

CONFRONTING ERROR IN MINISTRY
(2 Timothy 2:14-26) pt3

I. Exhortations to Steadfast Service For Christ (1:3-2:26)

A. The Apostle's Expression of Gratitude and His Motivation For Ministry To Timothy (1:3-12)

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E. The Apostle's Reminder Concerning Diligent Study & Biblical Separation from False Teachers (2:14-26)

1. The Lord's workman faithfully _____ believers of the _____ they need to know, as well as _____ them not to _____ about unprofitable issues, that can _____ the hearers! (2:14)

2. God's workman seeks to _____ to present himself _____ to God. (2:15)

- How does he do this?

3. The Lord's workman _____ (2:16)

4. The Lord's workman understands the _____ of false teaching is like a _____ in any assembly! (2:17a)

5. The Lord's workman identifies & names _____ teachers for the _____ of the body! (2:17b-18)

6. The Lord's workman _____ God's people on their sure _____, the _____ that indicates this & God's _____ in life! (2:19)

7. The Lord's workman is to be a _____ that _____ the Lord in his service (2:20-26)

- What does all this entail?

a. The "great house" is the _____ of God – illustrated here as any _____ assembly where _____ (vessels) function & serve.

b. The vessels of gold & silver are those of _____, while those of wood & earth are those of _____

- How should this be understood in light of the context here?

c. Some vessels are _____ in their study rightly dividing the word of truth: cutting it straight, teaching it accurately, and _____ on biblical precepts that _____ the Lord and His people; while other vessels in the assembly were _____ diligent, but _____ from the truth & showed themselves to be _____ false teachers or perhaps just _____ makers in the assembly!

- So as a workman that "honors" the Lord, what is expected of you?

1) Being a workman that honors the Lord means you _____ yourself from ... those of dishonor. (2:21)

If you do choose to... _____ from those of dishonor....you will be (future indicative) a vessel...

- a) “for _____” =
- b) that is “ _____ ” =
- c) that is “ _____ ” =
- d) that is “ _____ ” =

2) Being a vessel that honors the Lord means “ _____ youthful _____ ”(2:22a)

3) Being a vessel that honors the Lord means actively choosing to “ _____ ” things which honor Him.

- _____
- _____
- _____
- _____
- _____

4) Being a vessel that honors the Lord avoids _____ (2:23)

5) Being a vessel unto honor means viewing yourself as a _____ of the Lord. (2:24a)

6) Being a servant of the Lord you are not to be _____ with others (2:24b)

• How is a vessel who “honors the Lord” to conduct himself?

- a. With _____ toward all men
- b. With the ability to _____ the WOG
- c. With _____

7) Being a vessel unto honor means you _____ seek to _____ those who are in _____ (2:25)

• The goal of correction is _____. Repentance means to _____.

“That God would grant them repentance”.... =

“...having been taken captive by him to do his will,” =

