

# **Righteous Living**

Text: Titus 2:11-15

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## **INTRODUCTION- Proverbs 14:34; Titus 2: 11-12**

### **I. THE MOTIVATION FOR RIGHTEOUS LIVING (Titus 2:11-12)**

1. The goodness of God that gives grace and repentance (*Romans 2: 4*)
2. The grace of God that brings salvation (*v. 11*)
  - (1) Everyone is saved by grace (*Eph. 2:8-9*)
  - (2) God's grace has taught us how to live (*v.12*)
  - (3) God's goodness and grace, which bring repentance and salvation, will motivate us to stop practicing sin and live for God (*1 John 3: 1-10*)
3. The glorious appearance of the great God and our Savior Jesus Christ (*v. 13; 1 Cor. 3: 13-15*)
4. The great price paid for our redemption (*v. 14; Titus 2:7*)

### **II. THE OBLIGATION TO RIGHTEOUS LIVING**

1. Every believer in Christ must live godly because of all Christ has done for them.
2. We are no longer our own. We have been bought with a price (*1 Cor. 6:20*)
3. We honor and glorify God in our body by how we live and what we do or do not do (*1 Cor. 10:31; Colossians 3:17*).
4. We must do whatever we do to God's glory and in His name.