

## **1 Timothy Final Exam**

**1. Who is the author of 1 Timothy?**

- A) Peter
- B) John
- C) Paul
- D) James

**2. To whom is the book of 1 Timothy addressed?**

- A) The church of Corinth
- B) Timothy
- C) The church of Ephesus
- D) The Romans

**3. What position did Timothy hold in the church?**

- A) Apostle
- B) Deacon
- C) Elder/Pastor
- D) Prophet

**4. According to Paul, what is the purpose of the law?**

- A) To condemn
- B) To lead to salvation
- C) To expose sin
- D) To give guidelines for worship

**5. In 1 Timothy 1:7, Paul warns against those who desire to be teachers of the law without understanding what they say or what they affirm. What does this imply?**

- A) Teaching is unnecessary
- B) Knowledge is not important
- C) Understanding is crucial for teachers
- D) Only Jews can teach the law

**6. What does Paul say about prayer in 1 Timothy 2?**

- A) It should be done in silence
- B) It is unimportant
- C) It should be made for all people
- D) It should only be for Christians

**7. In 1 Timothy 2:12, Paul mentions that women should not do what in the church?**

- A) Teach or exercise authority over men
- B) Lead worship
- C) Pray
- D) Sing

**8. What does Paul refer to as a "trustworthy saying"?**

- A) That Jesus rose from the dead

- B) That if anyone aspires to be an overseer, he desires a noble task
- C) That all things work together for good
- D) That love is the greatest commandment

**9. What are the qualifications for an overseer (bishop) listed in 1 Timothy 3?**

- A) Must be single
- B) Must be wealthy
- C) Must be above reproach, married only once, and sober-minded
- D) Must have a theological degree

**10. What is one reason Paul advises Timothy to take a little wine?**

- A) For enjoyment
- B) To prove a point
- C) For his stomach and frequent ailments
- D) To celebrate

**11. According to 1 Timothy 4:12, Timothy is encouraged to not let anyone despise his youth but to be an example in what areas?**

- A) Wealth and prosperity
- B) Faith, speech, love, conduct, and purity
- C) Knowledge and power
- D) Rituals and traditions

**12. In 1 Timothy 5, how does Paul advise treating older men?**

- A) As enemies
- B) As coworkers
- C) As fathers
- D) With contempt

**13. What does Paul say should be the fate of a factious man after warning him twice?**

- A) He should be ignored
- B) He should be excommunicated
- C) He should be praised
- D) He should be forgiven

**14. In 1 Timothy 6, Paul encourages contentment with what?**

- A) A high salary
- B) Wealth and riches
- C) Food and clothing
- D) Power and influence

**15. What instruction does Paul give regarding the rich in 1 Timothy 6?**

- A) They should give all their money away
- B) They should not worry
- C) They should be humble and generous
- D) They should flaunt their wealth

**16. Who is identified as the "blessed and only Sovereign"?**

- A) Timothy
- B) Paul
- C) God
- D) Jesus Christ

**17. In 1 Timothy 1:5, Paul refers to which of the following values as the goal of his instruction?**

- A) Knowledge
- B) Love from a pure heart
- C) Obedience to the law
- D) Salvation

**18. According to Paul, godliness with contentment is what?**

- A) A great treasure
- B) A burden
- C) A form of hypocrisy
- D) A waste of time

**19. What role does Paul advise Timothy to take against false teachers?**

- A) Embrace them
- B) Ignore them
- C) Correct them firmly
- D) Celebrate their diversity

**20. What does Paul tell Timothy about pursuing righteousness?**

- A) It is unimportant
- B) It is only for the elders
- C) He should strive for it along with faith, love, and perseverance
- D) It should be done publicly

**21. In 1 Timothy 3:3, a bishop is instructed not to be what?**

- A) Rich
- B) Quarrelsome
- C) Single
- D) Educated

**22. What metaphor does Paul use to describe the Christian life in 1 Timothy 6:12?**

- A) A treasure hunt
- B) A race
- C) A storm
- D) A journey

**23. In 1 Timothy 1:19, Paul emphasizes holding onto faith and a good conscience, which can result in what?**

- A) Shipwreck of faith
- B) Gaining wealth

- C) Gaining power
- D) Success in life

**24. How is the church described in 1 Timothy 3:15?**

- A) A building
- B) The body of Christ
- C) The pillar and foundation of truth
- D) A political entity

**25. What does Paul claim about the mystery of godliness in 1 Timothy 3:16?**

- A) It is a myth
- B) It was revealed in Jesus Christ
- C) It is only for the elite
- D) It is irrelevant

**26. Who does Paul specifically mention as a co-laborer in the faith in 1 Timothy?**

- A) Silas
- B) Luke
- C) Priscilla
- D) None

**27. What is Timothy advised regarding teaching sound doctrine?**

- A) It is optional
- B) He should avoid it
- C) He should be bold in it
- D) He should be silent

**28. What does Paul mention as important for personal holiness?**

- A) Spending time in church
- B) Regular fasting
- C) Prayer and the study of Scripture
- D) Political involvement

**29. In 1 Timothy 6:10, the love of money is said to be the root of what?**

- A) Wisdom
- B) Happiness
- C) All kinds of evils
- D) Success

**30. What qualities should a widow possess in order to be supported by the church according to 1 Timothy 5?**

- A) A wealthy background
- B) Good works and raising children
- C) Strong political connections
- D) A formal education

**31. Who is responsible for the care of widows according to 1 Timothy 5?**

- A) The government
- B) The church
- C) Family members
- D) Friends

**32. How does Paul suggest Timothy should handle older women in the church?**

- A) As mothers
- B) As peers
- C) As subordinates
- D) As rivals

**33. According to 1 Timothy 6:3, what should Timothy avoid?**

- A) Arguments about irrelevant matters
- B) Prayer
- C) Wealth
- D) Healthy discussions

**34. In what situation does Paul say it is okay to remarry?**

- A) When the spouse is unfaithful
- B) After a long period of mourning
- C) If the spouse has died
- D) Only under certain conditions

**35. What type of lifestyle does Paul promote in 1 Timothy 5:11-15 for younger widows?**

- A) A life of luxury
- B) A life of idleness
- C) A life of service and engagement
- D) A life of solitude

**36. What does Paul urge Timothy to do with the prophecies made about him?**

- A) Dismiss them
- B) Use them to boast
- C) Fight the good fight
- D) Forget them

**37. What does Paul say is the ultimate source of true gain in life?**

- A) Wealth and possessions
- B) Godliness with contentment
- C) Popularity
- D) Knowledge and education

**38. What should one pursue according to 1 Timothy 6:11?**

- A) Money
- B) Power

- C) Righteousness, godliness, faith, love, endurance, and gentleness
- D) Fame

**39. How does Paul describe the relationship between elders and their congregation?**

- A) Authoritarian
- B) Servant
- C) Distant
- D) Rival

**40. In 1 Timothy 4:14, Paul reminds Timothy not to neglect what?**

- A) His role as a teacher
- B) His finances
- C) His health
- D) The gift he received through prophecy

**41. What attitude does Paul recommend towards leaders in the church?**

- A) Distrustful
- B) Respectful
- C) Indifferent
- D) Judgemental

**42. Who should be the first to be recognized and honored in the church, according to 1 Timothy 5?**

- A) The wealthy
- B) The teachers
- C) The widows who have served well
- D) The young

**43. What does Paul caution against in 1 Timothy 6:20?**

- A) Fighting
- B) Gaining wealth
- C) Losing faith
- D) Profane chatter and contradictions

**44. In Paul's instructions to Timothy, he often contrasts godliness with what?**

- A) Greed
- B) Wisdom
- C) Folly
- D) Power

**45. What overarching theme is emphasized in 1 Timothy?**

- A) The importance of education
- B) God's sovereignty
- C) The functioning and order of the church
- D) The history of Israel

**46. How should Timothy deal with elders who persist in sin?**

- A) Ignore them
- B) Publicly rebuke them before everyone
- C) Leave the church
- D) Condemn them silently

**47. What is the 'good confession' that Timothy is encouraged to keep?**

- A) That he is a good person
- B) His faith in Jesus Christ
- C) His political beliefs
- D) His family background

**48. What does Paul say about the relationship between doctrine and practice?**

- A) They are unrelated
- B) Practice is more important than doctrine
- C) Doctrine should shape practice
- D) Practice can replace doctrine

**49. What should Timothy avoid in his ministerial work according to Paul?**

- A) Learning new things
- B) Controversies and quarrels
- C) Engaging with people
- D) Building relationships

**50. At the end of 1 Timothy, what does Paul urge his readers to be on guard against?**

- A) Hostility
  - B) False teachings and misinterpretations
  - C) Success
  - D) Selfishness
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