

INTRODUCTION TO 2 Timothy

READ ALONG

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WHERE IS IT IN THE BIBLE?

- 52. 1 THESSALONIANS
- 53. 2 THESSALONIANS
- 54. 1 TIMOTHY
- 55. **2 TIMOTHY**
- 56. TITUS
- 57. PHILEMON
- 58. HEBREWS

KEY VERSES

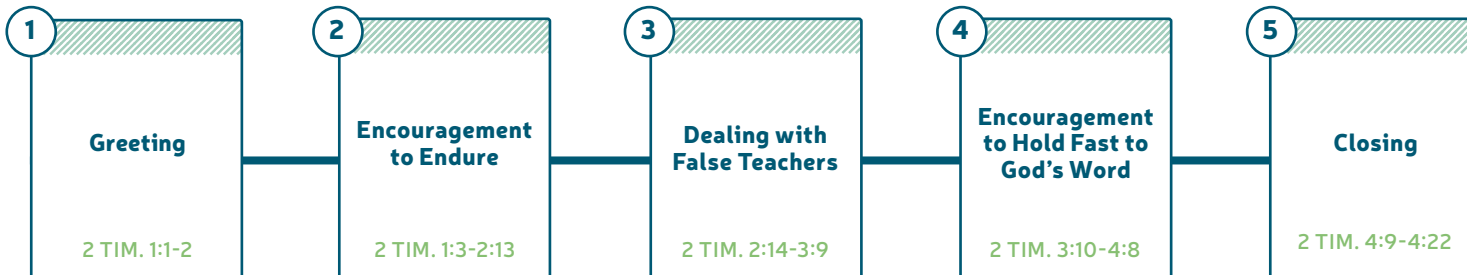
- **1:13-14** "Hold on to the pattern of sound teaching that you have heard from me, in the faith and love that are in Christ Jesus. Guard the good deposit through the Holy Spirit who lives in us."
- **2:1-2** "You, therefore, my son, be strong in the grace that is in Christ Jesus. What you have heard from me in the presence of many witnesses, commit to faithful men who will be able to teach others also."
- **2:11-13** "This saying is trustworthy: For if we died with him, we will also live with him; if we endure, we will also reign with him; if we deny him, he will also deny us; 13 if we are faithless, he remains faithful, for he cannot deny himself."
- **2:15** "Be diligent to present yourself to God as one approved, a worker who doesn't need to be ashamed, correctly teaching the word of truth."
- **3:15-17** "And you know that from infancy you have known the sacred Scriptures, which are able to give you wisdom for salvation through faith in Christ Jesus. All Scripture is inspired by God and is profitable for teaching, for rebuking, for correcting, for training in righteousness, so that the man of God may be complete, equipped for every good work."
- **4:1-2** "I solemnly charge you before God and Christ Jesus, who is going to judge the living and the dead, and because of his appearing and his kingdom: 2 Preach the word; be ready in season and out of season; correct, rebuke, and encourage with great patience and teaching."

KEY THEME

1. Following Jesus involves suffering and sacrifice. (1:8, 1:12, 2:3, 2:9, 3:11-12, 4:5, 4:14-18)
2. False teaching is harmful to the Christian faith. (2:16-18, 2:23-26, 3:1-9, 4:3-5)
3. Scripture is foundational to the Christian faith.
 - a. Scripture is where truth is found (2:15)
 - b. Scripture is able to give us wisdom for salvation (3:15)
 - c. Scripture equips us for every good work (3:16-17)
4. Discipleship passes biblical truth from generation to generation. (1:5, 2:1-2, 3:14-15)

BASIC STRUCTURE

25 VERSES



BOOK BASICS



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64-67 AD



TYPE
Epistle



AUTHOR
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PURPOSE

Paul is writing to prepare the young Timothy and the church for the necessity of passing down biblical truth from generation to generation which may require suffering.