

Questions from 1 Timothy 1:12-20 David Stanford

Read 1 Timothy 1:12-20 out loud.

Have a time of giving thanks as God leads.

David mentioned that we are all in God's service. How does that impact you? What does verse 16 mean and how does it affect you?

Reflect on Paul's story and your stories. Talk about the role grace played in your salvation. How does God's grace and mercy on your life impact you?

What is the value on remembering what you were before you were saved? What is the downside?

When people share their story they may use the phrases like; Jesus saved me or I was converted or I committed my life to Jesus. What is the difference and significance of each of these statements?

Read verse 17. Also read Psalm 100 and have a Praise Bomb...enjoy a time of praising God together

Read verses 18-20.

Paul uses strong military language to exhort Timothy to keep going. Discuss this. How does that apply to us? Christ won the victory so why do we need to fight? What does fighting involve for you? What and who keeps you from having your faith shipwrecked?

What action do you need to take from this passage about 'taking hold of your kingdom life'?

Have a time of prayer for each other, for church leaders and also people you know whose faith is close to being shipwrecked.