1 Timothy

Part 5

What's the point of preaching & teaching?

Why do we have to listen to talks on Sunday mornings? As I urged you when I went into Macedonia, stay there in Ephesus so that you may command certain people not to teach false doctrines any longer or to devote themselves to myths and endless genealogies.

1 Timothy 1:3-4

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1 Timothy 4:1-5

⁶ If you point these things out to the brothers and sisters, you will be a good minister of Christ Jesus, nourished on the truths of the faith and of the good teaching that you have followed. ⁷ Have nothing to do with godless myths and old wives' tales; rather, train yourself to be godly.

1 Timothy 4:6-7

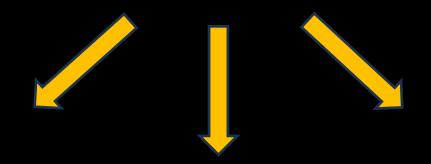
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True Faith





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Until I come, devote yourself to the public reading of Scripture, to preaching and to teaching.

1 Timothy 4:13

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Don't let anyone look down on you because you are young, but set an example for the believers in speech, in conduct, in love, in faith and in purity.

1 Timothy 4:12

Watch your life and doctrine closely. Persevere in them, because if you do, you will save both yourself and your hearers.

1 Timothy 4:16