits and infirmities, Mary called Magdalene, out of whom went seven devils, 3 And Joanna the wife of Chuza Herod's steward, and Susanna, and many others, which ministered unto him of their substance.

-Just because you are married to a leader in the congregation does not give you the position of a Senior Sister.

*Ephesians 4:29 - Let no corrupt communication proceed out of your mouth, but that which is good to

the use of edifying, that it may minister grace unto the hearers.

Article: "FEEDBACK" - Feedback is used to adjust future behavior. A little leaven, leavens the whole lump. Feedback characteristics - 1-Is always there; 2-Is effective listening; 3-can motivate; 4-can improve performance; 5-viewed as criticism; 6-a tool for continued learning.

-A wise man will accept feedback.

*Proverbs 1:5 - A wise man will hear, and will increase learning; and a man of understanding shall attain unto wise counsels:

*Proverbs 12:1 - Whoso loveth instruction loveth knowledge: but he that hateth reproof is brutish.

-There were 616 Survey responses to the following questions

#1-How was your relationship with your Senior Sister?

#2-Do you feel comfortable going to your Senior Sister for counsel?

#3-Have your problems been addressed?

#4-Is your Senior Sister a) kind, b)friendly, c)considerate, or d)none of the above? (d=6% response)

#5-Has she helped you grow in your walk?

#6-How can we improve Titus 2?

#7-Share positive and negative experiences.

Also asked was - What state are you in? Many did not identify their state. Also asked was, Who was your Senior Sister?

-If married, your lord is your counselor. DO NOT give wrong counsel. Noted was 'time' as a problematic factor in establishing teaching time due to international time zones.

-Keep silent in the church or "shut-up" and don't murmur against leadership.

*I Corinthians 14:33-35 - For God is not the author of confusion, but of peace, as in all churches of the saints. 34 Let your women keep silence in the churches: for it is not permitted unto them to speak; but they are commanded to be under obedience, as also saith the law. 35 And if they will learn any thing, let them ask their husbands at home: for it is a shame for women to speak in the church.

*I Timothy 2:12 - But I suffer not a woman to teach, nor to usurp authority over the man, but to be in silence.

-What is our role in the body?

*I Corinthians 11:3 - But I would have you know, that the head of every man is Christ; and the head of

the woman is the man; and the head of Christ is God.

-Follow the order and "cover" your head. Head bands are not head coverings.

*1 Timothy 2:13-14 - For Adam was first formed, then Eve. 14 And Adam was not deceived, but the woman being deceived was in the transgression.

-Feedback response concerning "preeminence" of some Senior Sisters. If you use manipulation, the sisters will not respect you. Get thyself the love of the congregation (Ecclesiasticus 4:7).

*Proverbs 31:31 - Give her of the fruit of her hands; and let her own works praise her in the gates.

*1 Corinthians 14:8 - For if the trumpet give an uncertain sound, who shall prepare himself to the battle?

*Galations 5:22-23 - But the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, longsuffering, gentleness, goodness, faith, 23 Meekness, temperance: against such there is no law.

Feedback Response Question:

-Does leadership get to control your wedding? ANSWER: No

-Does a Senior Sister act as a gateway to get issues addressed? ANSWER: Follow protocol.

-What's protocol for dealing with leadership wife conflict? ANSWER: Matthew 18 applies.

*Leviticus 5:1 - And if a soul sin, and hear the voice of swearing, and is a witness, whether he hath seen or known of it; if he do not utter it, then he shall bear his iniquity.

-Do you have to tell or counsel?

-Communication - No evil surmising. No schism.

*2 Corinthians 2:11 - Lest Satan should get an advantage of us: for we are not ignorant of his devices.

*1 Corinthians 12:22-26 - Nay, much more those members of the body, which seem to be more feeble, are necessary: 23 And those members of the body, which we think to be less honourable, upon these we bestow more abundant honour; and our uncomely parts have more abundant comeliness. 24 For our comely parts have no need: but God hath tempered the body together, having given more abundant honour to that part which lacked: 25 That there should be no schism in the body; but that the members should have the same care one for another. 26 And whether one member suffer, all the members suffer with it; or one member be honoured, all the members rejoice with it.

*1 Timothy 2:6 - Who gave himself a ransom for all, to be testified in due time.

*2 Timothy 6:4 - He is proud, knowing nothing, but doting about questions and strifes of words, whereof cometh envy, strife, railings, evil surmisings,

-A Senior Sister's role is a role of "Service". Level-up. Provide support, follow instructions, and conduct herself in good behavior. Must be able to teach, lead other females by example, able to counsel with scriptures, not personal opinions. Her life and household must be in order.

*Proverbs 18:22 - Whoso findeth a wife findeth a good thing, and obtaineth favour of the LORD.

-New Members Committee: Go over the "Welcome Home Package". Female security should make them feel welcomed. (Survey response: Some feel that Senior Sisters don't feel that new sisters are important and only say a few words and then walks off. This is a sad commentary). Offenses will come but we must be blameless and harmless, while letting our light shine. It can be spiritual illumination to others, and it takes nothing away from you.

*Luke 17:1 - Then said he unto the disciples, It is impossible but that offences will come: but woe unto him, through whom they come!

*Philippians 2:15 - That ye may be blameless and harmless, the sons of God, without rebuke, in the midst of a crooked and perverse nation, among whom ye shine as lights in the world;

-Attendance: Your attendance at Titus 2 Chat and DOS events causes team building of the Sisterhood, regardless of the number in attendance.

*Matthew 18:20 -For where two or three are gathered together in my name, there am I in the midst of them.

*Hebrews 10:24-25- And let us consider one another to provoke unto love and to good works: 25 Not forsaking the assembling of ourselves together, as the manner of some is; but exhorting one another: and so much the more, as ye see the day approaching.

-A part of our learning is gathering together. Those who attend will grow as opposed to those who don't.

*I Peter 3:8 - Finally, be ye all of one mind, having compassion one of another, love as brethren, be pitiful, be courteous:

*I John 4:20 - If a man say, I love God, and hateth his brother, he is a liar: for he that loveth not his brother whom he hath seen, how can he love God whom he hath not seen?

-Growth: Note that younger sisters are watching. (Pastor's wife syndrome). Power struggles result due to lack of experience. You must put in the work using teamwork. As a child, you should be maturing, you should grow. We should be teachers, but are still babes. We all will be corrected and have things that we must grow in.

*I Corinthians 13:11 - When I was a child, I spake as a child, I understood as a child, I thought as a child: but when I became a man, I put away childish things.

*Hebrews 5:12-14 - For when for the time ye ought to be teachers, ye have need that one teach you again which be the first principles of the oracles of God; and are become such as have need of milk, and

not of strong meat. 13 For every one that useth milk is unskilful in the word of righteousness: for he is a babe. 14 But strong meat belongeth to them that are of full age, even those who by reason of use have their senses exercised to discern both good and evil.

-Senior Sisters- Study to apply so that you can counsel with scripture. Captains wives must step their game up.

-If you don't want to be a part...Leave, for we desire peace.

"Drama & Drama Queens"

-You might be a Drama Queen - If you stir things up; everything is a big deal; share gossip; constantly unsatisfied; have a look at me attitude; have respect of persons; have secret hatred.

*Proverbs 28:18 - Whoso walketh uprightly shall be saved: but he that is perverse in his ways shall fall at once.

-Drama Queen Behaviors: In the spotlight, everything taken personal, out of proportion, gossip, immersed in drama, critical, obsessed with being perfect, are set-off quickly.

*I Timothy 5:13 - And withal they learn to be idle, wandering about from house to house; and not only idle, but tattlers also and busybodies, speaking things which they ought not.

*Psalms 34:13 - Keep thy tongue from evil, and thy lips from speaking guile.

*Proverbs 26:20 - Where no wood is, there the fire goeth out: so where there is no talebearer, the strife ceaseth.

*2 Corinthians 12:20 - For I fear, lest, when I come, I shall not find you such as I would, and that I shall be found unto you such as ye would not: lest there be debates, envyings, wraths, strifes, backbitings, whisperings, swellings, tumults:

-The Lord hates these things - Don't sew discord among the brethren.

*Proverbs 6:16-19 - These six things doth the LORD hate: yea, seven are an abomination unto him: 17 A proud look, a lying tongue, and hands that shed innocent blood, 18 An heart that deviseth wicked imaginations, feet that be swift in running to mischief, 19 A false witness that speaketh lies, and he that soweth discord among brethren.

-Correction: You don't always have to correct, correct, correct.

*Galatians 6:1 - Brethren, if a man be overtaken in a fault, ye which are spiritual, restore such an one in the spirit of meekness; considering thyself, lest thou also be tempted.

*2 Thessalonians 3:15 - Yet count him not as an enemy, but admonish him as a brother.

*I Timothy 5:20 - Them that sin rebuke before all, that others also may fear.

*2 Timothy 3:16-17 - All scripture is given by inspiration of God, and is profitable for doctrine, for reproof, for correction, for instruction in righteousness: That the man of God may be perfect, throughly furnished unto all good works.

-Showing some level of respect: Don't despise your mothers of age. Bring some of your learned talents to help the sisters. (Hoary head-grey haired)

*Proverbs 23-22 - Hearken unto thy father that begat thee, and despise not thy mother when she is old.

*Leviticus 19:32 - Thou shalt rise up before the hoary head, and honour the face of the old man, and fear thy God: I am the LORD.

-None of us are perfect. We must apply the scriptures.

*Matthew 18:15-17 - Moreover if thy brother shall trespass against thee, go and tell him his fault between thee and him alone: if he shall hear thee, thou hast gained thy brother. 16 But if he will not hear thee, then take with thee one or two more, that in the mouth of two or three witnesses every word may be established. 17 And if he shall neglect to hear them, tell it unto the church: but if he neglect to hear the church, let him be unto thee as an heathen man and a publican.

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-Walk Worthy:

*Colossians 1:10-12 - That ye might walk worthy of the Lord unto all pleasing, being fruitful in every good work, and increasing in the knowledge of God; 11 Strengthened with all might, according to his glorious power, unto all patience and longsuffering with joyfulness; 12 Giving thanks unto the Father, which hath made us meet to be partakers of the inheritance of the saints in light:

-Let the trial of your faith be full of glory...

*1 Peter 1:7-8 - That the trial of your faith, being much more precious than of gold that perisheth, though it be tried with fire, might be found unto praise and honour and glory at the appearing of Jesus Christ: 8 Whom having not seen, ye love; in whom, though now ye see him not, yet believing, ye rejoice with joy unspeakable and full of glory: