
1 Timothy: The Path of the Disciple – Session 1 Prep
February 15 – February 22, 2017

Lean In:

Think about someone who was significant in leading you to know Jesus, or helped you grow to know Jesus better. What did they do? How did they help you? Write down your thoughts below.

Look Down:

1. Read 1 Timothy 1:1-2
 - 1.1. Who is writing this letter? What do you learn about him?
 - 1.2. Who is the recipient? What does it say about him?
2. Let's get to know Timothy better. Read the following passages and write down anything that you learn about him.

Acts 16:1-3, 17:14,
18:5, 19:22, 20:4
Rom. 16:21
1 Cor. 4:17, 16:10
2 Cor. 1:1, 19

Phil. 1:1, 2:19
Col. 1:1
1 Thes. 1:1, 3:2, 6
2 Thes. 1:1
1 Tim 1:2, 18, 6:20

2 Tim. 1:2
Philemon 1
Heb. 13:23

3. How do you think Timothy came to know Jesus? See Acts 14:6-7
4. What experiences did Timothy encounter travelling with Paul?
5. How do you think Paul influenced Timothy in his walk with Jesus?
6. What responsibilities did Paul entrust to Timothy? Why?
7. What did it cost Timothy to be a disciple of Jesus?

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8. Where is Timothy when Paul writes this letter to him? See 1 Tim. 1:3
9. How did the church in Ephesus begin? Read through Acts 19 and 20:17-38. What were some of the problems the church might have faced?
10. Why did Paul write 1 Timothy? See 1 Tim. 1:3 and 3:14-15

Look Out:

11. What are some things people do today to grow spiritually?
12. Why does “discipleship” seem to be only for those “more spiritual”? How should the church view discipleship?

Look In:

13. How did you come to know Jesus? Who told you about Him?
14. How have you grown in your walk with Jesus? What experiences have you had together?
15. Is there someone you have influence on in her walk with Jesus? If not, is there someone God is putting on your mind that you should connect with?
16. What has it cost you being a disciple of Jesus?

Live it Out:

17. Have you ever discipled anyone? Why or why not?

Look Up:

Praise:

- *Thank God for those people He has put in your life to know Jesus better.*
- *Thank Jesus that He came to give us life abundantly (John 10:10)*

Pray:

- *For a willing spirit to take part in this journey of discipleship*
- *To trust God for His faithfulness and power to live this abundant life*