

1 Timothy LESSON 23

Read Chapter 4 Verses 14-16 and answer the Following Questions

1. What does the word "GIFT" mean here?
2. Where does this gift come from?
3. When given, is the person who receives it now under greater obligation
- See qualifications for Elders 1 Timothy 3:1-7
4. Who were these presbyters?
5. How would a believer neglect their spiritual gift?
6. "Take pains" is the word "meletao" How would you translate it?
7. How involved was Timothy to be in these things?
8. **The simple word progress *when is looked at in Greek is more expansive than just progress. Explain?***
9. Notice the aggressive encouragement to Timothy about things of his ministry. Why do you think Paul is so firm about them?
10. How long is Timothy to walk beside believers in his care?
11. What does Paul mean by "*as you do this you will ensure salvation both for yourself and for those who hear you.*"
12. Could this encouragement be appropriate for today?