

Introduction to 2nd Timothy

Background

- 63 A.D. – 1 Timothy and _____ written
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This is a book about...

- Paul's personal love for _____
- Faithful and _____ believers and co-workers
- _____ for Christ and the gospel
- _____ • Importance of the _____
- Passing the _____
- Endurance + God's _____ = _____ the Course

Chapter 1	Chapter 2	Chapters 3-4
_____ <i>from the Past</i>	_____ <i>in the Present</i>	_____ <i>to the Future</i>
_____	Entrust / _____ Exercise	_____
Key Verse: 2 Tim. _____		

The Take-Away – Paul was not a _____ in the ministry
_____ *were very important to him* – for example: _____

- Desired his presence just before his _____ (4:9, 21)
- Is someone _____ for us? ⇒ _____

Have we traded _____ for power?

- Examples:
- The Roman Empire and the early Church
- Our opportunity? God has always been _____ for us
(Gen. 3 / Ps. 139 / Jn. 4 / Lk. 19 / Jn. 14 / Jn. 21 – Mt. 9)

Reflection and Application

- Where have I traded _____ for power with God? W/others?
- Steps to recover lost ground?
- Are there people whom I am willing to _____ for Jesus' sake?