# 2 Timothy - KJV

# Greetings

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2Ti 1:1 Paul, an apostle of Jesus Christ by the will of God, according to the promise of life which is in Christ Jesus,
2Ti 1:2 To Timothy, my dearly beloved son: Grace, mercy, and peace, from God the Father and Christ Jesus our Lord.

2Ti 1:3 I thank God,
whom I serve from my forefathers with pure conscience,
that without ceasing I have remembrance of thee in my prayers night and day;
2Ti 1:4 Greatly desiring to see thee,
being mindful of thy tears,
that I may be filled with joy;

2Ti 1:5 When
I call to remembrance the unfeigned faith that is in thee,
which dwelt first in thy grandmother Lois,
and thy mother Eunice;
and I am persuaded that in thee also.
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• which is in thee by the putting on of my hands.

2Ti 1:6 Wherefore I put thee in remembrance that thou stir up the gift of God,

# Do not be Timid in Sharing the Gospel

### 2Ti 1:7 For

God hath not given us the spirit of fear; but of power, and of love, and of a sound mind.

2Ti 1:8 Be not thou therefore ashamed of the testimony of our Lord, nor of me his prisoner: but be thou partaker of the afflictions of the gospel according to the power of God;

2Ti 1:9

Who hath saved us, and called us with an holy calling,

- not according to our works,
- but according to his own purpose
- and grace.
- which was given us in Christ Jesus before the world began,
  - o 2Ti 1:10 But is now made manifest by the appearing of
  - o our Saviour Jesus Christ,
    - who hath abolished death,
    - and hath brought life and immortality to light through

#### the gospel:

2Ti 1:11 Whereunto I am appointed
a preacher,
and an apostle,
and a teacher of the Gentiles.

2Ti 1:12 For the which cause I also suffer these things: nevertheless I am not ashamed:

for I know whom I have believed,

and am persuaded that he is able to keep that which I have committed unto him against that day.

### Retain the standard

- 2Ti 1:13 Hold fast the form
  - of sound words, which thou hast heard of me,
  - in faith and love which is in **Christ Jesus**.
- 2Ti 1:14 That good thing which was committed unto thee keep by the Holy Ghost which dwelleth in us.

### Those who abandoned Paul

2Ti 1:15 This thou knowest, that all they which are in Asia be turned away from me; of whom are **Phygellus** and **Hermogenes**.

## Mercy to Unbelievers who show kindness to those sharing the gospel

- 2Ti 1:16 The Lord give mercy unto the house of **Onesiphorus**;
  - for he oft refreshed me,
  - and was not ashamed of my chain:
- 2Ti 1:17 But, when he was in **Rome**, he sought me out very diligently, and found me.
- 2Ti 1:18 **The Lord** grant unto him that he may find mercy of **the Lord** in that day: and in how many things he ministered unto me at **Ephesus**, thou knowest very well.
- 2Ti 2:1 Thou therefore, my son,

be strong in the grace that is in Christ Jesus.

## Train others to teach what Paul has taught

2Ti 2:2 And the things that thou hast heard of me among many witnesses, the same commit thou to faithful men, who shall be able to teach others also.

## Analogy of Soldiers, Athletes, Farmers

- 2Ti 2:3 Thou therefore **endure hardness**, as a good soldier of **Jesus Christ**.
- 2Ti 2:4 No man [soldier] that warreth entangleth himself with the affairs of this life; that he may please him who hath chosen him to be a soldier.
- 2Ti 2:5 And if a man also strive for masteries [ competes as an **athlete**], *yet* is he not crowned, except he strive lawfully.
- 2Ti 2:6 The **husbandman** [farmer] that laboureth must be first partaker of the fruits.

# Fear not Suffering Hardship and Imprisonment for the Gospel

- 2Ti 2:7 Consider what I say; and the Lord give thee understanding in all things.
- 2Ti 2:8 Remember that Jesus Christ
  - of the seed of **David**
  - was raised from the dead according to
- my gospel: 2Ti 2:9 Wherein I suffer trouble,
  - as an evil doer, even unto bonds; but the word of God is not bound.
  - 2Ti 2:10 Therefore I endure all things for the elect's sakes, that they may also obtain the salvation which is in **Christ Jesus** with eternal glory.
- 2Ti 2:11 It is a faithful saying: For if we be dead with him, we shall also live with him:
- 2Ti 2:12 If we suffer, we shall also reign with him: if we deny him, he also will deny us:
- 2Ti 2:13 If we believe not, *yet* he abideth faithful: he cannot deny himself.

## Handle accurately the word of truth

2Ti 2:14 Of these things put *them* in remembrance, charging *them* before **the Lord** that they strive not about words to no profit, *but* to the subverting of the hearers.

2Ti 2:15 Study to shew thyself approved unto God,

- a workman that needeth not to be ashamed,
- rightly dividing the word of truth.

2Ti 2:16 But shun profane and vain babblings: for they will increase unto more ungodliness.

2Ti 2:17 And their word will eat as doth a canker:

of whom is **Hymenaeus** and **Philetus**; 2Ti 2:18 Who concerning the truth have erred, saying that the resurrection is past already; and overthrow the faith of some.

#### 2Ti 2:19

Nevertheless the foundation of God standeth sure, having this seal,

- The Lord knoweth them that are his.
- And, Let every one that nameth the name of Christ depart from iniquity.

2Ti 2:20 But in a great house there are not only vessels of gold and of silver, but also of wood and of earth; and some to honour, and some to dishonour.

2Ti 2:21 If a man therefore **purge himself from these**, he shall be a vessel unto honour,

- sanctified.
- and meet [fit] for the master's use,
- and prepared unto every good work.

#### 2Ti 2:22 Flee also

youthful lusts:

but follow

- righteousness,
- faith,
- charity,
- peace,

with them that call on the Lord out of a pure heart.

2Ti 2:23 But foolish and unlearned questions avoid, knowing that they do gender [produce] strifes.

2Ti 2:24 And the servant of the Lord must not strive;

but

- be gentle unto all *men*,
- apt to teach,
- patient,
- 2Ti 2:25 In meekness instructing those that oppose themselves;
  - o if **God** peradventure [perhaps] will give them repentance to the acknowledging of the truth;
  - o 2Ti 2:26 And *that* they may recover themselves out of the snare of **the devil**, who are taken captive by him at his will.

### 2Ti 3:1 This know also, that

# in the last days perilous times shall come.

### 2Ti 3:2 For men shall be

- lovers of their own selves,
- covetous,
- boasters,
- proud,
- blasphemers,
- disobedient to parents,
- unthankful,
- unholy,
- 2Ti 3:3 Without natural affection,
- trucebreakers,
- false accusers,
- incontinent [without self-control],
- fierce [brutal],
- despisers of those that are good,
- 2Ti 3:4 Traitors,
- Heady [reckless],
- Highminded [conceited],
- lovers of pleasures more than lovers of **God**;
- 2Ti 3:5 Having a form of godliness, but denying the power thereof:

#### from such turn away.

### 2Ti 3:6 For of this sort are

they which creep into houses, and lead captive silly women laden with sins, led away with divers lusts.

2Ti 3:7 Ever learning, and never able to come to the knowledge of the truth.

### 2Ti 3:8 Now as

- Jannes and Jambres withstood Moses,
- so do **these** also resist the truth: men of corrupt minds, reprobate concerning the faith. 2Ti 3:9 But they shall proceed no further: for their folly shall be manifest unto all *men*, as theirs also was.

### Follow Paul's Example

### 2Ti 3:10

But thou hast fully known

- my doctrine,
- manner of life,
- purpose,
- faith,
- longsuffering [perseverance],
- charity,
- patience,
- 2Ti 3:11 Persecutions,
- afflictions.

### which came unto me

- at Antioch,
- at Iconium,
- at Lystra;

### what persecutions I endured:

but out of them all the Lord delivered me.

2Ti 3:12 Yea, and all that will live godly in **Christ Jesus** shall suffer persecution.

2Ti 3:13 But evil men and seducers[imposters] shall wax worse and worse, deceiving, and being deceived. Note: Imposters - Witches and Wizards usurping leadership positions in the churches, governments and government institutions, major corporations, and media outlets, by way of the shadow government

#### 2Ti 3:14

But continue thou in the things

- which thou hast learned and hast been assured of, knowing of whom thou hast learned them;
- 2Ti 3:15 And that from a child thou hast known the holy scriptures, which are able to make thee wise unto salvation through faith which is in **Christ Jesus**.

#### 2Ti 3:16

# All scripture is given by inspiration of God,

and is profitable

- for doctrine,
- for reproof,
- for correction,
- for instruction in righteousness:

2Ti 3:17 That the man of God may be perfect, throughly furnished unto all good works.

### **Note: Definition of the Scriptures**

Mat 26:56 But all this was done, that the scriptures of the prophets might be fulfilled. Then all the disciples forsook him, and fled.

Luk 24:27 And beginning at Moses and all the prophets, he expounded unto them in all the scriptures the things concerning himself.

Rom 1:1 ...the gospel of God, Rom 1:2 (Which he had promised afore by his prophets in the holy scriptures,)
Act 17:2 And Paul, as his manner was, went in unto them, and three sabbath days reasoned with them out of the scriptures, Act 17:3 Opening and alleging, that Christ must needs have suffered, and risen again from the dead; and that this Jesus, whom I preach unto you, is Christ.

# Be Always Ready to Implement the Gospel in and out of season

2Ti 4:1 I charge thee therefore

before **God**,

and the Lord Jesus Christ, who shall judge the quick and the dead at his appearing and his kingdom;

- 2Ti 4:2 Preach the word; (Note: which is Jesus Christ Himself John 1:1,14)
- be instant [ready] in season, out of season;
- reprove,
- rebuke,
- exhort

with all longsuffering and doctrine.

#### 2Ti 4:3 For the time will come when

they will not endure sound doctrine;

but after their own lusts

- shall they heap to themselves teachers, having itching ears;
- 2Ti 4:4 And they shall turn away *their* ears from the truth,
- and shall be turned unto fables.

#### 2Ti 4:5 But

- watch thou in all things,
- endure afflictions,
- do the work of an evangelist,
- make full proof of thy ministry.

## Paul expecting to die soon

2Ti 4:6 For I am now ready to be offered, and the time of my departure is at hand.

- 2Ti 4:7 I have fought a good fight,
- I have finished my course,
- I have kept the faith:

2Ti 4:8 Henceforth there is laid up for me

a crown of righteousness,

which

the Lord, the righteous judge, shall give me at that day:

and not to me only, but unto all them also that love his appearing.

2Ti 4:9

## Do thy diligence to come shortly unto me:

#### 2Ti 4:10 For

Demas hath forsaken me, having loved this present world, and is departed unto Thessalonica;

Crescens to Galatia,

Titus unto Dalmatia.

2Ti 4:11 Only Luke is with me.

Take Mark, and bring him with thee: for he is profitable to me for the ministry.

2Ti 4:12 And Tychicus have I sent to Ephesus.

2Ti 4:13 The cloke that I left at **Troas** with **Carpus**, when thou comest, bring with thee, and **the books**, but especially **the parchments**.

## God delivers His own from evil

- 2Ti 4:14 Alexander the coppersmith did me much evil: the Lord reward him according to his works:
- 2Ti 4:15 Of whom be thou ware also; for he hath greatly withstood our words.
- 2Ti 4:16 At my first answer [defense] no man stood with me, but all men forsook me: I pray God that it may not be laid to their charge.
- 2Ti 4:17 Notwithstanding the Lord stood with me, and strengthened me;
  - that by me the preaching might be fully known,
  - and *that* **all the Gentiles** might hear:

and I was delivered out of the mouth of the lion.

2Ti 4:18 And the Lord shall deliver me from every evil work, and will preserve *me* unto his heavenly kingdom: to whom *be* glory for ever and ever. Amen.

# Paul's' fellow workers

- 2Ti 4:19 Salute Prisca and Aquila, and the household of Onesiphorus.
- 2Ti 4:20 Erastus abode at Corinth: but Trophimus have I left at Miletum sick.
- 2Ti 4:21 Do thy diligence to come before winter.

Eubulus greeteth thee, and Pudens, and Linus, and Claudia, and all the brethren.

2Ti 4:22

The Lord Jesus Christ be with thy spirit.
Grace be with you. Amen.