

FUNDAMENTALS

A STUDY IN 2 TIMOTHY

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A Useful Servant

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What was the most important take-away for you from this week's message?

In your own words - how would you summarize the theological message of today's text?

Discussion Questions

1. What are the 'pitfalls' or sinful tendencies Paul highlights in vv. 14-19? Why are these things so dangerous?
2. **Apply It!** Have you experienced the tendency toward contentiousness in your own life? How about faithlessness? How have you successfully resisted these in the past?
3. What do you make of the metaphor Paul uses about the vessels for dishonorable vs honorable uses (vv. 20-21)? What does it mean to be a vessel for honorable use in the master's house?
4. How might the Christian "cleanse himself from what is dishonorable" (v. 21)?
5. **Apply It!** How can we stay clean and avoid that which is dishonorable in our own lives, to ensure that we can be holy vessels, useful for the master?
6. What does it mean to flee from sin (v. 22)? Why is this so important to those who wish to be useful servants?
7. **Apply It!** What will you do, based on this passage, to better pursue our mission - to Live for God, to Love Each Other, and to Build God's Kingdom?

PRAY TOGETHER!

This July, please be praying for the new season of ministry here at DVBC! As new ministries commence and existing ministries are strengthened and expanded, pray that God would be at the center, and that together the body at DVBC would be united around bring glory to Jesus and revealing him to our community!