

The Gift Of Godly Leaders

"This is why I left you in Crete, so that you might put what remained into order, and appoint elders in every town as I directed you." Titus 1:5 (ESV)

Judges 17:6 - Without _____ there can be no _____.

When Godly Leaders Gave Needed Guidance

A. Acts 15 - A crisis averted by godly leaders:

1. 15:1 - Some insisted that the _____ be _____.
2. 15:2-4 - Paul and _____ went to _____ to bring the matter to the _____ and the _____.
3. 15:5 - Some from the party of the _____ said the Gentiles should be _____ to keep the _____ of Moses.
4. 15:6 - The _____ and _____ considered the matter.
5. 16:4,5 - A _____ was written by the _____ and _____ to document the decision that was reached.

B. _____ are no longer among us. Who is to lead now?

The Gift Of Godly Leaders Today

A. Hebrews 13:17 - Christians are to _____ their _____ and _____ to them. But who are they?

B. Those who lead Christians today:

1. 1 Peter 5:12 - How can disciples stand _____ in the _____?
2. 1 Peter 5:1,2 - Three terms describe these leaders: _____, _____, and those who exercise _____.
3. Acts 20:17,28 - The same three terms are used of Paul meeting with the Ephesian _____.
4. Titus 1:5 - Paul instructed _____ to appoint _____ in every _____ of Crete.
5. Philippians 1:1 - There were _____ and _____ in the church at Philippi.

C. "Godly" leaders:

1. 1 Peter 5:2b - Elders are to carry out their functions in a _____ manner, as well as _____.
2. 1 Peter 5:3 - They're not to be _____, but to provide an _____ of Christianity.
3. 1 Peter 5:4 - The chief _____ will bring their _____.
4. 1 Peter 5:5 - Like all others, they serve with _____.
5. 1 Peter 5:12 - This is how we stand _____ in the _____!

A _____ helps keep us _____ as we travel through life.

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