



May 2, 2021  
**Persevering by  
All of Scripture**  
2 Timothy 3:10-16



## **CELEBRATION** - HOW DID YOU SEE GOD THIS WEEK AS YOU FOLLOWED HIM?



## **WORD** - WHAT DID GOD SAY IN HIS WORD?

**Opening Question:** Have you ever had a spiritual mentor and if so, what kind of influence did that person have on your life?

Paul is nearing the end of his life and imparting his last words to Timothy. Paul is reminding Timothy of what his life has been about in order to encourage him to persevere.

**Read together:** 2 Timothy 3:10-16

### **Reflect together:**

How has Timothy followed Paul's footsteps in v.10-11?

*(Ans: It's not only about what Paul taught, but also what Timothy "caught" from Paul's purpose, manner of life, and how he endured persecution.)*

Why do you think Paul reminded Timothy of what happened to him at Antioch (where he was kicked out of the city for preaching the gospel (Acts 13:50)), Iconium (where he was almost executed by stoning (Acts 14:5)), and at Lystra (where they actually did stone Paul and leave him for dead (Acts 14:19))?

*(Perhaps to encourage Timothy that the Lord delivered him from these hardships and to warn him that he, along with other godly Christians will also face persecution.)*

What power does Scripture have in v.15-17?

*(Teaching: show us the way. The path. Reproof: helps us see when we get off the way. Correction: getting back on the path. Shows us where the path is, how do get back on it. Training: Keep us going on the path.)*



## **HEART** - WHAT DID GOD SAY TO ME THROUGH HIS WORD?

Scripture helps us to be steadfast in different ways. Which ways stand out to you from this passage?

How have you experienced the power of Scripture in your own life?



## **WORLD** - WHAT DOES GOD WANT ME TO DO ABOUT IT?

What have you learned from watching people you respect suffer?

What are your next steps based on what you've seen in this passage?