Commitment of Powerful Leadership, Part 4 John MacArthur

I. Introduction.

- A. Text: Titus 1:4.
- B. What made Paul's leadership unique was his commitments.
- C. Paul was committed to God's men.
- D. Titus is a part of Paul's team.
- II. Paul's commitment to people in Romans 16.
 - A. Pheobe.
 - B. Priscilla and Aquila. (I Corinthians 16:19)
 - C. Epaenetus.
 - D. Mary.
 - E. Andrinocus and Junias.
 - F. Ampliatus.
 - G. Urbanus.
 - H. Stachys.
 - I. Apelles.
 - J. Aristobulus.
 - K. Herodion.
 - L. Narcissus.
 - M. Tryphaena and Tryphosa.
 - N. Persis.
 - O. Rufus. (Mark 15:21)
 - P. Asyncritus, Phlegon, Hermes, Patrobas and Hermas.

Q. Philologus, Julia, Nereus and his sister, and Olympas.

R. Paul's life was filled with people. He mentions those with him: Timothy, Lucius, Jason, Sosipater, Tertius, Gaius, Erastus and Quartus.

III. Paul calls Titus his true child. (II Timothy 2:2)

A. His name never appears in the book of Acts.

B. He is a true believer.

C. Everyone new Titus. (Galatians, Acts 9)

D. He began to shine especially in his work with the Corinthians. (Acts 19, II Corinthians 8:23)

IV. As we are engage in pouring into the lives of others, we too will be affected.

Application questions:

1. What is surprising to you about the long list of names Paul mentions?

2. What should a people centered ministry look like?

3. How does Titus show the fruit of a people centered ministry? What is your plan for pouring your life into another person? Explain.