

The Priority of Proper Teaching

1st Timothy 1:8-11

(series #4)

Intro: teaching that is not helpful or is detrimental

1. Teaching that is driven by novelty
2. Exalting the mind at the expense of the heart
3. Exalting argumentation at the expense of action
4. Teaching that is designed to exalt the teacher
5. Teaching that is characterized by dogmatism

I. The Proper Use of the OT Law vv. 8-10

A. To show us our sinfulness

1. Romans 3:19-20
2. Galatians 3:24-25

B. To restrain evil in society

1. The law is not for a righteous person

2. It is for those who violate

a. The 1st half of the 10 commandments

b. The 2nd half of the 10 commandments

- (1) Murdering or striking parents - #5
- (2) Murder/manslayer - #6
- (3) Immorality & homosexuality - #7
- (4) Kidnaping/stealing - #8
- (5) Liar & Perjurers - #9

II. The Provision of the Gospel v. 11

A. The OT law prepares us for the gospel

B. The gospel was uniquely entrusted to Paul

Conclusion: Do you see your need for the gospel?