

1. THE DUTIES OF SERVANTS. Verses 9, 10

1. Servants, or slaves had received a wonderful elevation through the gospel.

1. OBEDIENCE: Exhorts servants to be obedient.

2. Obedience limited by Divine Law. (A servant could not  
2a. Then he must patiently bear (sin at Master's order the consequences of such disobedience to his master.

2. CHEERFUL COMPLIANCE TO MASTER'S WILL.

1. Please them well in all things not answering again

3. HONESTY AND FIDELITY. Not purloining, but showing all good fidelity. Verse 10

2. THE DESIGN OF THIS FAITHFUL AND READY OBEDIENCE. V. 10

1. "That they may adorn the doctrine of God our Saviour in all things."

2. The Saviour is as fully glorified :

2a. In the sergant as in the master.

3b. In the poor as in the rich.

4c. In the peasant as in the king.

2. THE GRACE OF GOD HATH APPEARED. Verses 11, 13

1. THE SCOPE OF IT. To all men. Not a few select.

2. THE GRACE OF GOD BRINGS SALVATION.

1. We are saved by Grace. Eph. 2:8

*Instructing in right living in three directions:*

3. THE GRACE OF GOD A TEACHER. Verse 12, 13. It teaches:

1. To deny ungodliness and worldly lusts. 1 John 2:16

2. To live soberly and righteously in this present world.

3. The grace of God teaches us to look for that blessed hope, and the glorious appearing of the great God and our Saviour Jesus Christ.

*1. Soberly - as to self - discipline  
2. Righteously - relations to fellow-man  
3. Godly - in relations to God*

4. THE EXTENT OF CHRIST'S SAVIOURSHIP. Verse 14

1. He gave himself for us.

2. To redeem us from all iniquity.

3. A peculiar people... Zealous of good works. *Eph. 19:5 Deut. 7:6*

5. CULTIVATION OF RESPECT. (Verse 15)

1. Speak, Exhort, Rebuke with all authority.

2. Let no man despise thee. Contempt the natural effect of observed inconsistency in the life of teacher.

