

How to be an Influencer in a Nearly  
Impossible to Influence Culture



# Who is Watching?



## 2 Corinthians 3:2

*You yourselves are our letter, written  
on our hearts, known and read by  
everyone,*

Titus 2:1-10



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## *Matthew 5:13-16 (The Message)*

*You're here to be salt-seasoning that brings out the God-flavors of this earth. If you lose your saltiness, how will people taste godliness?*

Matthew 5:13-16



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*You're here to be light, bringing out the God-colors in the world. God is not a secret to be kept. We're going public with this, as public as a city on a hill. If I make you light-bearers, you don't think I'm going to hide you under a bucket, do you? I'm putting you on a light stand. Now that I've put you there on a hilltop, on a light stand—shine! Keep open house; be generous with your lives. By opening up to others, you'll prompt people to open up with God*

*Matthew 5:13-16*



# Healthy Living



*16 They profess to know God, but they deny him by their works. They are detestable, disobedient, unfit for any good work.*

*2:1 But as for you, speak the things which are proper for sound doctrine.*



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*<sup>2</sup> Older men are to be sober-minded, dignified, self-controlled, sound in faith, in love, and in steadfastness.*



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*<sup>3</sup> Older women likewise are to be reverent in behavior, not slanderers or slaves to much wine. They are to teach what is good,*

*<sup>4</sup> and so train the young women to love their husbands and children,*

*<sup>5</sup> to be self-controlled, pure, working at home, kind, and submissive to their own husbands, that the word of God may not be reviled.*



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*<sup>6</sup> Likewise, urge the younger men to be self-controlled.*

*<sup>7</sup> Show yourself in all respects to be a model of good works, and in your teaching show integrity, dignity, <sup>8</sup> and sound speech that cannot be condemned, so that an opponent may be put to shame, having nothing evil to say about us.*



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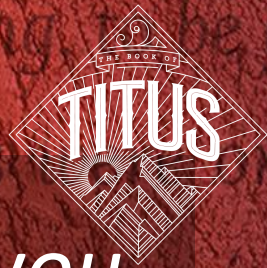


*<sup>9</sup> Bondservants are to be submissive to their own masters in everything; they are to be well-pleasing, not argumentative,*

*<sup>10</sup> not pilfering, but showing all good faith, so that in everything they may adorn the doctrine of God our Savior.*



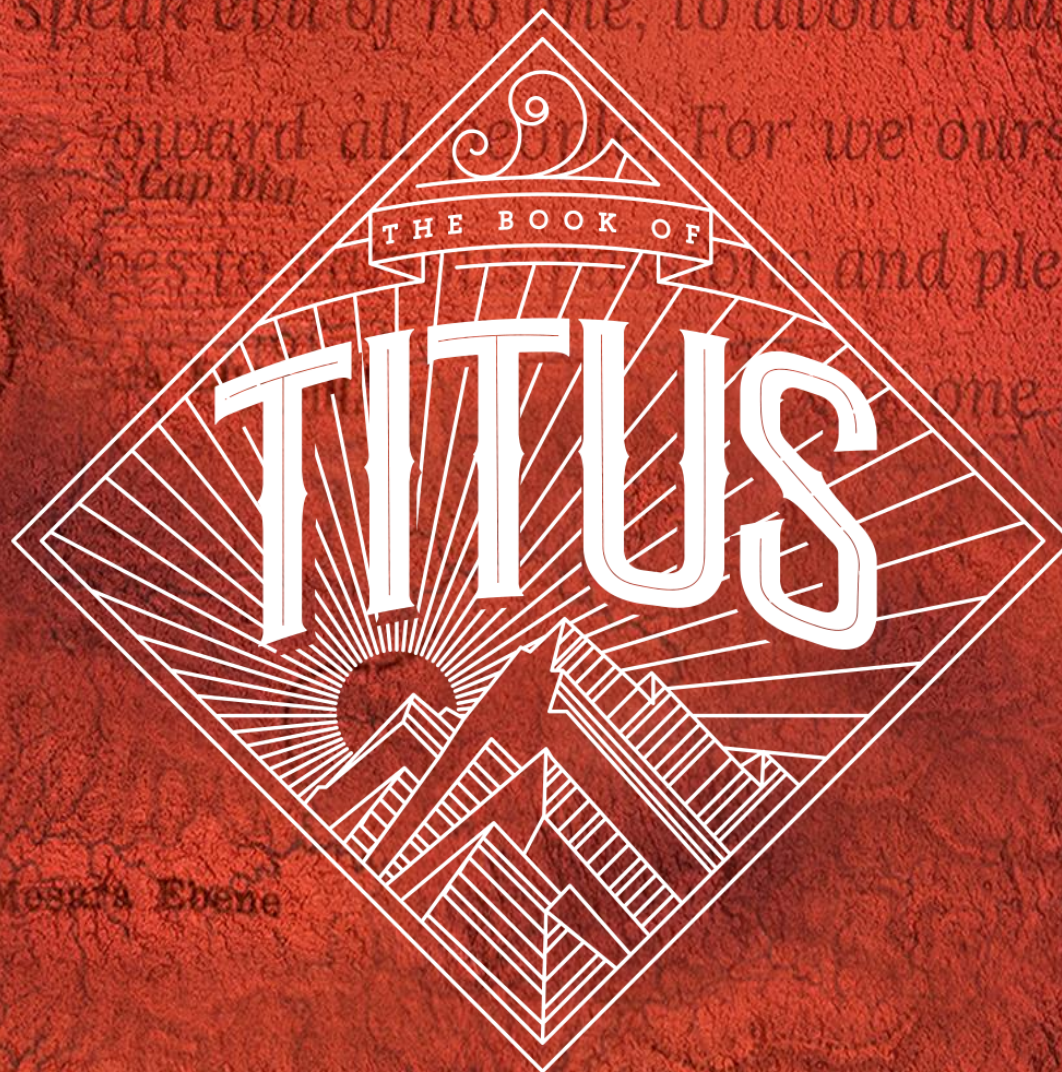
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1 Thessalonians 2:8 *Because we loved you so much, we were delighted to share with you not only the gospel of God but our lives as well.*

- If you are young, find someone to disciple you.
- If you are old, find someone to disciple.
- If you are somewhere in between, do both.





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