

2nd Timothy 2

1. What was Timothy to teach & prepare other men to do?
2. In verses 3-6, Paul cites 3 illustrations to make three different points. For what *general* purpose did he cite these examples? (we'll get specific in the sub points)
 - a. Why did he cite the example of a soldier? (2 or 3 reasons)
 - b. Why the athlete?
 - c. Why the farmer?
3. *Why* was Paul suffering at the time of his writing this epistle? (vs. 8-9)
 - a. *How* was Paul suffering at that time? (9)
 - b. According to chap. 4:6-8, how much time did he think he had to live?
4. In the context of verses 10-12, in what sense is it so that if we “die with Christ” we shall also “live with Him.?”
5. What does God remain even if one of His children becomes faithless? (13)
6. As in 1 Timothy 1:4; 4:7 and 6:3-5, what does Paul warn against in verses 14, 16 and 23 of this chapter?

7. What command is given in verse 15 and why are we to do it?
8. What false teachers are named in this chapter? (17)
 - a. What did they teach, and what were the consequences?
9. In verses 19-21, what metaphor does Paul use of the church?
 - a. How are individuals represented in relation to this metaphor?
 - b. What two general categories describe people in this text?
 - c. What specific materials make up each category?
 - d. In what way does verse 21 teach one's personal responsibility in being a productive part of this house (church)?
10. What does verse 22 suggest about Timothy's age?
11. According to verse 24, what is one NOT to do when teaching others?
12. Who grants repentance when someone is converted from his error?
13. What analogy is used in verse 26 to describe what the devil does to sinners?