

10. Where was Paul when he wrote this letter, 2<sup>nd</sup> Timothy?
11. In verses 14-18, what were the 4 most important responsibilities of a spiritual leader:
  - a. To \_\_\_\_\_ God's people of foundational and all-important truth.
  - b. To \_\_\_\_\_ God's people about getting into fruitless arguments.
  - c. To be \_\_\_\_\_ to rightly divide the word of truth.
  - d. To \_\_\_\_\_ harmful teachings.
12. What were Hymenaeus and Philetus saying about the resurrection?
13. If people believe that this life is all there is, then there is no incentive to be what?
14. What are the two aspects of who a Christian is (or the two angles from which to view a Christian)?
15. If you are a Christian, does your life back up your claim?
16. The name, "Christian" means what?
17. Why does Paul say "Let everyone who names the name of Christ depart from iniquity"?
18. Vessels of gold and silver would be used for what?
19. Vessels of wood and clay were used for what?
20. Paul uses the vessels as an illustration of what?
21. Are you a vessel of honor, sanctified (set apart) and useful to the Master? Is that your desire?
22. Can anyone be a vessel for honor, sanctified and useful to the Master?
23. If you want to be a vessel of honor, then you need to be willing to be what?
24. Not everyone in the church is doing what in relation to the Lord?
25. What are your "Christian" friends like? Do they honor the Lord and encourage you to honor Him in your life?
26. In this text, the Holy Spirit is **NOT** suggesting that we develop what kind of attitude or mind-set?
27. The Holy Spirit warns us that it is easy for us to become like whom?
28. Why does Paul begin with a statement like, "do not be deceived"?
29. What does bad company corrupt?
30. God says it is unwise to be close friends with someone who can't do what?
31. God says it is unwise to be close friends with someone who drinks or does what?
32. We are to fear the LORD and the king, but not associate with those who are what?
33. What does a person hate if he is a partner with a thief?
34. What will you pollute if you have the wrong people as your closest friends and companions?
35. We should seek to spend time with those who are what?
36. Whoever walks with wise people will be what?

37. The people who are closest to us and influence us ought to be people who do what?

38. Not only are we to flee from something (youthful lusts) but we are to pursue what?

39. Youthful lusts refers to more than sexual lusts. It refers also to what things?

40. If you don't flee from pride, desire for wealth and power, jealousy, self-assertiveness, and argumentative spirit, you will NOT be a what?

41. Is your desire to pursue righteousness, faith, love and peace?

***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.**

**2) Read 2 Timothy 1:1-2:26 three times.**

**3) Think through the implications of 2 Timothy 2:23-26 to your life and to your interaction with any unbelieving friends you may have. What might God want you to work on in response to this passage?**

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## USEFUL TO THE MASTER

### 2 Timothy 2:19-22

(Series #11)

The following are questions designed to facilitate greater learning and deeper understanding of spiritual truths presented in the sermon "**Useful To The Master.**" 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 one of the most difficult aspects of the Christian life?
2. If you separate yourself totally from people you are not demonstrating love to people God loves and you are not being what?
3. Which side of the spectrum (as described by Pastor Bryan) would you say you are on or lean towards?
4. In John 17, Jesus prayed to the Father that we would be what?
5. One of the things that makes it so difficult to find the balance is because our own hearts do what?
6. If you are drawn to and infatuated by the world, it is easy for you to embrace the ways of the world by convincing yourself that you are just trying to be what?
7. Are you uncomfortable being around unbelievers? Why?
8. What two things does God's Word exhort us to do?
9. Paul wrote the letter, 2<sup>nd</sup> Timothy, to do what?

**\*\*To help protect the quality of recording the sermon, we ask that you quietly turn to the inside of this study guide. Thank you! We appreciate your help.**