

HARVEST COMMUNITY CHURCH

July 30, 2006

On Guard! Protecting My Relationship With God #7

"Taking Care of Business"

I Timothy 5:1-25

I. "Just a Little Bit ..." vs. 1-2

- A. Treat Each other like _____.
- B. Extra _____ for Younger Women = _____

II. The Care of Widows - vs. 3-16

- A. _____ Responsibility vs.3-8
 - 1. Put _____ into _____
(James 1:27)
 - 2. _____
 - 3. _____
 - 4. _____ of our _____
 - Pleasure seekers - walking _____

B. Those Who Qualify - v. 9-10

- 1. Over _____ and
- 2. _____ and
- 3. Known for _____ and
- 4. Devotion to _____ =
- 5. Making the _____

C. Those Who Don't Qualify - vs. 11-16

- 1. Young - might not _____
- 2. _____ - lead to _____
 - a. Marriage is _____
 - b. Sensual Desire - two things:
 - 1. Lead to _____ without marriage

2. Lead to marriage outside of the _____.

c. breaking first pledge?

- 1. to remain _____
- 2. to remain _____

* idle, busybodies, and gossips

III. Honoring Leaders - vs.17-22

- A. Respect
- B. _____ support
- C. Benefit of _____
- D. Don't put someone _____.
- E. Don't show _____

IV. Timothy's Issues - vs.23

- A. Physical - _____
- B. Spiritual - _____

V. The Nature of our Actions - vs. 24-25

- A. Some catch up _____
- B. Some catch up _____

VI. A Few Principles to ponder:

- A. The way we treat others - especially those in need - _____.
- B. The Church has a responsibility to meet the needs of its people and at the same time be very wise about those resources.
- C. We are responsible to protect our faith - _____.

July memory verse: 1 Timothy 2:5-6 (NIV) For there is one God and one mediator between God and men, the man Christ Jesus, who gave himself as a ransom for all men.