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# THE LIFE OF TIMOTHY NOTES : WEEK 8

### "Choices of a Sacrificial Leader"

1. "THREE TIMES I WAS BEATEN WITH RODS"

2. A JAILOR SET FREE

3. A CAPITAL MISTAKE

### 4. LOOKING BRIEFLY AT PHILIPPIANS

A. Two best times to look at an Epistle:

i.

ii.

### 5. WHAT CAN WE GLEAN ABOUT THEIR MINISTRY IN PHILIPPI?

- A. Paul feels no need to appeal to the credential "\_\_\_\_\_\_", and addresses "\_\_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_" as part of his target group.
  (1:1)
  - i. What title does he use for he and Timothy instead?
  - ii. What about Timothy as a coauthor? Why is he mentioned?
- B. 1:5-7, 29-30; 2:12; 3:2-3 (and compared to 3:17-21); 4:9, 15-16, 18
- C. 1:12-13 and 4:22 lend toward the probability of this being written from Paul's Roman imprisonment.

#### 6. WHAT CAN WE LEARN ABOUT TIMOTHY?

- A. Paul uses \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_, and \_\_\_\_\_, as examples of sacrificial leadership to which they will do well to imitate (remember who part of his target was \_\_\_\_\_\_)
- B. Here we have one of the more substantial statements of Paul about Timothy: Phil. 2:19-24.
  - i. ii.

iii.

iv. "He served with me in the furtherance of the gospel like a child serving his father."

- 1.
- 2.
- 3.
- 4.

### "To Thessalonica and Berea"

7. BRIEF, BUT SUBSTANTIAL MINISTRY IN THESSALONICA

- 8. WHAT DO WE KNOW OF THE MINISTRY IN THESSALONICA FROM 1 THESS.?
  - A.

B.

C.

D.

E.

### 9. "LEFT BEHIND"

### "While Paul was in Athens"

#### 10. WHAT WAS PAUL DOING?

- A. Acts 17:16-34
- B. Compare his message style and method to other examples in Acts (refer to uploaded document for reference).
- C. Possibly read from *The Apostle* if time permits from about p. 147ff.

#### 11. WHAT WAS TIMOTHY DOING?

With Paul absent, he had to help fill a gap, and as he was already serving in the team, he likely continued to:

A.

B.

C.

D.

12.

## "Back Together in Corinth"

### 13. SENT BACK FROM ATHENS

### 14. CORINTH

15. MEETING PRISCILLA AND AQUILA IN CORINTH

### 16. "TENTMAKING"

### 17. ERASTUS, THE CITY TREASURER

### 18. THE ISTHMIAN GAMES

### 19. PAUL IN CORINTH

- A. 1 Cor. 2:1-5
- B. 1 Cor. 9

C. 1 Cor. 15:1ff.

### 20. GALLIO'S DECISION

21. ACHAIA

## 22. THE THESSALONIAN LETTERS – "NOW WE REALLY LIVE, IF YOU STAND FIRM IN THE LORD"