



Stand Firm in Your Faith

2 Timothy 3:10-15

- 1) Be a true follower of Jesus Christ (10-11)
 - a) Adhere to all the *teachings* of the Bible (10a)
 - b) Imitate the *conduct* of true men & women of God (10b)
 - c) Know your *purpose*: to glorify God and enjoy Him for eternity (10c)
 - d) Be *faithful* to your calling (10d)
 - e) Being *patient* under trial (10e)
 - f) Demonstrating *love* for God & His people (10f)
 - g) *Persevering & suffering* under severe duress (10g-11a)
- 2) Christianity is not just a free pass to heaven (12-13)
 - a) We will suffer for Christ if our faith is real (12)
 - b) Christ's enemies will continue to increase & hurt us (13)
- 3) The faith that changed your life, continue in it (14-15)
 - a) Reflect on the life of your heroes, mentors, & counsellors
 - b) Return to the sacred writings of Scripture to build you up
- 4) Questions for thought
 - a) Do you know what you believe?
 - b) Can you defend what you believe?
 - c) Do you live what you believe?
 - d) Do you know people whom you can imitate?
 - e) Can you be one others can imitate?