

I TIMOTHY

Chapter 2 Bible Study

Day 3 (Week 10)

Instructions about Worship

¹ I urge you, first of all, to pray for all people. Ask God to help them; intercede on their behalf, and give thanks for them. ² Pray this way for kings and all who are in authority so that we can live peaceful and quiet lives marked by godliness and dignity. ³ This is good and pleases God our Savior, ⁴ who wants everyone to be saved and to understand the truth. ⁵ For there is only one God and one Mediator who can reconcile God and humanity—the man Christ Jesus. ⁶ He gave his life to purchase freedom for everyone. This is the message God gave to the world at just the right time. ⁷ And I have been chosen as a preacher and apostle to teach the Gentiles this message about faith and truth. I'm not exaggerating—just telling the truth. ⁸ In every place of worship, I want men to pray with holy hands lifted up to God, free from anger and controversy. ⁹ And I want women to be modest in their appearance. They should wear decent and appropriate clothing and not draw attention to themselves by the way they fix their hair or by wearing gold or pearls or expensive clothes. ¹⁰ For women who claim to be devoted to God should make themselves attractive by the good things they do. ¹¹ Women should learn quietly and submissively. ¹² I do not let women teach men or have authority over them. Let them listen quietly. ¹³ For God made Adam first, and afterward he made Eve. ¹⁴ And it was not Adam who was deceived by Satan. The woman was deceived, and sin was the result. ¹⁵ But women will be saved through childbearing, assuming they continue to live in faith, love, holiness, and modesty.

Questions

1. How did Paul say we should pray for all men? (3 things from V1) _____

2. Who else did Paul say we should pray for? (V2) _____

3. How many people does our Savior want saved? (V4) _____
4. Who is the One Mediator that can reconcile us to God? (V5) _____
5. Why did Jesus give His life? (V6) _____
6. Who was Paul chosen to preach to? (V7) _____
7. What does God want us to be free from when we pray and lift hands to God? (V8) _____

8. How does God want women to be in their appearance? (3 things from V9)

9. How should women make themselves attractive instead? (V10) _____

Reflection/Application: What is the one thing that really stood out to you, and how can you apply it to your life? _____

Prayer Guide: Based upon the third part of the Lord's Prayer (*Give us today the food we need*), Pray to God and ask Him to provide for your needs in life (Food, clothing, shelter, healthy relationships, etc).

Answer Key

1. A) Ask God to Help them, B) Intercede on their behalf, C) Give thanks for them.
2. Pray for Kings and all who are in authority.
3. Everyone.
4. The man Jesus Christ.
5. To purchase Freedom for everyone.
6. Paul was chosen to preach to the Gentiles (Non-Jewish People).
7. God wants us to be free from anger and controversy.
8. Women should have A) Modest Appearance, B) Wearing decent and appropriate clothing, C) Not drawing attention to themselves in how they dress.
9. Women should make themselves attractive by the good things they do.