



WHAT THE GRACE  
OF GOD HAS  
TAUGHT US

TITUS 2



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- II. Appeared to All Men
- III. Teaching Us
  - A. Denying Ungodliness

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# DENYING UNGODLINESS

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- Ungodliness
- Define
- A relatively uncommon word used only six times in the New Testament, four times by Paul (Romans 1:18; 11:26; 2 Timothy 2:16; Titus 2:12) and twice by Jude (1:15, 18).
- Best Understood in Romans 1:18-25



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- There is a direct association between ungodliness and worldly lusts! (Romans 1)
- 1 John 2:15-17
- James 1:13-15; 4:1-4
- Ungodliness produces unrighteousness and an exchange of godly desires for worldly desires.



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# WE SHOULD LIVE...

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- Soberly – Titus 1:8; 2:2, 4, 6, 12
  - Antonyms: Playful, frivolous, frolicsome, merry, dizzy, giddy, flippant, silly, thoughtless, idle, shallow
  - Ecclesiastes 3:1-8
  - “Being a Christian is serious business” – Carson Hagen
- Righteously – Rightness
- Godly – Pious
  - Mark 12:28-31 – First Commandment
  - Matthew 22:40 – Law and Prophets hang on these



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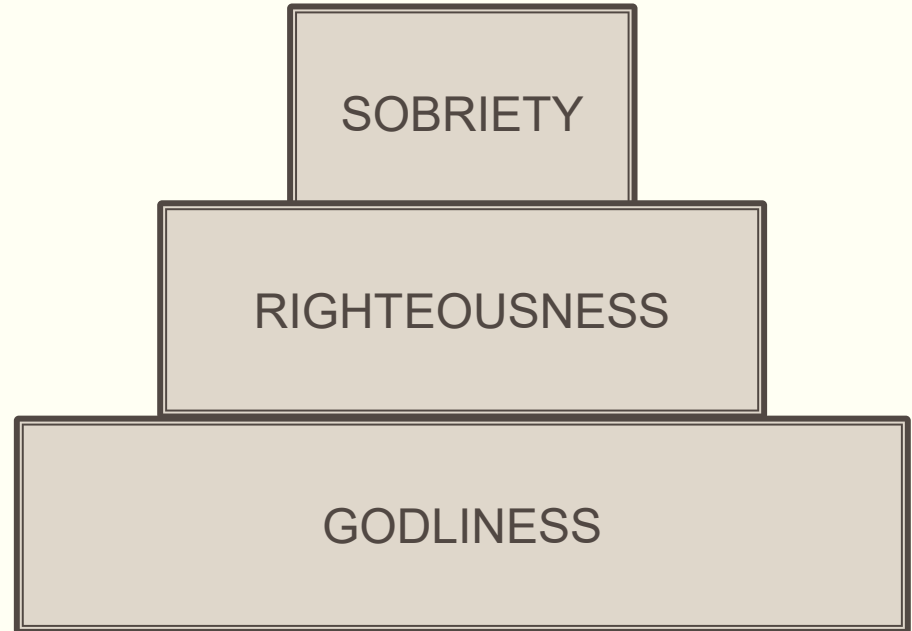
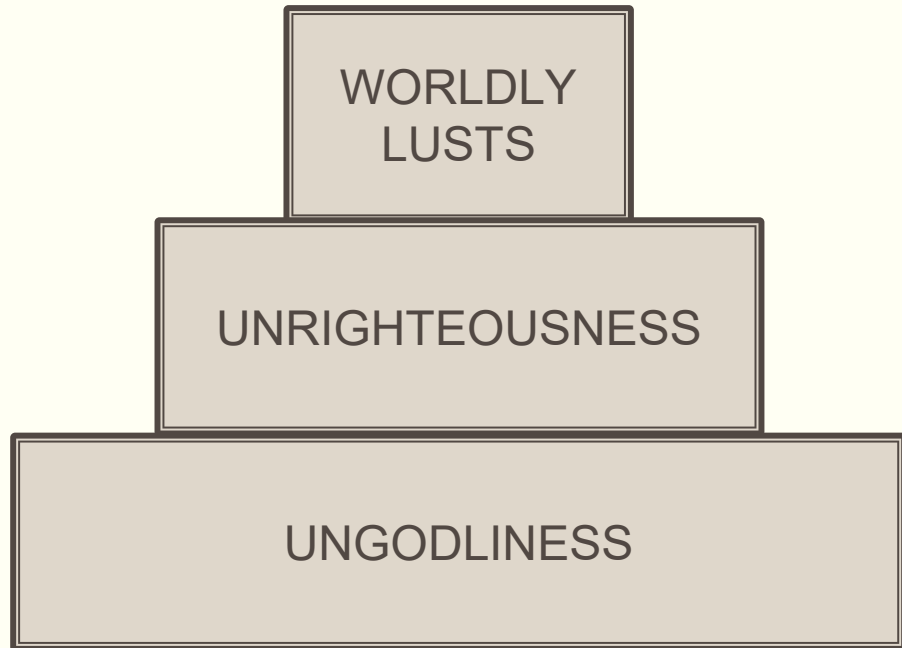
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# Titus 2:12

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