

2 TIMOTHY



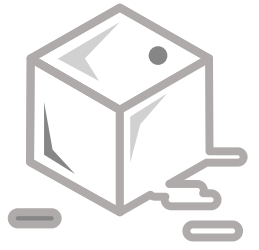
WEEK OF JUNE 1, 2025

We are Growing and Maturing in The Faith

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ICEBREAKER

WHAT'S THE FUNNIEST WORD OR PHRASE YOU KNOW
AND WHY DO YOU THINK IT'S FUNNY?



INTRODUCTION:

What's the funniest word or phrase you know and why do you think it's funny?

WORDS MATTER V.14-19

- What you say matters, and what you don't say matters. How are you reminding yourself daily to guard your words?
- Is there a part of your life that doesn't please God or represent Him well?
- Referencing v. 16, in what ways have you been or seen someone else be successful in avoiding irreverent babble?
- "The Lord knows those who are His." In what ways does your life reflect that you are His?

GOD WANTS TO USE HIS PEOPLE V. 20-21

- We have a responsibility to clean up our lives and fully submit ourselves to God. What is something dishonorable that you need to release so you can be used by God?
- Are you currently serving on a dream team? If not, what is holding you back?
- How have you seen God use your willingness to serve to reach others?

MATURE CHRISTIANS ARE MATURING CHRISTIANS – V.22-

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- It's not enough to just flee from sin, we also must pursue righteousness. Which of these do you find easier?
- In v.24-25, Paul lists the expectations of the Lord's servants. Which of these do you lack spiritual maturity in and which do you most mature in?
- This is a heavy list of expectations, but God will patiently grant us repentance to lead us to a deeper knowledge of Truth. How does this promise offer you peace?





ENCOURAGE

Do your best to represent God in all that we do and say. Allow others to see God in us as a representation of his kingdom through the words we (you) speak. Remember, we are representing God and the words that come out of our mouths represent the God we serve.



ASK

Are you maturing in the faith with Jesus in your decisions and pursuing Godliness and leaving behind your old ways, addictions, sexual sins, gossiping, and old relationships that do not produce Christlike behavior in us? We must pursue the Lord and his people...It's part Maturing!



CHALLENGE

If you haven't already, attend Growth Track and join a Dream Team!!

PRAYER

Thank you, Lord, for loving me and revealing to me the path towards freedom in you. Lord, help me mature in your word so that my decisions reflect my pursuit of Godliness. Lord, please show me what I need to flee from because I am who I am. Please examine my heart, show me the error of my ways, and reveal what I need to do to get in sync with your word so I can do what you ask. Lord, I love you, and I thank you for loving me. I trust you and value your word.