"Saved In Order to Do Good" Text: Titus 3

Our Text opens with this admonishment: *Remind the people* (of Crete) *to be subject to rulers and authorities, to be obedient.* – **vs 1** This was pertinent because we know by now that the people of Crete were prone to being unruly and ungodly. They needed a regular reminder to respect others and those in authority.

Are we not like them? Why does God care? Because He knows that disrespect of other authority ultimately leads to disrespect of God's authority. Let me show you what I mean.

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1. They Needed ______.

- 2. They Needed God's
 - God's authority and call to salvation:
 - Justified by grace
 - Saved by grace
 - Filled with the Holy Spirit by grace

3. They Needed to ______ to God's Authority.

- And so do we!
- You have to Be Good before you can genuinely Do Good.