



2 Timothy

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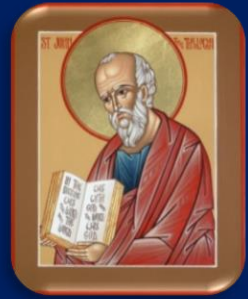
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2 Timothy Introduction

The Call to Christian Perseverance

Answering Nine Questions



- 1) Who wrote it? – Paul
- 2) What do we know about the author? – An Apostle
- 3) To whom was it written? – Timothy
- 4) When was it written? – A.D. 67
- 5) Where was it written from? – Rome
- 6) Why was it written? – Timothy's timidity
- 7) What is it about? – Perseverance
- 8) What is inside (outline)? – 4 part outline
- 9) What makes the book different? – Paul's final word

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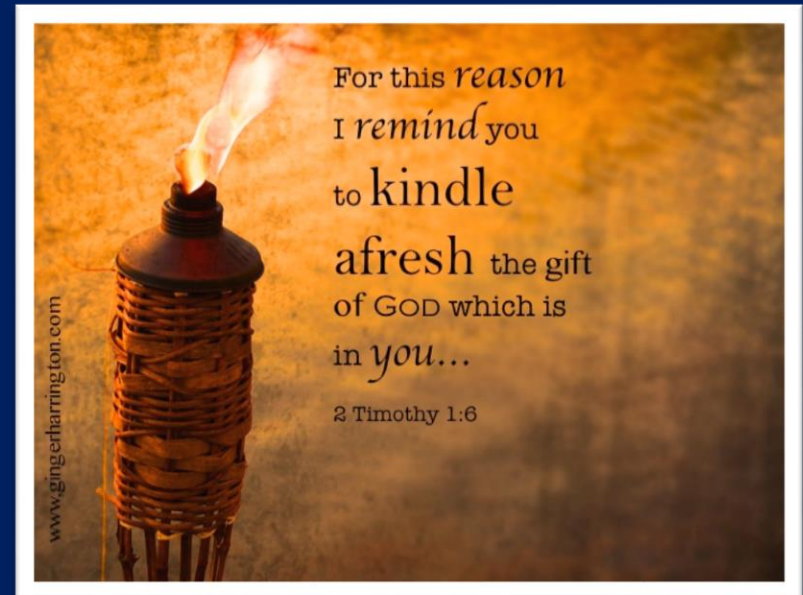
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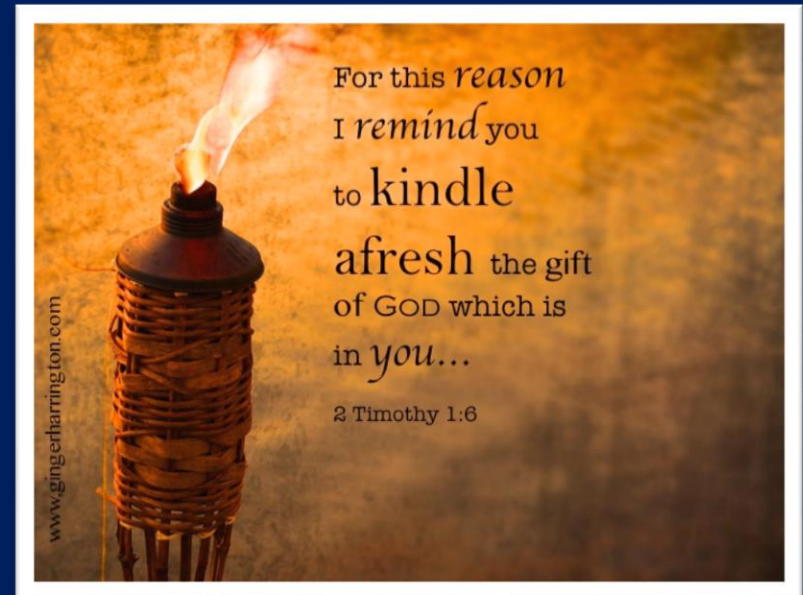
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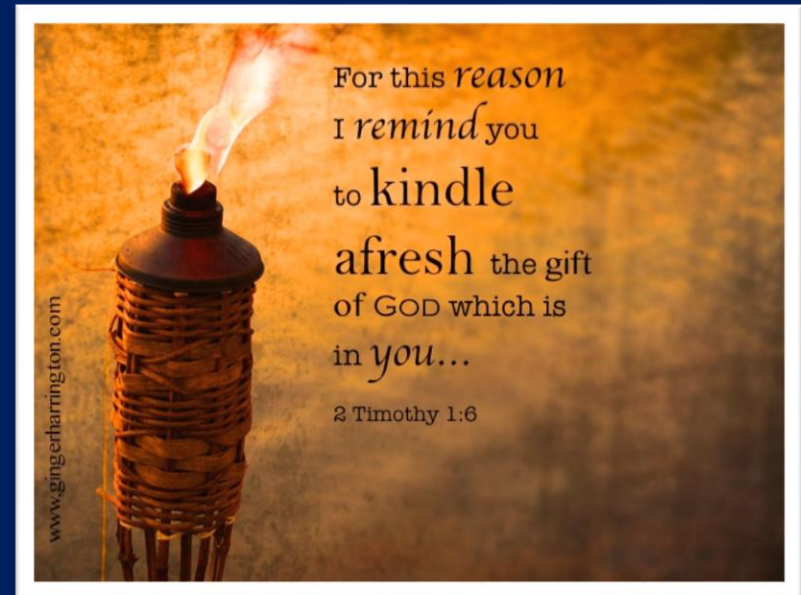
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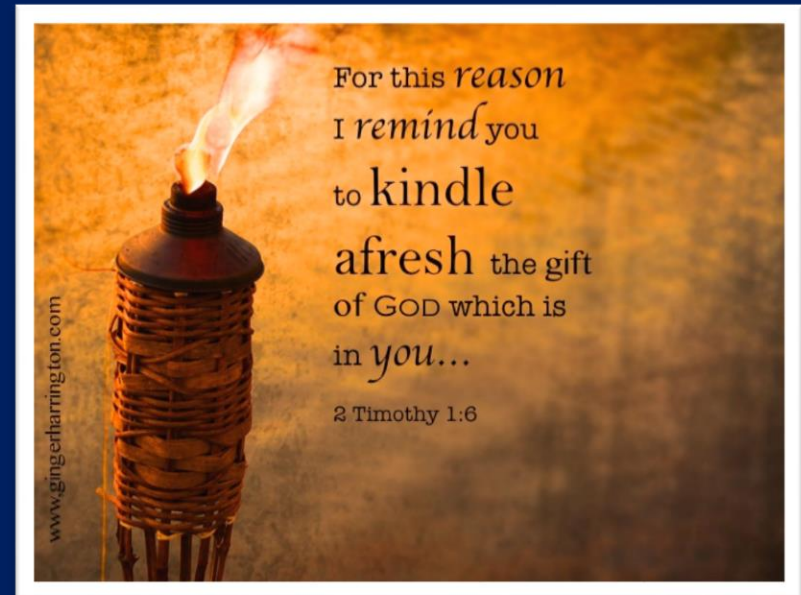
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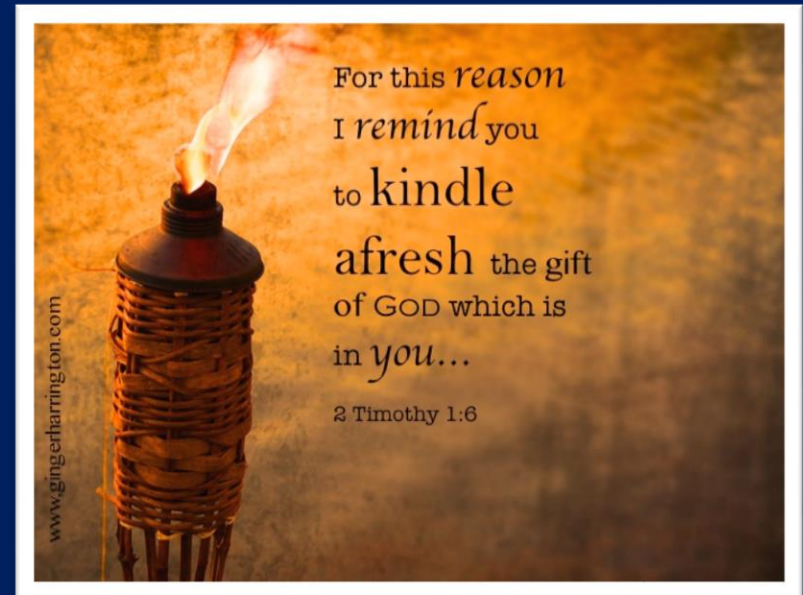
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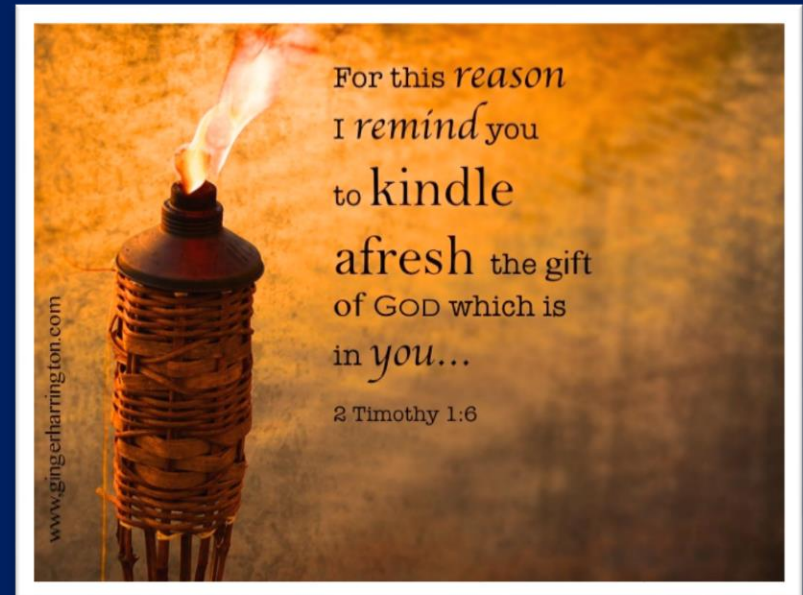
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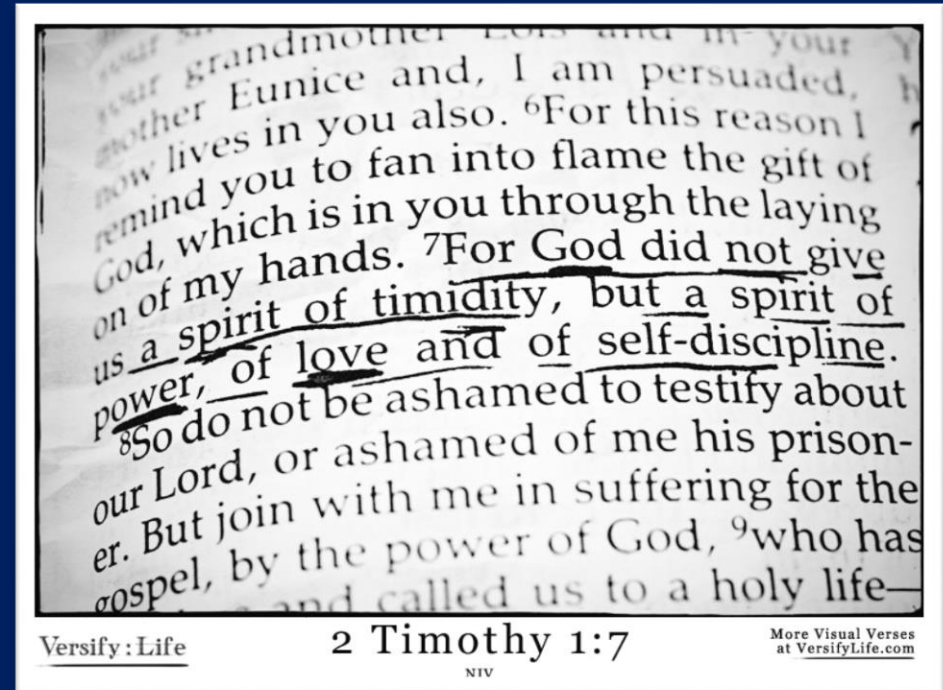
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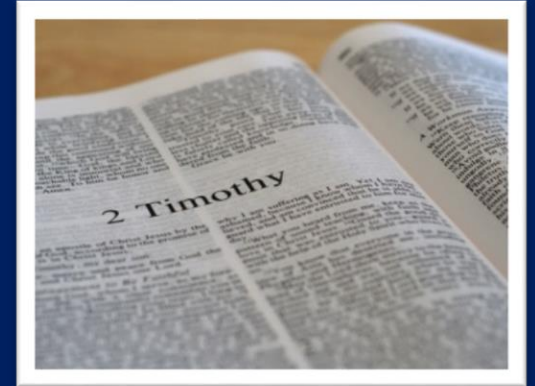
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- Evangelism (1:8a)
- Paul (1:8b)
- Gospel (1:9-14)



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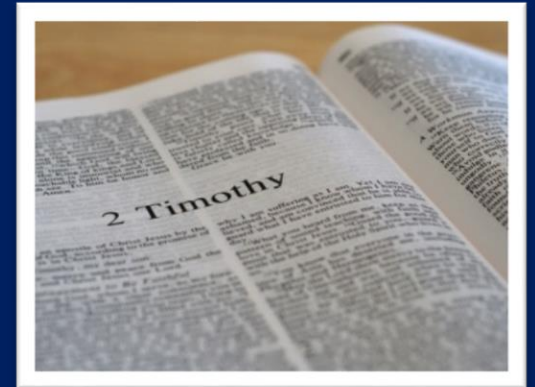


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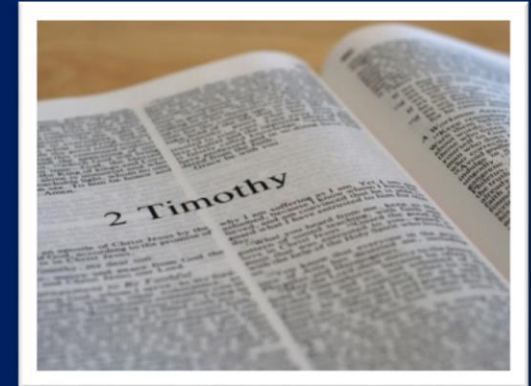


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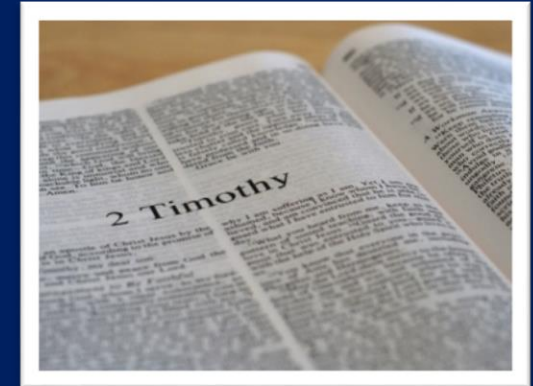
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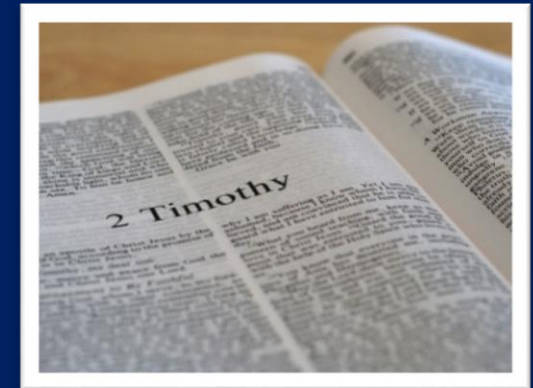
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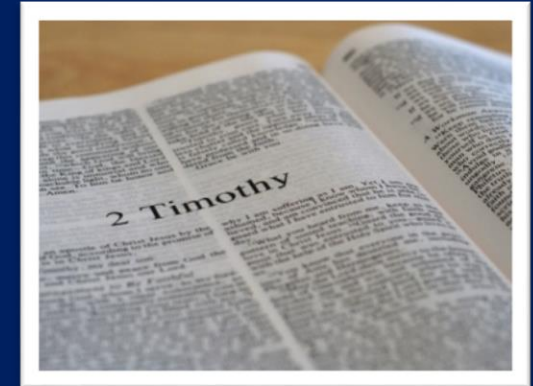
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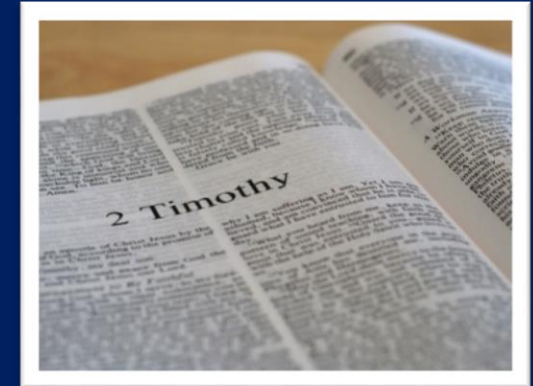
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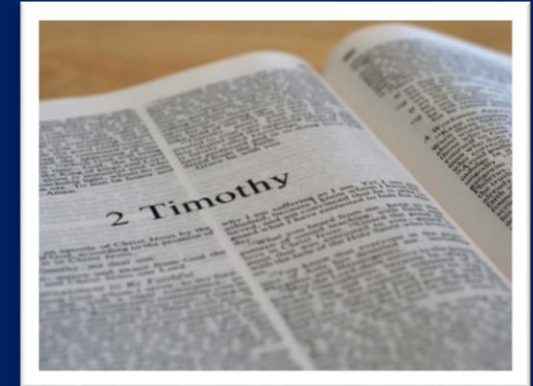
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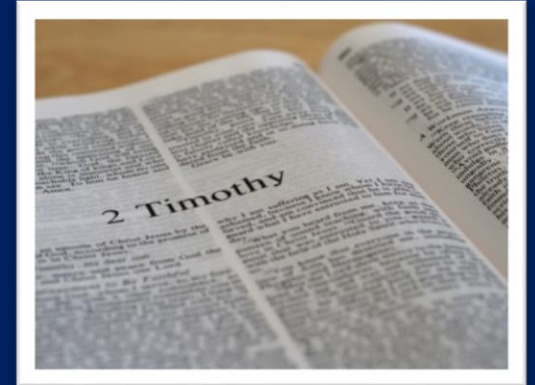
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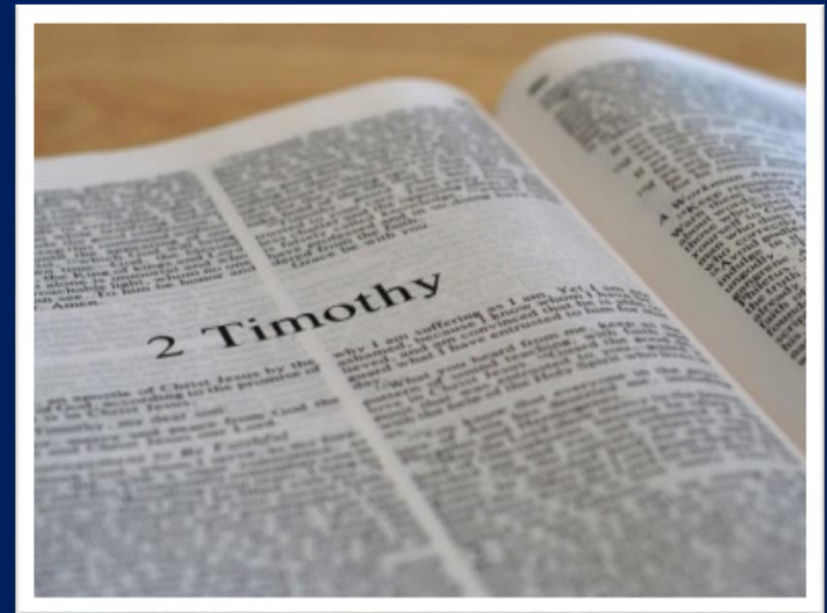


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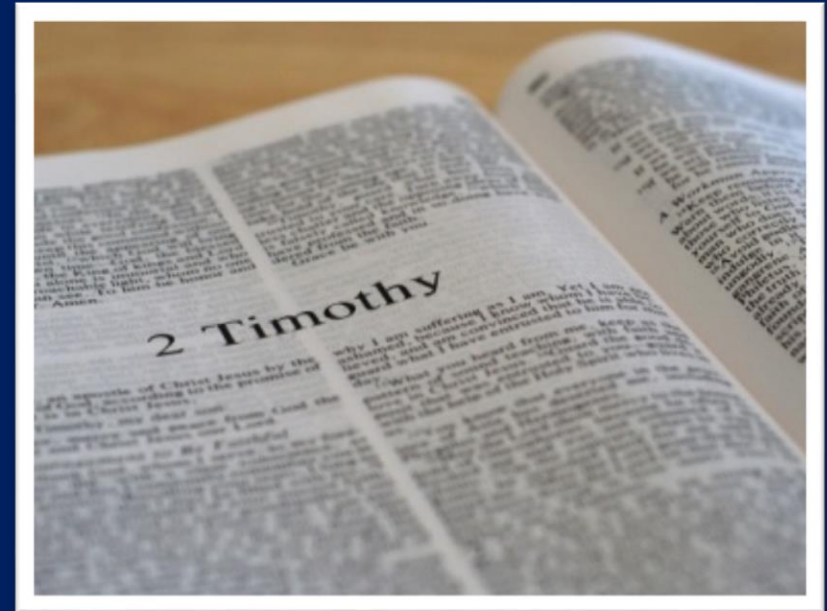
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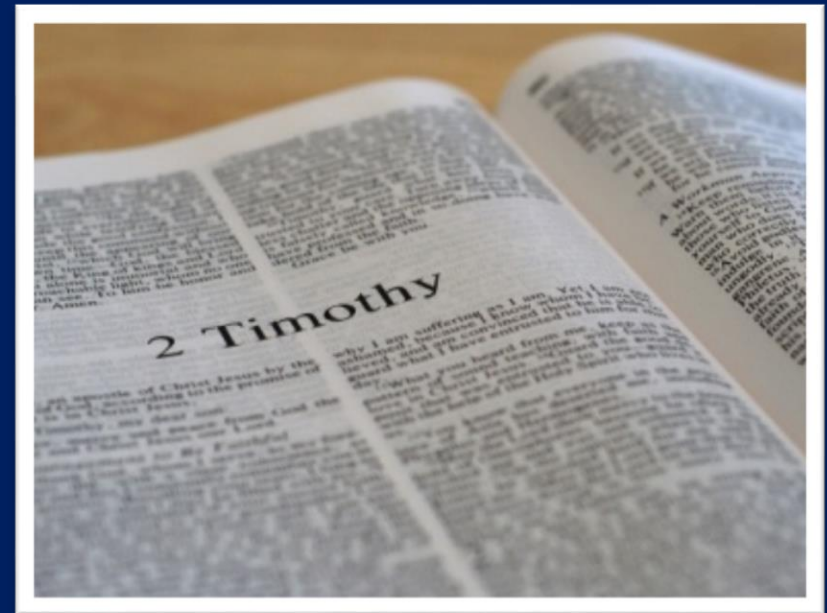
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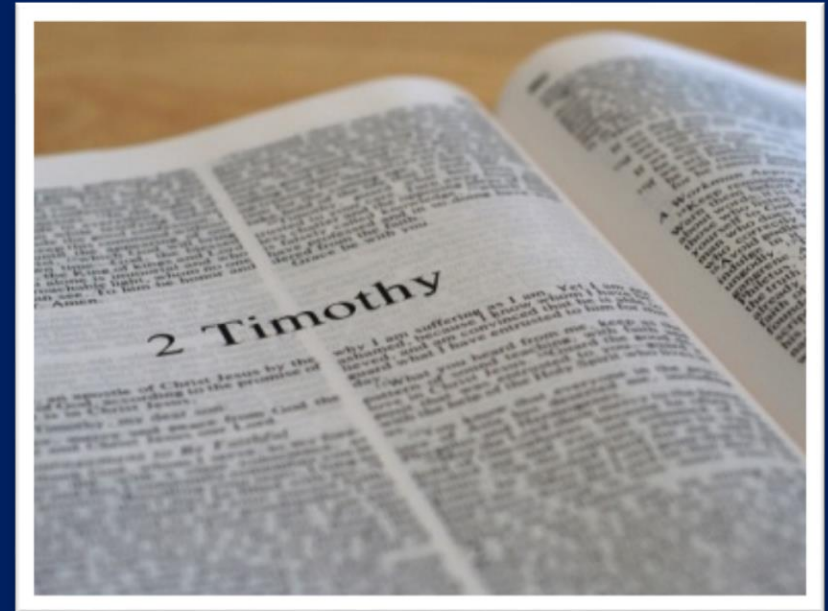
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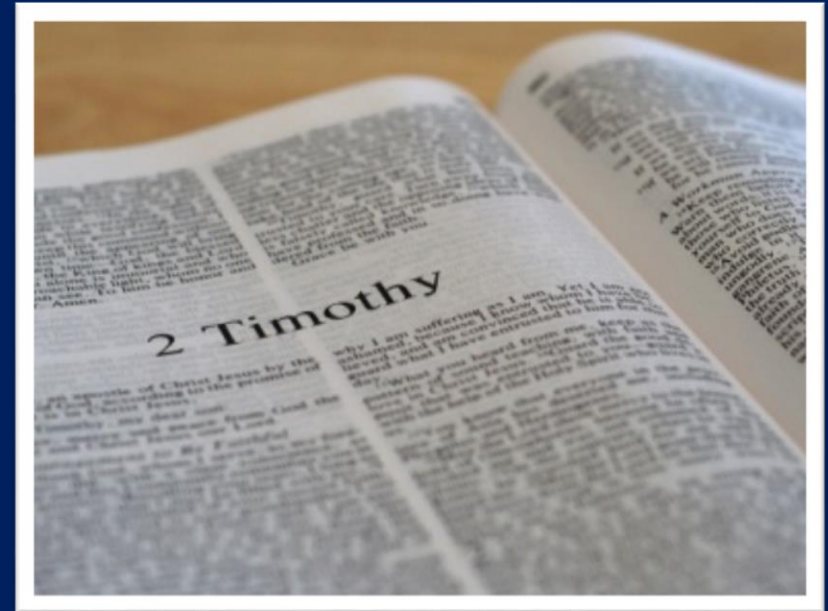
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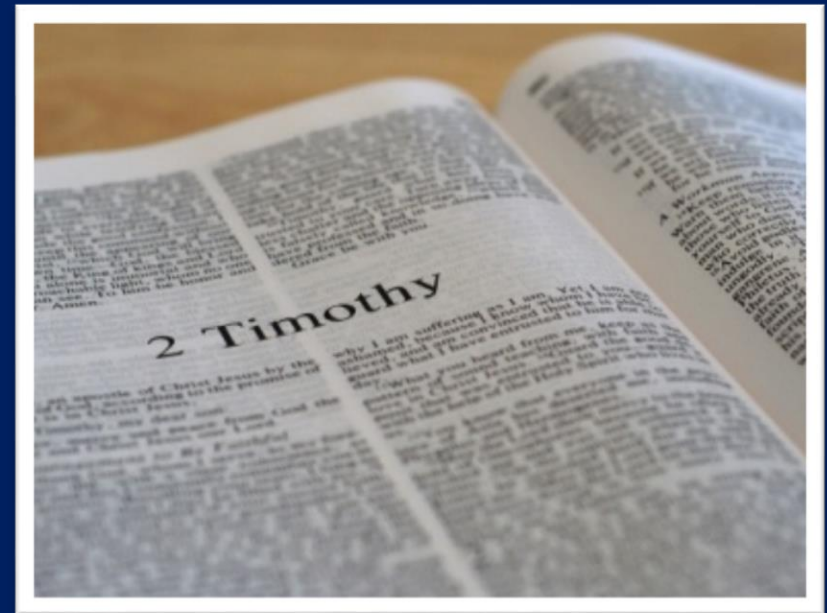
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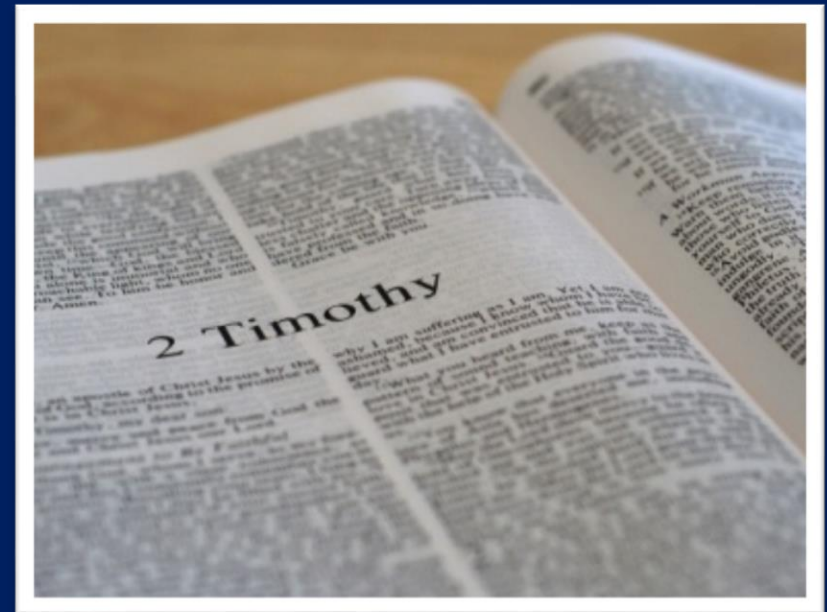
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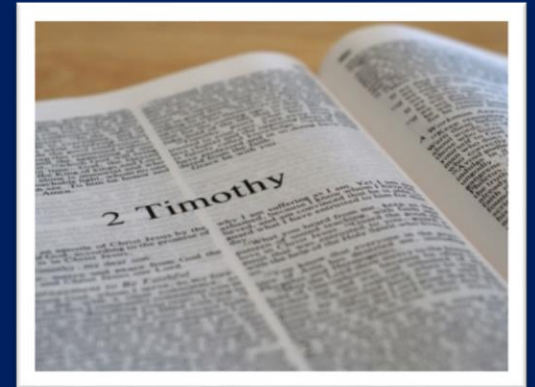


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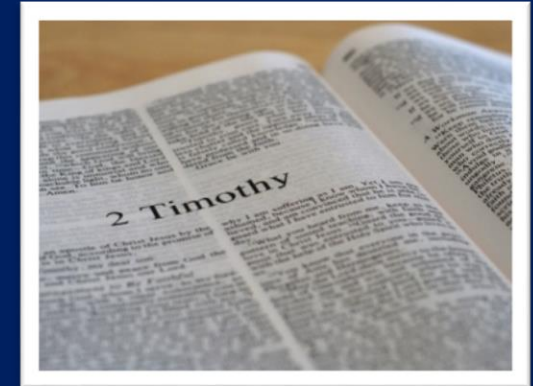
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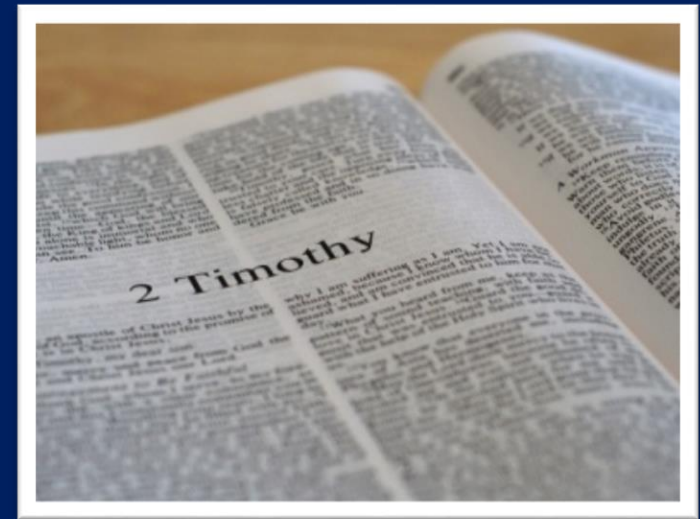
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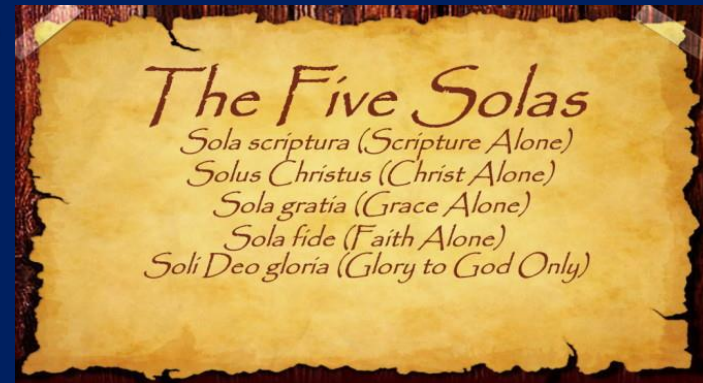
Recognizing a False Gospel

- False gospels place the spotlight on what man does rather than what Christ has done
- False gospels emphasize a process rather than a person
- False gospels deny the five *solas*



The Five *Solas* (Alone or By Itself)

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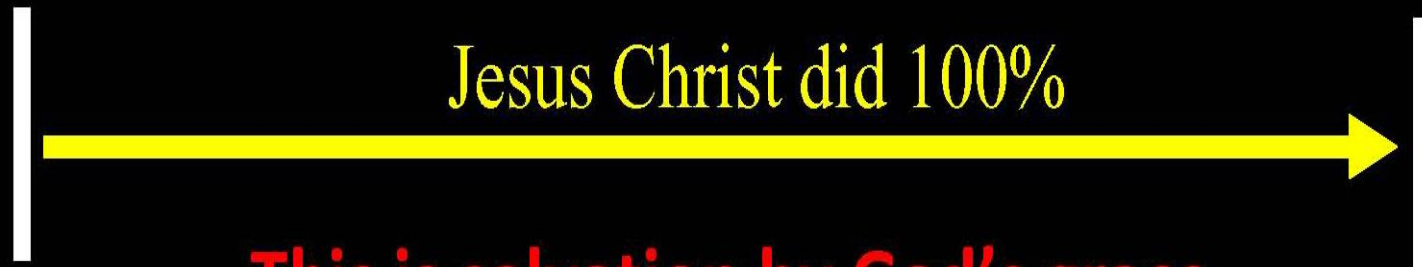


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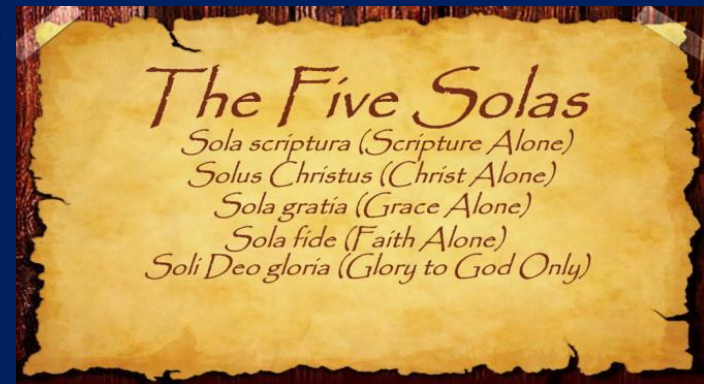
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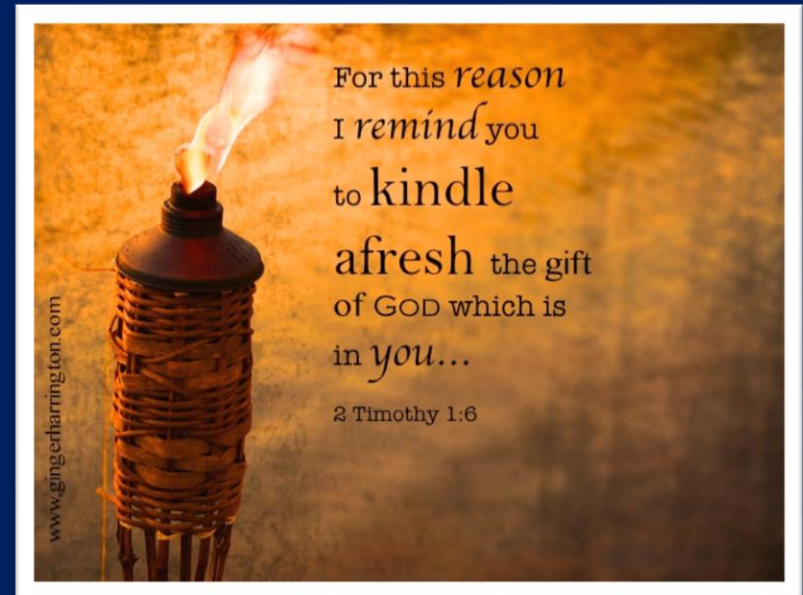
Phase	Justification	Sanctification	Glorification
Tense	Past	Present	Future
Saved from sin's:	Penalty	Power	Presence
Scripture	Eph 2:8-9; Titus 3:5	Philip 2:12	Rom 5:10

Work of the Spirit in the OT vs. Today

	OT/Gospels	Today
Reception of all of the Spirit at the moment of salvation?	Subsequent to salvation (Exod 31:3)	At moment of salvation (Rom 8:9)
How long is the indwelling?	Temporary indwelling (1 Sam 16:14; Ps 51:11)	Permanent indwelling (John 14:16)
Who is indwelt?	Selective indwelling (Joel 2:28)	Universal indwelling (1 Cor 12:13)

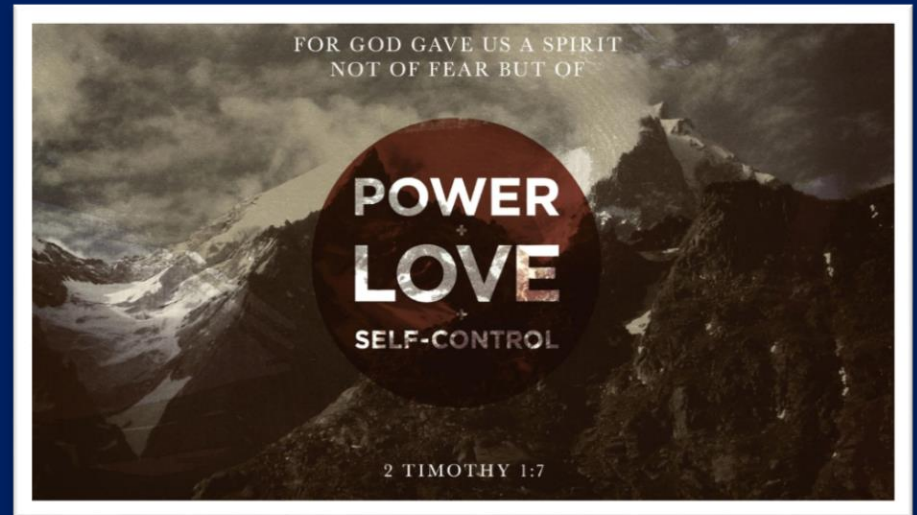
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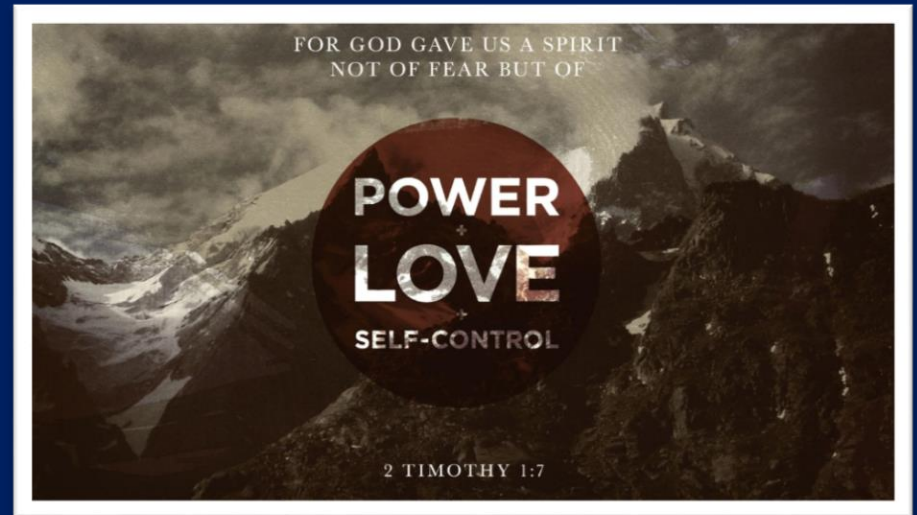
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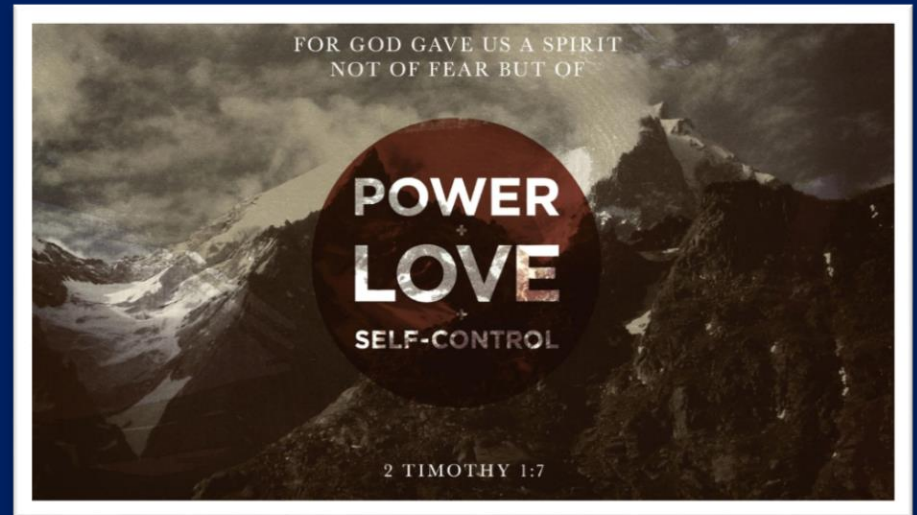
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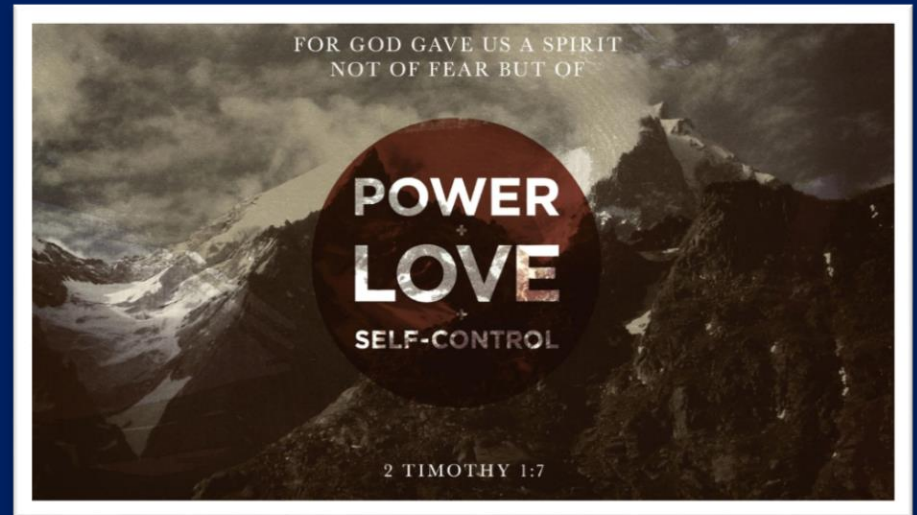
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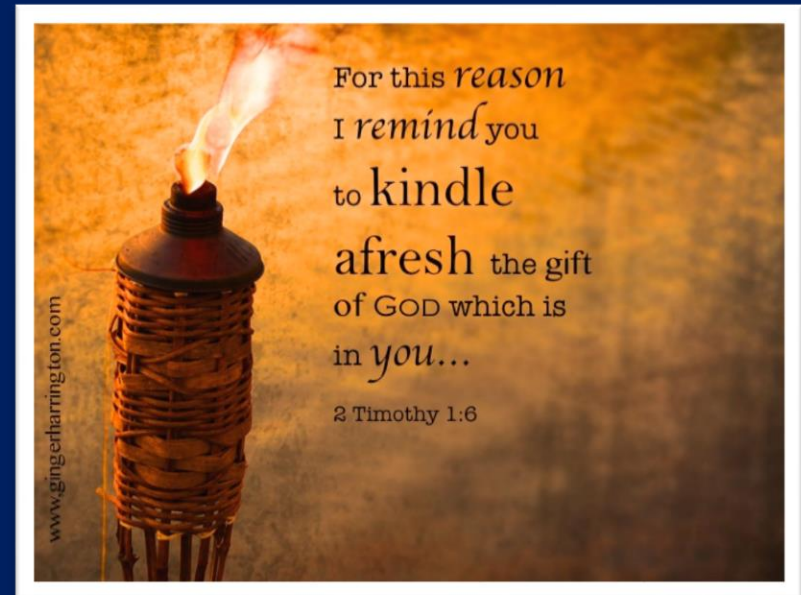
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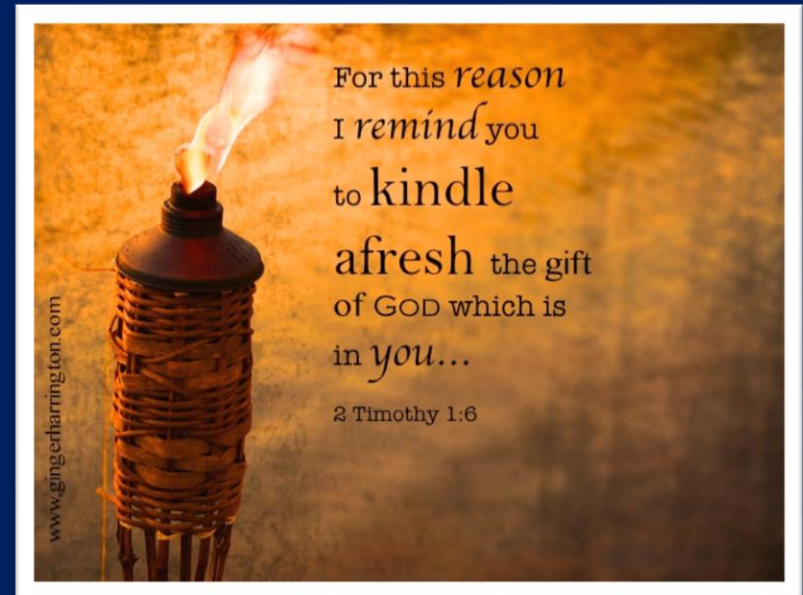
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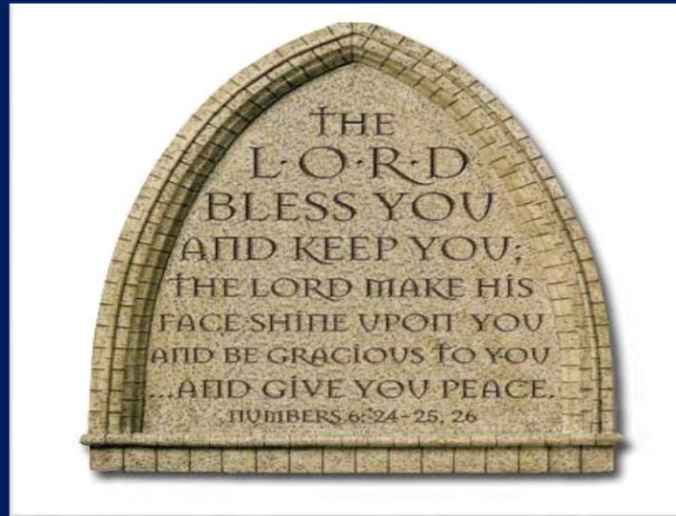
- Refreshed Paul (1:16a)
- Was not ashamed of Paul (1:16b)
- Searched for Paul in Rome (1:17)
- Earned his reward (1:18a)
- Served Paul in Ephesus (1:18b)

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“The LORD bless you and keep you; the LORD make his face shine on you and be gracious to you; the LORD turn his face toward you and give you peace.” (NIV)