

ALL SCRIPTURE IS GOD-BREATHED AND IS USEFUL
FOR TEACHING, REBUKING, CORRECTING AND
TRAINING IN RIGHTEOUSNESS, SO THAT THE
SERVANT OF GOD MAY BE THOROUGHLY EQUIPPED
FOR EVERY GOOD WORK.

2 TIMOTHY 3:16-17

A large, diverse crowd of people is shown in a church setting, likely during a service or event. The people are seated in rows, and the atmosphere appears to be one of community and shared experience. The text is overlaid on the center of the image.

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Why we *(still)* need
to be together

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2 TIMOTHY 3

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GOOD TEACHING:

- ...IS SCRIPTURAL.

YOU STUDY THE SCRIPTURES DILIGENTLY BECAUSE YOU THINK THAT IN THEM YOU HAVE ETERNAL LIFE. THESE ARE THE VERY SCRIPTURES THAT TESTIFY ABOUT ME, YET YOU REFUSE TO COME TO ME TO HAVE LIFE.

JOHN 5:39-40

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GOOD TEACHING:

- ...IS SCRIPTURAL.
- ...**IS USEFUL.**

DO NOT MERELY LISTEN TO THE WORD, AND SO DECEIVE YOURSELVES. DO WHAT IT SAYS. ANYONE WHO LISTENS TO THE WORD BUT DOES NOT DO WHAT IT SAYS IS LIKE SOMEONE WHO LOOKS AT HIS FACE IN A MIRROR AND, AFTER LOOKING AT HIMSELF, GOES AWAY AND IMMEDIATELY FORGETS WHAT HE LOOKS LIKE. BUT WHOEVER LOOKS INTENTLY INTO THE PERFECT LAW THAT GIVES

JAMES 1:22-25

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FREEDOM, AND CONTINUES IN IT—NOT FORGETTING
WHAT THEY HAVE HEARD, BUT DOING IT—THEY
WILL BE BLESSED IN WHAT THEY DO.

JAMES 1:22-25

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- ...IS FORMATIVE.
- ...IS MADE EFFECTIVE BY HOW IT IS HEARD.
- **...GETS REPEATED TO OTHERS.**

YOU THEN, MY SON, BE STRONG IN THE GRACE
THAT IS IN CHRIST JESUS. AND THE THINGS YOU
HAVE HEARD ME SAY IN THE PRESENCE OF MANY
WITNESSES, ENTRUST TO RELIABLE PEOPLE WHO
WILL ALSO BE QUALIFIED TO TEACH OTHERS.

2 TIMOTHY 2:1-2

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HOW BEAUTIFUL ON THE MOUNTAINS ARE THE
FEET OF THOSE WHO BRING GOOD NEWS...

ISAIAH 52:7

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