

Sermon Outline for September 29, 1996

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A Preliminary Chiastic Outline for Paul's First Epistle to Timothy

- A. A Salutation of Sovereign Grace 1:1,2
- B. Timothy to Discipline Teachers of Error 1:3-11
- C. Paul, Poor in Spirit, A Humbled Sinner, Is Entrusted 1:12-16
- D. A Doxology 1:17
- E. A Charge and Warning to Timothy 1:18-20
- F. Prayer (By Men) for Kings 2:1-8
- G. The submission of Women In the Church and Home 2:9-15
- H. Qualify Church Officers 3:1-13
- I. The Creedal Household of God 3:14-16
- J. Apostate Ministers 4:1-5
- J. Faithful Ministers 4:6-16
- I. Honor Household Members (Particularly, widows) 5:1-16
- H. Honor Church Officers (Levirs, God's Oxen) 5:17-25
- G. The Submission of Servants 6:1,2
- F. Material Contentment 6:3-10
- E. A Charge and Warning to Timothy 6:11-14
- D. Doxology 6:15,16
- C. Charge the Rich 6:17-19
- B. Timothy Warned Not to Err and Miss the Mark 6:20,21a
- A. Closing Words - Sovereign Grace 6:21b

Truths God has Entrusted to Us Through 1 Timothy

- I. Sovereign Grace
- II. Conflict in the Church
- III. Discipline, Charge and Love
- IV. Prayer in the Church for the State
- V. Men in the Church
- VI. Women in the Church and Home
- VII. Officers in the Church - Qualifications, Practice
- VIII. The Household of God - Community
- IX. Centrality of Pastors
- X. Reformation, not Revolution
- XI. Danger of Riches, Both Desire For and Possession Of
- XII. Glory of God

The Three Offices of Christ, Christian Sanctification and Discernment

Prophet - Intellectual Aspect of Man, Bible, Head (Diversion, Curse on Intellect, Curse on Community if Err Here)

Priest - Consecrative Aspect of Man, Material Possessions, Pocketbook, Hands, Prayer, Thanksgiving, (False Hope and Pride, Curse on Intellect, Curse on Community if Err Here)

King - Dominical Aspect of Man, Reign, (Gentile Rule, Curse on Community if Err Here)

Motivation, Standard, Environment (Priest, Prophet, King)