

HARVEST COMMUNITY CHURCH

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On Guard! Protecting My Relationship With God #12

"Living Prepared" part 2 2 Timothy 3:14-17

2 Timothy 3:1 (NIV) *But mark this: There will be terrible times in the last days.*

Principles for living prepared: Remember; Focus

- Remember _____
- Remember the _____
- Focus on the _____

2 Timothy 3:14-17 (NIV) ¹⁴ *But as for you, continue in what you have learned and have become convinced of, because you know those from whom you learned it, ¹⁵ and how from infancy you have known the holy Scriptures, which are able to make you wise for salvation through faith in Christ Jesus. ¹⁶ All Scripture is God-breathed and is useful for teaching, rebuking, correcting and training in righteousness, ¹⁷ so that the man of God may be thoroughly equipped for every good work.*

- The KEY to living life prepared and protecting my relationship with God is: _____

1 Thessalonians 2:13 (NIV) *And we also thank God continually because, when you received the word of God, which you heard from us, you accepted it not as the word of men, but as it actually is, the word of God, which is at work in you who believe.*

To saturate my life with God's Word I need to:

1. Read - _____ vs. 14-15

- It will _____

Hebrews 4:12 (NIV) *For the word of God is living and active. Sharper than any double-edged sword, it penetrates even to dividing soul and spirit, joints and marrow; it judges the thoughts and attitudes of the heart.*

- It will _____

James 1:22 (NIV) *Do not merely listen to the word, and so deceive yourselves. Do what it says.*

2. _____ vs. 16-17

Deuteronomy 6:6-9 (NIV) ⁶ *These commandments that I give you today are to be upon your hearts. ⁷ Impress them on your children. Talk about them when you sit at home and when you walk along the road, when you lie down and when you get up. ⁸ Tie them as symbols on your hands and bind them on your foreheads. ⁹ Write them on the doorframes of your houses and on your gates.*

Joshua 1:8 (NIV) *Do not let this Book of the Law depart from your mouth; meditate on it day and night, so that you may be careful to do everything written in it. Then you will be prosperous and successful.*

- The Bible _____ (teaching)
- The Bible _____ (rebuking)
- The Bible _____ (correcting)
- The Bible _____ (training in righteousness)

_____ for saturating your life with God's Word

September Memory Verse - 2 Timothy 4:7-8 (NIV) ⁷ *I have fought the good fight, I have finished the race, I have kept the faith. ⁸ Now there is in store for me the crown of righteousness.*