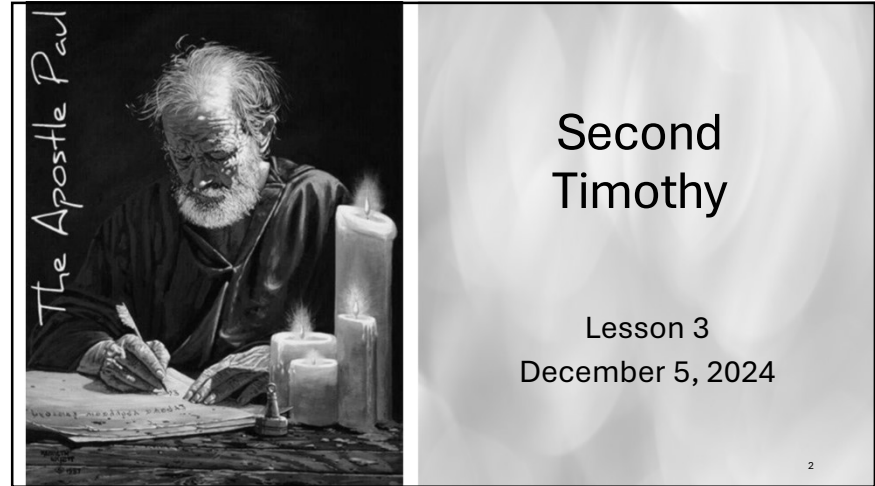


Please remember:



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What to observe:

- **Truth Perverters (3:1-9)**
- **Truth Protectors (3:10-13)**
- **Truth Perpetual (3:14-17)**
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- **God's Word always reveals the TRUTH.**

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Truth Perverters

- Lovers of self, lovers of money
- Boastful, arrogant
- Revilers, disobedient to parents
- Ungrateful, unholy
- Unloving (without love within the family), irreconcilable
- Malicious Gossips, without self control
- Brutal, haters of good (not lovers of the good)
- Treacherous, Reckless
- Conceited
- Lovers of pleasure rather than lovers of God (not lovers of God)

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**“Holding to a form of godliness,
although they have denied its power;
and to avoid such men as these.”**

2 Timothy 3:5

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**“But they will not make further
progress; for their folly will be obvious
to all, as also that of those two came
to be.”**

2 Timothy 3:9

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**“Peterson blends biblical plots and other
ancient epics with modern literature and
psychological and political reflection.”**

Shane Morris ~ The Gospel Coalition

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**“Peterson’s earlier books offered sound
advice and even wisdom. This one also
beckons readers to a form of godliness,
but it’s a form of godliness that
ultimately denies its power (2 Timothy 3:5)**

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Truth Perverters vs. Truth Protectors

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| • Lovers of money, lovers of self | • Teaching |
| • Boastful, arrogant | • Conduct |
| • Revilers, disobedient to parents | • Purpose |
| • Ungrateful, unholy | • Faith |
| • Unloving, irreconcilable | • Patience |
| • Slanderers, w/o self control | • Love |
| • Brutal, haters of good | • Perseverance |
| • Treacherous, reckless | • Persecutions |
| • Conceited | • Sufferings |
| • Lovers of pleasure rather than lovers of God | |

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Godliness doesn't mean escaping persecution.

"If they persecuted me, they will persecute you also."

Jesus (John 15:20)

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God's Word reveals the TRUTH and will work within you

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“All Scripture is God-breathed and is useful for teaching, rebuking, correcting, and training in righteousness.”

2 Timothy 3:16

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All Scripture is useful:

- **Doctrine:** teaching, rebuking
- **Conduct:** correcting, training
- **Equips:** ...so that the servant of God may be thoroughly equipped for every good work (2 Timothy 3:17)

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“Above all, you must understand that no prophecy of Scripture came about by the prophet’s own interpretation. For prophecy never had its origin in the will of man, but men spoke from God as they were carried along by the Holy Spirit.”

2 Peter 1:20-21

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God’s Word always reveals the TRUTH.

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