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Text: [Titus 3:4-8](#)

## INTRODUCTION

- Paul instructs Titus to continually remind the believers in Crete of two things:

1. Who they were

2. Who God is

- [Titus 3:4](#) – “But after that...” – the contrast between what we were and what we are now.

## I. REMEMBER HIS ATTRIBUTES ([Titus 3:4-7](#))

### A. LOVE (v.4)

- God loves His people deeply ([John 3:16](#)).
- Understanding God’s love changes how we live and love Him.
- We love Him because He first loved us.
- The cross is the greatest display of God’s love.
- Because of His love and kindness, He saved us (v.5).

### B. MERCY (v.5)

- Salvation is not earned but given through God’s mercy.
- Mercy has been described as “God’s ministry to the miserable.”
- God’s mercy reaches all kinds of people—from every background and generation.

### C. GRACE (v.7)

- We are justified by grace through Jesus Christ.
- The Law reveals sin but cannot transform the heart.
- Grace through Christ accomplishes what the Law cannot.

- [Romans 5:20](#) – “Where sin abounded, grace did much more abound.”

#### **D. BENEFITS (v.7)**

- Because of God’s love, mercy, and grace, believers become heirs.
- [Romans 8:17](#) – Heirs of God and joint-heirs with Christ.
- Like Mephibosheth welcomed to David’s table ([2 Samuel 9](#)), believers receive undeserved favor.

#### **II. REMEMBER OUR ASSIGNMENT ([Titus 3:8](#))**

- Sound doctrine should lead to grateful obedience.
- Gratitude for grace produces good works.
- Believers are to live lives that display God’s glory.

#### **A. Maintain Good Works in DARK TIMES**

- Trials can cause believers to either lean in to God or lean away.
- In suffering, believers must lean into the Shepherd ([Psalm 23](#)).
- Difficult seasons should produce deeper prayer, devotion, worship, and time in God’s Word.

#### **B. Maintain Good Works in DELAYED TIMES**

- Waiting is one of the hardest parts of life.
- Scripture repeatedly calls believers to “wait on the Lord.”
- [Psalm 130:5–6](#); [Lamentations 3:25](#).
- Waiting is not inactivity but faithful obedience while trusting God’s timing.
- Examples of waiting: Noah, the disciples, Ruth, and believers awaiting Christ’s return.

#### **CONCLUSION**

- God can transform hurt into hope—both for today and for eternity.
- Paul’s instruction to Titus: remind believers who they are and who God is.
- Never forget whose banquet table you are sitting at.