

12. What is the most important character trait?
13. Paul wrote I Corinthians 4 to straighten out the Corinthian's wrong perspective concerning what?
14. How ought pastors and spiritual leaders view themselves?
15. When Paul reviewed his ministry in Ephesus (Acts 20), the first thing he said was that he was there doing what?
16. Ministry is first and foremost service towards whom?
17. "Mysteries" as used in the New Testament is a reference to what?
18. We are stewards of what?
19. We must be faithful to God's truth in what two ways?
20. In 2 Timothy 1:6, Paul exhorted Timothy to stir up what?
21. In 2 Timothy 1:8 Paul exhorted Timothy to NOT be what?
22. What is Paul basically telling Timothy to do when he writes, "Hold fast the pattern of sound words..."?
23. When is the day when 2 Timothy 4 (regarding people wanting their ears tickled) becomes a reality?
24. The pervading atmosphere of Christianity today is to be bored with what?
25. What word means to believe "something or being convinced of something"?
26. What has happened to Christendom in relation to the Bible?
27. We need to hold fast to the truth of God's word with what?
28. When one stands for the Word of God in a harsh or caustic or insensitive or unloving way, it is actually a what?
29. Who was the perfect example of what Paul writes about?
30. Jesus never backed away from the Scriptures as the ultimate authority. At the same time, He was tremendously what?
31. In the Jewish culture, once a reed was bruised and useless, it would be what?
32. Both illustrations of a bruised reed and a smoking flax represent people who are viewed by society as what?
33. What was the deposit or trust that Timothy had been given?
34. Who is our "strengtheners"?
35. Who enables us to be faithful and responsible and steadfast and unswerving in our devotion to the Lord and His Word?
36. What are some of the saddest words in the Bible?
37. Why was Paul disappointed with the two men mentioned in chapter 1?
38. Where did Onesiphorous live?
39. What do we learn about Onesiphorous?

40. What is “That Day” a reference to?

41. There were times when Paul had to stand alone, but there were other times when the Lord graciously gave him strength and encouragement through whom?

42. What is the application from this sermon for every believer here today?

God did not give you His Word to make you a smarter sinner. He gave you His Word to make you more like His Son. Apply what you learn!

Remember: Your responsibility, by God’s enabling, is to consistently apply the divine principles and truths you have heard (Philippians 2:12-13; I Timothy 4:7-9; James 1:22-27). As you meditate on this message, ask yourself these questions:

- »»How does God want my beliefs/actions to change?
- »»How can I accomplish this change?
- »»What is the first step toward bringing about this change?

For Next Time:

1) For those in The Grace Challenge, memorize 2-3 verses this week and quote them to a friend.

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GUARD THE TRUST

2 Timothy 1:13-18

(Series #5)

The following are questions designed to facilitate greater learning and deeper understanding of spiritual truths presented in the sermon “**Guard The Trust.**” All of the questions are answered as the sermon is presented. We hope that it will be a catalyst to spiritual growth in your life.

1. What is the announcement Pastor Bryan makes at the start?
2. As an illustration of the reality that life is NOT fair, one of the greatest servants of the Lord ever spent his final days where?
4. During Paul’s final days he wrote a letter to his son in the faith. That “son” was whom?
5. When Paul wrote this letter, he knew what?
6. Paul’s life was basically finished and by God’s grace, he had not made what of the faith?
7. Paul wanted to have the confidence that Timothy would stay true and strong and NOT do what?
8. What did Paul want Timothy to do with God’s truth (as seen in 2 Timothy 2:1-2)?
9. According to James 3:1, what will minister’s of God’s Word receive?
10. Paul was under divine obligation to do what?
11. God’s severest chastening is reserved for whom?

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