

A Manual for Spiritual Growth

2 Timothy 3:10-17

Introduction:

- Paul's circumstances
- Paul's concern for people

Two Ways to Grow Spiritually:

#1 Following the Examples of Godly People (vv. 10-15)

1. Paul's *encouragement* to Timothy
2. Paul's *example* to Timothy
3. Paul's list of strong qualities...
 - a. Doctrine
 - b. Manner of life
 - c. Purpose
 - d. Faith
 - e. Longsuffering
 - f. Love
 - g. Perseverance
 - h. Persecutions and afflictions

#2 Following the Teachings of God's Word (vv. 16-17)

1. The Word saves
2. The Word teaches
3. The Word reproves
4. The Word corrects
5. The Word trains