

THE FIRST PRINCIPLES Series 3 - Book 5 - Living in God's Household

First Principles from the Pastorals

Student Name:

Student Mentor/ Certified
Guide Leader

Session 1 Objective: You have drafted an initial summary of Paul's overall intended meaning of the pastoral letters and you understand the basic significance of the household being the primary social structure of all churches.

Summarize the core teaching of the passage:

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Instructions: Summarize, in a "To...By..." statement, your own initial understanding of Paul's overall intended meaning of the pastoral letters and explain the basic significance of the household being the primary social structure of all churches.

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Session 2 Objective: You understand a Timothy-type leader's key role in keeping the church strong by guarding the truth and teaching everyone to conduct themselves in ways that fit their unique roles in the household of God.

Summarize the core teaching of the passage

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Instructions: Describe a Timothy-type leader's key role in keeping the church strong by guarding the truth and teaching everyone to conduct themselves in ways that fit their unique roles in the household of God.

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Session 3 Objective: You understand a Titus-type leader's key role in the process of setting churches in the order of God's household design so that they can focus on doing good deeds as attractive benefactor communities.

Summarize the core teaching of the passage

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Instructions: Describe a Titus-type leader's key role in the process of setting churches in the order of God's household design so that they can focus on doing good deeds as attractive benefactor communities.

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Session 4 Objective: You understand Paul's model of training future church leaders within the context of church ministry so they can be entrusted to faithfully perpetuate the churches and the training model.

Summarize the core teaching of the passage

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Instructions: Describe Paul's model of training future church leaders within the context of church ministry so they can be entrusted to faithfully perpetuate the churches and the training model.

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Session 5 Objective: You understand the key role that each generation of church leaders have in accurately preserving Christ's teaching to both protect the churches and keep them growing and multiplying worldwide.

Summarize the core teaching of the passage

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Instructions: Describe the key role that each generation of church leaders have in accurately preserving Christ's teaching to both protect the churches and keep them growing and multiplying worldwide.

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Session 6 Objective: You have sincere convictions on the meaning and significance of living in God's household according to the guidelines revealed by Paul and you have a basic plan for shaping your life decisions and habits around these convictions.

Instructions: Reflect on what you have learned from the biblical texts, readings and discussions related to the previous five competencies. Summarize the most important and personally impactful things that you have learned about living in God's household according to the guidelines revealed by Paul and create a basic plan for shaping your life decisions and habits around these convictions.

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Completion Date:

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