

SUNDAY—SEPTEMBER 17

DAILY SCRIPTURE READING: 2 Timothy 5

☐ MARK IF READ *BONUS* ☐ PROVERBS 17 ☐ PSALM 81-85

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2 THESSALONIANS 2:15

Therefore, brethren, stand fast, and hold the traditions which ye have been taught, whether by word, or our epistle.

Tradition is that which is handed down from generation to generation. There are good traditions and there are bad traditions. We must be careful to embrace the godly traditions that have been handed down from those who have gone before us. Traditions such as church attendance, good manners, courtesy, and kindness are important to pass on. Appropriateness in matters of verbal communication, modest attire, and physical purity are important traditions to hold on to. We should strive to keep alive the Biblical traditions that have been passed to us. Don't change. Don't move the ancient "Landmarks" are fathers set.

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1 TIMOTHY 4:8

For bodily exercise profiteth little: but godliness is profitable unto all things, having promise of the life that now is, and of that which is to come.

We only have one life to live. We ought to want to do the things that are profitable. To do that which would physically strengthen are bodies is a profitable thing. We should care for the temple of the Holy Spirit, doing what is necessary to enable us to serve the Lord in this body for years to come. But much more important than physical exercise is being spiritually fit! Being godly helps in every area of life. We should not neglect our physical health, but we really should be sure to be healthy spiritually. How strong are your God-Muscles? Can you carry the spiritual load that God wants for you or are you a weakling? Remember being spiritual fit profits in all things!

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1 TIMOTHY 3:1-2A

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Paul describes the qualifications of a “Pastor” or “Shepherd” here in this portion of Scripture. The word “Bishop” is used in this context, which means “overseer” or is another word for Administrator. The other word used to describe the same office is “Elder.” The most important word in the section is the word “blameless.” There is no man on earth who could completely live up to the standards without fail found in these verses. “Blameless” means that he strives to be above reproach in these areas. He is not known as a usual offender of these particular sins. We should all seek to be blameless in our lives. You don’t have to be called to be qualified.

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2 THESSALONIANS 3:6

*Now we command you, brethren, in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ, that ye withdraw yourselves from every brother that walketh **DISORDERLY**, and not after the tradition which he received of us.*

2Th 3:7 “For yourselves know how ye ought to follow us: for we behaved not ourselves **disorderly** among you;”

2Th 3:11 “For we hear that there are some which walk among you **disorderly**, working not at all, but are busybodies.” God likes order. He created order and wants his church and His people to live orderly lives. Disorganization is not godly. Watch out for people that try to disrupt the work of God by causing disorder. This is usually evidenced by a disorder of rank. People that don’t know their PLACE become critical of authority. Proudful people don’t like to be in submission. All humanity has faults, but God wants us to know our place. Get in order!

QUESTIONS

4. In verse 3, what attribute describes God? _____
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