

WHAT ARE WORKERS TO BE IN CHRIST?
Sound doctrine leading to sound living in Christ
In the Work Relationship
Titus 2:9-10

I. PRELIMINARY ISSUES concerning slavery and work

A. Slavery

B. What does God have to say about work

II. THE WORK RELATIONSHIP: SLAVES/ EMPLOYEES (9-10)

A. **THE MANDATE:** Submit to your masters in all things (9a)

B. **THE MANNER:** in relation to God and man (9b-10a)

1. **In relation to men: To be well pleasing to them (9b-10)**

a) In their presence: not argumentative (9b)

b) When their not around: (10a)

(1) Not taking personal advantage of them (10a)

(2) Demonstrating all good faith to them (10a)

2. **In relation to God: Serving Christ sincerely from the heart (Col 3:22b-23)**

NOTE for Masters/Employers: Treat your slaves/employees properly (Colossians 4:1)

C. **THE MOTIVATION:** That our lives would adorn in every way the doctrine of God our Savior (10b)