2 Timothy - Chapter 1

Introduction

Written by Paul to Timothy late in Paul's life while he is imprisoned. (2 Timothy 1:1-2, 2 Timothy 4:6-8)

Greeting (1:1-2)

- How was Paul authorized to be an apostle (v1)?
- What is the promise of life (v1)?
- Why was Timothy called a beloved son (v2)?
- Where does grace, mercy and peace originate (v2)?
- Can true grace, mercy and peace come from anywhere else (v2)?

Neither Afraid Nor Ashamed (1:3-12)

- Did Paul have a pure conscience (v3)?
- How often did Paul pray for Timothy (v3)?
- Can faith not be genuine (v5)?
- How would someone stir up the gift of God (v6)?
- What spirit should we not have (v7)?
- What should fear be replaced by (v7)?
- How would one be ashamed of the testimony of our Lord (v8)?
- What is the power of God (v8)?
- What has Jesus abolished (v10)?
- What has He brought instead (v10, John 10:10)?
- How did Paul avoid being ashamed (v12)?
- Why was Paul persuaded (v12)?

Hold Fast (1:13-18)

- Is there a pattern (v13)?
- Where do sound words originate (v13)?
- Did Paul have reason to be disappointed (v15)?
- Does not being ashamed require positive action (v17)?