



Elgin Evangelical Free Church - April 24, 2022

## Background:

- Written by Paul to his trusted friend, Timothy, who was pastoring the church Ephesus.
- Timothy needed encouragement to face the growing threat of false teaching that threatened to damage the church.
- This is an epistle about leadership and authority and how it gives or takes life.

## I. What does a leader teach?

A. He should teach the Gospel – 1 Timothy 1:12-17

B. He should teach the Gospel REGULARLY – 1 Timothy 4:1, 10

## II. How does a leader live?

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III. What does a leader desire?

A. God's Pleasure – 1 Timothy 2:3, 5:4

B. Not Financial Gain – 1 Timothy 6:6, 10

C. Hold on to the truth – 1 Timothy 6:20