SETTING THE HOUSE IN ORDER The Book of Titus

REBELS AND RABBLE-ROUSERS

Titus 1:10-16

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For there are many rebellious men, empty talkers and deceivers, especially those of the circumcision, who must be silenced because they are upsetting whole families, teaching things they should not teach, for the sake of sordid gain. Titus 1:10-11

What does God say about dealing with false teachers?

1. False teachers can be identified.

- A. They are <u>unwilling to submit to authority</u>.
- B. They are empty talkers.
- C. They are <u>upsetting to people's faith</u>.
- D. They are greedy.
- E. They are <u>liars</u>.
- F. They are <u>mastered by their fleshly appetites</u>.
- G. They are <u>deceived</u>, <u>deceiving</u>, and <u>divisive</u>.

2. False teachers must be <u>silenced</u>.

- A. The pastor has to <u>confront</u> them and <u>reprove</u> them.
- B. The pastor has to <u>protect</u> the <u>soundness of the faith</u>.

Take the time to know the truth ... because the truth sets you free.