**A Journey through the Bible**

**I Timothy**

September 7th, 2016

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| Introduction   1. I Timothy, II Timothy and Titus are called the 2. The two main personalities of the book: 3. Paul — chapter 1:1 4. Timothy — chapter 1:2 |  | letters. |
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**I. Why was the Letter Written?**

1. To warn Timothy of false teachers — chapters 1:3-4; 6:3-5
2. To instruct Timothy on how to conduct himself in the discharge of his duties — chapter 3:14-15
3. To encourage him to teach the flock — chapter 4:6, 11-13

**II. An Overview of the Letter**

A. The work of the ministry — chapters 1-3

1. Chapter 1:12-17 — Paul speaks about himself

1. Chapter 2 — He makes some contrasts between men and women —   
   subjects of submission and prayer

3. Chapter 3 — Additional contrasts between Elder/Pastor and Deacons

B. The work of the minister — chapters 4-6 Some do's and don'ts

1. Chapter 4:6
2. Chapter 4:7a
3. Chapter 7b-8
4. Chapter 4:12
5. Chapter 4:14
6. Chapter 5:3-16

C. Some wise words in closing — chapter 6

1. To masters and slaves — verses 1-2
2. To rich and poor

He lists 3 different groups

1. Those who are not —verses 6-8
2. Those who want to be — verses 9-10
3. Those who are — verses 17-19