



Be Loyal in the Last Days!

2 Tim. 1:12-2:2



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¹² and that is why I suffer these things. But I am not ashamed, because I know whom I have believed and am persuaded that He is able to guard what has been entrusted to me until that day. ¹³ Hold on to the pattern of sound teaching that you have heard from me, in the faith and love that are in Christ Jesus. ¹⁴ Guard the good deposit through the Holy Spirit who lives in us.



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¹⁵ You know that all those in the province of Asia have deserted me, including Phygelus and Hermogenes. ¹⁶ May the Lord grant mercy to the household of Onesiphorus, because he often refreshed me and was not ashamed of my chains. ¹⁷ On the contrary, when he was in Rome, he diligently searched for me and found me.



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¹⁸ May the Lord grant that he obtain mercy from him on that day. You know very well how much he ministered at Ephesus.

² You, therefore, my son, be strong in the grace that is in Christ Jesus. ² What you have heard from me in the presence of many witnesses, commit to faithful men who will be able to teach others also.



1. Know Him, v. 12

- Knowing **about** Him is important (Rom. 10:17) BUT knowing **about** Him is not enough...
- *Paul said, “My goal is to know **Him** and the power of His resurrection and the fellowship of His sufferings, being conformed to His death...” Phil. 3:10*

Do you know Him?



2. Hold on to the Truth, v. 13

“Hold on to the pattern of sound teaching that you have heard...”

- What “truth” are you holding on to:

Man’s “truth” or the Truth of God revealed in Scripture? See: John 1:14; 14:6; 16:13; 17:17; 8:32

“Sanctify them by the truth; your Word is truth.” John 17:17



3. Be on Guard, v. 14

- “**Guard** the good deposit through the Holy Spirit who lives in us” v. 14
- “Timothy, **guard** what has been entrusted to you, avoiding irreverent and empty speech and contradictions from what is falsely called knowledge.” **1 Tim. 6:20**



4. Refresh Others, v. 16

- Timothy was a beacon of hope in Paul's heart, 1:4;4:9
- Onesiphorus was source of refreshing... 1:16,19

Do you build people up or tear them down?

Do you encourage or discourage?



5. Be Strong, 2:1

Be strong (empowered) in the grace that is in Christ Jesus...” 2:1

“For God has not given us the spirit of fear, but of power...” 2 Tim. 1:7

Nothing is too hard for God...
stand, speak and Shine... even in
the hardest time!



6. Pass it on, 2:2

Don't keep your faith or the gospel to yourself... **SHARE** it – consistently, intentionally, faithfully.

“What you have heard from me in the presence of many witnesses, commit to faithful me who will be able to teach others also.”
2 Tim. 2:2



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