

Paul's Continuing Concerns

And the Answer

Areas of Concern

- Immorality
- Love
- Weariness
- False religion and the philosophies of men
- Leaving the apostolic teaching

The Answer

- ✓ Hold fast the pattern of sound words
- ✓ Guard the treasure entrusted to you
- ✓ Commit the pattern of sound words to faithful men who will teach others also
- ✓ Remind
- ✓ Shun and stop the teaching that is not sound
- ✓ Be diligent...rightly dividing the word of truth
- ✓ Carefully follow the doctrine
- ✓ Continue in the doctrine
- ✓ Preach the doctrine

2 Timothy 1:13

Hold fast the pattern of sound words which you have heard from me, in faith and love which are in Christ Jesus.

Retain the standard of sound words which you have heard from me, in the faith and love which are in Christ Jesus. (NASB)

2 Timothy 1:14

That good thing which was committed to you, keep by the Holy Spirit who dwells in us.

Guard, through the Holy Spirit who dwells in us, the treasure which has been entrusted to you. (NASB)

2 Timothy 2:2

And the things that you have heard from me among many witnesses, commit these to faithful men who will be able to teach others also.

2 Timothy 2:14, 16-18

Remind them of these things, charging them before the Lord not to strive about words to no profit, to the ruin of the hearers....But shun profane and idle babblings, for they will increase to more ungodliness. And their message will spread like cancer. Hymenaeus and Philetus are of this sort, who have strayed concerning the truth, saying that the resurrection is already past; and they overthrow the faith of some.

2 Timothy 2:15

Be diligent to present yourself approved to God, a worker who does not need to be ashamed, rightly dividing the word of
truth.

2 Timothy 3:10-11

But you have carefully followed my doctrine, manner of life, purpose, faith, longsuffering, love, perseverance, persecutions, afflictions, which happened to me at Antioch, at Iconium, at Lystra—what persecutions I endured. And out of them all the Lord delivered me.

2 Timothy 3:14

But you must continue in the things which
you have learned and been assured of,
knowing from whom you have learned
them

2 Timothy 4:2-4

Preach the word! Be ready in season and out of season. Convince, rebuke, exhort, with all longsuffering and teaching. For the time will come when they will not endure sound doctrine, but according to their own desires, because they have itching ears, they will heap up for themselves teachers; and they will turn their ears away from the truth, and be turned aside to fables.

The Answer

- ✓ Hold fast the pattern of sound words
- ✓ Guard it
- ✓ Commit it to faithful men who will teach others also
- ✓ Remind
- ✓ Shun and stop the teaching that is not sound
- ✓ Be diligent...rightly dividing the word of truth
- ✓ Carefully follow the doctrine
- ✓ Continue in the doctrine
- ✓ Preach the doctrine, the pattern of sound words