"Equipped for Good Works"

2 Timothy 3:10-17

"...Created in Christ Jesus to do good works." Eph. 2:10, NIV84

Christians are not only the Good-News people but also we are the Good-Deeds people!

SCRIPTURE READING: Paul's Charge To Timothy

"You, however, know all about my teaching, my way of life, my purpose, faith, patience, love, endurance, ¹¹ persecutions, sufferings—what kinds of things happened to me in Antioch, Iconium and Lystra, the persecutions I endured. Yet the Lord rescued me from all of them. ¹² In fact, everyone who wants to live a godly life in Christ Jesus will be persecuted, ¹³ while evil men and impostors will go from bad to worse, deceiving and being deceived. ¹⁴ But as for you, continue in what you have learned and have become convinced of, because you know those from whom you learned it, ¹⁵ and how from infancy you have known the holy Scriptures, which are able to make you wise for salvation through faith in Christ Jesus. ¹⁶ All Scripture is God-breathed and is useful for teaching, rebuking, correcting and training in righteousness, ¹⁷ so that the man of God may be **thoroughly equipped for every good work.**"

2 Tim. 3:10-17, NIV84

Christians Should Be Known For Doing Good Deeds!

As we do good deeds here in the Madrid area, we are building bridges to share the Love of Jesus!

LET'S CONSIDER THREE QUESTIONS:

1. Do You Have The Bible Habit?

- ♥ "So Jesus said to the Jews who had believed Him, "**If you continue in My word**, you really are My disciples." John 8:31, HCSB
- ♥ "Let the word of Christ dwell in you richly as you teach and admonish one another with all wisdom." Col. 3:16, NIV84

- "How can a young man keep his way pure? By living according to Your Word... I have hidden Your Word in my heart that I might not sin against You."
 Psalm 119:9,11; NIV84
- ♥ "These commandments that I give you today are to be upon your hearts."

 Deut. 6:6, NIV84

2. Are Letting The Bible Change You & Prepare You For Life?

▼ "The whole Bible was given to us by inspiration from God and is useful to teach us what is true, and to make us realize what is wrong in our lives. It straightens us out and helps us to do what is right. It is God's way of making us well prepared at every point, and fully equipped to do good to everyone."

2 Tim. 3:16-17, LB

- ♥ "Blessed is the one who reads the words of this prophecy, and blessed are those who hear it and take to heart what is written in it, because the time is near."

 Rev. 1:3, NIV84
- ♥ "For we are God's workmanship, created in Christ Jesus to do good works, which God prepared in advance for us to do." Eph. 2:10, NIV84

3. Do You Have An Extra 10 Minutes A Day?

▼ Regular reading of God's Word will prepare us to do **good works** that will build bridges of **good will** so that we can share the **good news** of Jesus.

The Bible: Daily Life Preparation

Would you like to be really prepared for every day of your life?

THE ANSWER:

The answer for daily life preparation is in the Bible!