

SIX NOTS IN GODLY LEADERSHIP

Titus 1:7

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I. Not _____ as God's
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II. Not _____ - _____.

III. Not _____ - _____.

IV. Not _____ to _____.

V. Not _____.

VI. Not _____ of _____.

I Timothy 5:17a
Genesis 39:1-6a
I Cor. 4:1-2; 9:19-22

Romans 12:6-8

Luke 12:48b

I Peter 5:1-4

Hebrews 13:17

Romans 15:1

I Thess. 5:14

Prvbs. 24:11-12; 25:26

Matt. 26:39; John 8:29

I John 5:14-15

James 4:3

Eph. 4:26, 31-32

Mark 3:5; James 1:19

Prvbs 22:24; 29:22

James 1:20

Prvbs. 16:32

I Timothy 5:23

Eph. 5:18

I Cor. 6:12

I Cor. 8:12-13

Matthew 6:19-24

I Timothy 6:17-19

TEXT

Titus 1:7 NASB 1995

7 For the overseer must be above reproach as God's steward, not self-willed, not quick-tempered, not addicted to wine, not pugnacious, not fond of sordid gain,

My Application:

Journey Groups Discussion Questions

1. Can you share a time when a leader in your life brought a steady flow of God's blessings to you and the others he/she led? How about a time when there was a "not" in a leader's life and the blessings of the Lord didn't flow as readily?
2. Which of the resources of time, energy, money, spiritual gifting, freedoms, privileges, or people do you think the Lord would have you "upgrade" in your role as His steward?
3. Are you "self-willed"? Do things have to go your way? How can we know if we are "self-willed"?
4. How would you summarize your anger life? Are you quick-tempered? Do you hang on to wrongs suffered until they come out as anger? What do you do or say when you get angry?
5. What are your boundaries concerning wine drinking? How did you decide on those?
6. Are you fond of money? Are there any less-than-honorable means by which you have gained money?
7. Of the six "nots", which one do you think the Lord would have you work on?

