

## 2 Timothy 3-4

**Comprehension:** (In other words, what does it say?)

What are the main points in these final two chapters?

**Interpretation:** (In other words, what does it mean?)

When are the last days? Describe the last days and explain “having the form of godliness but denying its power”:

What was Paul’s way of life like?

2 Timothy 3:16-17 “All scripture is \_\_\_\_\_ and is useful for \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_, and \_\_\_\_\_, so that the man of God may be thoroughly \_\_\_\_\_ for every \_\_\_\_\_.”

Who will judge the living and the dead? When? Why was it important that Timothy preached the Word in the way Paul instructed? How are we impacted today because of this?

Paul knew he was coming to the end of his time in this world. What do his final thoughts and instructions to Timothy tell you about the condition of his spiritual life and his state of mind?

**Application:** (In other words, how do I apply this to my life?)

Is your way of life similar to Paul’s? What areas could you adjust?

How will you confirm your learning/teaching is sound and guard your faith in light of these warnings and considering the culture in which we live? **3:1-5** *But understand this, that in the last days there will come times of difficulty. 2 For people will be lovers of self, lovers of money, proud, arrogant, abusive, disobedient to their parents, ungrateful, unholy, 3 heartless, unappeasable, slanderous, without self-control, brutal, not loving good, 4 treacherous, reckless, swollen with conceit, lovers of pleasure rather than lovers of God, 5 having the appearance of godliness, but denying its power.*

**4:3-5** *3 For the time is coming when people will not endure sound[a] teaching, but having itching ears they will accumulate for themselves teachers to suit their own passions, 4 and will turn away from listening to the truth and wander off into myths. 5 As for you, always be sober-minded, endure suffering, do the work of an evangelist, fulfill your ministry.*