

# 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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