

Series Title:

“Passing the Torch of Truth”

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Sermon Title:

“Do You Have What It Takes To Be Used by God?”

(Part 2)

Sermon Text:

II Timothy 2:20-26

Introduction:

- *Paul now gives the 6 characteristics of the man or woman who is truly enslaved to the Lord of Glory:*

I. A Humble Servant Of The Lord Is Not Involved In

Or _____ (2:24a)

- The word translated “*quarrelsome*” is a word that means “*to* _____, _____, _____
or _____.”
- *III John 9-10; James 1:19-20; Jude 3*

II. A Humble Servant Of The Lord Is Careful To Treat Others With The Utmost

And _____ (2:24b)

- What is the meaning of the word translated “*kind*”?
- *I Thessalonians 2:7; Luke 6:32-36*

**III. A Humble Servant Of The Lord Is _____ In _____ The
Truth Of God’s Word (2:24c)**

- The word translated “*able to teach*” literally means “ _____ in _____.”

“Every disciple who would be fully used of the Lord must be able to communicate God’s eternal word in an understandable way.”

**IV. A Humble Servant Of The Lord Is _____ When Wronged And
When Attacked (2:24d)**

- To be “*patient when wronged*” means to endure mistreatment without _____
or _____.
- *II Timothy 3:12; Philippians 1:29; John 15:18-21; I Peter 2:21-23*

V. A Humble Servant Of The Lord Is Meek And Humble When The
_____ (2:25a)

- The word “*gentleness*” is a word that is better translated “ _____ ” or “ _____ .”
- Who are “*those who are in opposition*”?

VI. A Humble Servant Of The Lord Is Always Hoping and Praying For God’s
_____ (2:25b-26)

- God is the _____ while we are a _____ through which He dispenses His life-transforming grace.
- What is the meaning of the word “*repentance*”?
- ***The only way you and I could ever repent and be saved is if God gave you the gift of _____ and _____!***
- ***Acts 5:31; Acts 11:18; II Corinthians 7:9***
- “***Knowledge***” – means “*a precise, _____, _____ knowledge.*”
- When true repentance occurs, what happens?
- The word for “***having been held captive***” literally means “*to _____.*”

“God’s program is to catch men alive and turn them into fishers of men; Satan’s program is also to catch men alive, but then to turn them into destroyers of men.”

Conclusion:

If we refuse to _____ ourselves, _____ ourselves, and make ourselves _____ to the Lord, we will find ourselves captive to the devil in one sense or another.

Remember, it is your responsibility to make the divine principles and truths contained in this message real by consistent application of them in your own life.