

“The Biblical Qualifications of the Elder” (3:1-7)

I. The **QUALIFICATIONS** of Spiritual **LEADERSHIP**

- I. The **POSITION** of the Pastor
- II. The **POSTURE** of the Pastor
- III. The **QUALIFICATIONS** of the Pastor

* How do you define an Elder or Pastor?

A. Some **PRELIMINARY** Observations Regarding Elders:

1. Elders are to be _____, not women
2. Elders are to be _____ men
3. Becoming an elder is the result of the _____ working in and _____ a man to that function
4. The qualifications for elders are a _____, not a maybe
5. The qualifications for elders evaluate where the pastor's life is _____, not where he may have been in the past
6. No elder is _____ in themselves for these things
7. There also has to be an inner _____ for the work as an elder

What is not required?

B. Some **PARTICULAR** Character Traits Regarding Elders:

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* What does this mean to you?