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Lesson 6

## (D1: THE HEART, D2: THE HOME, D3: MINISTRY)

### WOMEN ENCOURAGING WOMEN (TITUS 2:3-5)

DUE:

Wednesday, November 29/ Saturday, December 2

Before starting your Wellspring homework, praise God for who He is based on something you learned about Him from this lesson or something you've seen in your daily Bible reading. Ask Him to help you grow in your love for Him and your obedience to Him through your time of study.

#### LOOKING BACK...

1. Titus 2:11-12 says, "For the grace of God has appeared, bringing salvation to all men, instructing us to deny ungodliness and worldly desires and to live sensibly, righteously and godly in the present age,..." In these verses, Paul describes what grace instructs us to deny as well as how we are to live as believers.

Considering how God's grace not only saves us but also instructs us in godly living, complete the chart below keeping in mind what you learned from Titus 2:3-5.

What are we to Deny (Put Off)	How we are to Live (Put On)

2. Thinking about the chart above, what ungodliness and worldly desires do you need to deny (to put off, to repent of) in order to grow in this area?

(The following definitions from the lesson might be helpful.)

**Ungodliness:** Overt lack of reverence for God as well as living life with little or no thought of God, His will, His glory, or our dependence on Him.

**Worldly desires:** Not only desires which are overtly sinful, but also being overly focused on or attached to temporal things.

3. What does your repentance need to look like? Read Titus 2:13-14.

What hope do you find in these verses and how can you use that in a spiritual way to turn away from sin?

4. Think about the commands given to women in Titus 2:3-5, describe some ways that you are now currently, by God's grace, being obedient to the commands in these verses. (Either as an older woman helping younger women or as a younger woman, humbly allowing an older woman to help you grow)

5. Consider any areas that you need to "put on" in obedience to these commands. What specific ways will you do that?

How might that affect the growth of our church?

6. What are some ways that you can grow to be better prepared to step into the lives of other women in our church?

**LOOKING DAY BY DAY...**

What truths from God's Word would be beneficial to review regularly to help you grow as a Titus 2:3-5 woman?

Write down truths from your Bible reading that will benefit this growth.

**LOOKING AHEAD...**

In preparation for the next lesson, "The Life of Mary": Read Hebrews 11:1,2, 6, 35-12:3 with Mary the mother of Jesus in mind. How does the biblical account of Mary (for reference Luke 1&2 give a window into Mary's life) encourage you? What does the writer of Hebrews say about these faithful people and what affect their "stories" should have on our lives?

**Wellspring Kids Memory Verse:**

"I shall remember the deeds of the Lord; Surely I will remember Your wonders of old. I will meditate on all Your works and muse on all Your deeds. Your Way, O God, is holy; What god is great like our God? You are the God who works wonders; You have made known Your strength among the peoples."

Psalm 77:11-14