

I Timothy #1

Chapter 1

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- 1) Who is our “hope”?
- 2) Paul wasn’t related to Timothy. What do you think “my true child in the faith” means?
- 3) Who is your spiritual “father” or “mother” (person who led you to the Lord)?
- 4) Are weird teachings about the Bible something new?
- 5) What should be the goal of our teaching?
- 6) Who is “the law” made for?
- 7) Homosexuality is “_____ to sound doctrine.”
- 8) Is lying wrong? _____ Should we hate liars?
- 9) Is homosexuality wrong? _____ Should we hate homosexuals?
- 10) “I thank Christ Jesus our Lord, who has strengthened me, because He considered me faithful, putting me into service; even though I was formerly a _____ and a persecutor and a _____ aggressor.”
- 11) Does it sound like Paul was a nice man? _____ Why did Paul say he received *mercy*?
- 12) Do people sometimes do and say things just out of ignorance?
- 13) Who was the biggest sinner ever, according to Paul?
- 14) What is one special reason that Paul was saved? (choose one)
 - a) He was really a good man deep inside
 - b) He was born in a religious family
 - c) To show any person, even the greatest sinner, that God loves him and can save him
- 15) What illustration did Paul use to warn of the danger of continually going against your conscience?

Chapter 2

- 1) Does verse 1 make it sound like the Lord wants us to pray?
- 2) We no longer have a king. Who do you think the Lord would want us to pray for instead?
- 3) “Who desires _____ men to be _____ and to come to the knowledge of the truth.”
- 4) Does God want everyone to be saved?
- 5) Who is our mediator (a *go between or negotiator*) between us and the Father?
- 6) Can any preacher, teacher, priest or friend be your mediator to God?
- 7) What physical action are we sometimes to do when we pray?
- 8) Read verses 9 & 10. How are women encouraged to adorn themselves (make themselves more attractive)?
- 9) Do Christian guys look for these qualities in girls most of the time? _____ Is that wise?
- 10) Are we to allow women to teach men or exercise authority over men in the church?
- 11) Is this a popular idea today?
- 12) Should we throw this instruction out and say that Paul was just following the culture or that he didn’t like women?
- 13) Who was deceived in the Garden of Eden? 1) Adam 2) Eve
- 14) Does it sound like women are more emotional and more easily deceived than men?
- 15) Verse 15 is very difficult. It refers to the Garden of Eden where Eve was told she would have the pain of childbirth. He is encouraging her to accept her God given role as mother, not leader!

Chapter 3

- 1) In the church, there is the position of “overseer.” This person is to *oversee* the activities of the church. Today they are sometimes called “elders” (I Timothy 5:17), “pastors,” or even “bishops,” as in the King James Version. _____ Is it a good thing to desire this position?
- 2) List the requirements (qualifications) that God gives for anyone who desires to hold this position ?

1)	2)	3)
4)	5)	6)
7)	8)	9)
10)	11)	12)
13)	14)	
- 3) The other position (official office) in the church is called a _____. (The word “deacon” means, “a servant, minister or waiter” especially for a king.)
- 4) In verse 11, the word for “women” is often translated, “wives.” Do wives affect their husband’s ministry?

