

QUESTIONS

Day 1: Review

1. What did you gain the most from reading the commentary notes?
2. What helped you the most from listening to the lecture?

Day 2: 1 Timothy 1:1-2 [\[Open NKIV\]](#) [\[Open NIV\]](#)

3. Using these two verses, describe the relationship between Paul and the Lord, and between Paul and Timothy.
4. What do you think Paul means by calling Timothy “my true child in the faith” in verse 2?
5. ? Personal Question: Would you be able to call someone your “true child in the faith”? Why?
6. Three key words for the Christian are mentioned in verse 2. Without consulting the dictionary, give your layman’s definition of:
 - a. grace-
 - b. mercy-
 - c. peace-

Who is the source of each?

Day 3: 1 Timothy 1:3-11 [\[Open NKIV\]](#) [\[Open NIV\]](#)

7. According to these verses, why did Paul want Timothy to remain in Ephesus?

8. What things mentioned by Paul are examples of being “contrary to sound doctrine”?
9. From verses 8-11, how does one develop sound doctrine?
10. ? Personal Question: What things are you doing in your life to insure that you do not follow unsound doctrine?

Day 4: 1 Timothy 1:12-15 [\[Open NKIV\]](#) [\[Open NIV\]](#)

11. Using only verse 12, for what was Paul thankful to Jesus Christ?
12. ? Personal Question: For what are you thankful to the Lord Jesus Christ today?
13. How did Paul describe himself prior to being changed by Jesus Christ?

Day 5: 1 Timothy 1:16-17 [\[Open NKIV\]](#) [\[Open NIV\]](#)

14. How did Paul state the reason for his dramatic change in verse 16?
15. ? Personal Question: Paul stated in verse 16 that his conversion served as an example to others who would later believe in Jesus. Who are the people in your life that have observed a display of Christ’s unlimited patience in you?
16. Make a list of some of God’s attributes mentioned in verse 17.
17. ? Personal Question: Which of God’s attributes that you listed in answering question 16 is most meaningful to you and why?

Day 6: 1 Timothy 1:18-20 [\[Open NKIV\]](#) [\[Open NIV\]](#)

18. What did Paul expect from Timothy, as stated in verses 18 & 19?

19. ? Thought Question: If we are saved by God's grace, then why does Paul ask Timothy to "wage war" and to "hold on to his faith"?

20. ? Personal Question: What battle has God called you to fight for Him, holding on to your faith?

21. ? Personal Question: Verse 19 uses the phrase "their faith has been shipwrecked". Explain what you think that means and write down what you might do to guard against "shipwrecking" your own faith.

22. Who were the two men that had shipwrecked their faith and what did Paul do to them and why?