





2 Timothy

Final Words

As Paul continued his letter, the shadow of the executioner's ax lengthened and grew darker. The apostle's work on earth was almost done. His busy pen would soon be still forever. All that remained for him to do was to charge and challenge his young colleague. In 2 Timothy 4, we sense a new urgency in Paul's words. He was laying siege to Timothy's heart and pressing the attack on all focus.

2 TIMOTHY OVERVIEW

1. "I am praying for you." (Ch. 1)

– Guard the truth.

2. "Use what God has given you." (Ch. 2)

– A worker that is approved.

3. "Hold fast – the end is coming." (Ch. 3)

– Persecution will come.

4. "You can make it like I made it." (Ch. 4)

– Fulfill your calling.



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- Tell others the truth! (vs. 1-4)
- Accomplish His Purpose! (vs. 5-8)
- Come Quickly to the Aid of Others! (vs. 9-18)
- Remember Your Friends! (vs. 19-22)

TAKE HOME TRUTHS

- ▶ **Submit your experience to doctrine** (vs. 1-5). *Titus 1:9-10*
- ▶ **Run the race, then comes the reward** (vs. 6-8). *1 Cor. 9:26-27*
- ▶ **Stay close to other Christians** (vs. 9-13). *Heb. 10:24-25*