1 Timothy 1 King James Version (KJV)

(Written by Paul to Timothy; Timothy = dear to God) (This book, like many of Paul's books are good advice, based on God's Word. Paul was a scholar of God's Word, but he was not a prophet)

1 Paul, an apostle of Jesus Christ by the commandment of God our Saviour, and Lord Jesus Christ, which is our hope; see (Apostle = a sent one)

Acts-9 (Paul was chosen by God. He was sent to preach the Gospel of Jesus to the Jews and to the Gentiles)

²Unto Timothy, <u>my own son in the faith</u>: Grace, mercy, and peace, from God our Father and Jesus Christ our Lord. (He was spiritually adopted as a disciple of Paul)

(Grace, mercy, and peace of mind are the gifts that God gives us when we study His Word, and live by it)

³As I besought thee to abide still at Ephesus, when I went into Macedonia, that thou mightest charge some that they teach no other doctrine, (Timothy stayed at Ephesus to oversee the teaching of the true Word of God; and nothing else)

(There were false preachers running around teaching their own doctrines for wealth and fame. The same thing happens today in most Christian churches)

*Neither give heed to <u>fables and endless genealogies</u>, which minister questions, rather than godly edifying which is in faith: so do. (The Key of David -> which is to know who the Kenites are. They pretend to be of Judah, but are not) Revelation2:9, Revelation-3:9, John-8:39-45

(Most Christians are never taught about the Kenites and their heritage. They are the sons of Cain; who was the son of Satan and Eve) see Genesis-3:1-16

(Jesus' genealogy is true and is well documented) see Luke-3

⁵Now the end of the commandment is charity out of a pure heart, and of a good conscience, and of faith unfeigned: (Charity is to have compassion for other people; and to teach them the true Word of God, completely and accurately – chapter by chapter, verse by verse)

⁶From which some having swerved <u>have turned aside unto vain</u> <u>jangling</u>; (One who twists the Word of God into their own doctrine. They change the Word of God into something that is meaningless and pure vanity. People who attend these churches remain Biblically ignorant)

⁷Desiring to be teachers of the law; understanding neither what they say, nor whereof they affirm. (Many were still teaching the statutes and ordinances of the Old Testament. Jesus fulfilled all of those ordinances on the cross for all time. The law <Ten Commandments> is still in effect, but the statutes and blood ordinances are fulfilled)

EXAMPLE: (It would be sacrilegious to sacrifice an animal to God, because Jesus became the perfect sacrifice when He was crucified. Our offering to God today is our love) see Hosea-6:6

But we know that the law is good, if a man use it lawfully; (The law is the Ten Commandments. It keeps us out of trouble. It is our guide on how to live a good life. It is in effect until this Age will be fulfilled)

(Jesus said - I change not one jot or tittle of the law) Matthew-5:18

⁹Knowing this, that the law is not made for a righteous man, but for the lawless and disobedient, for the ungodly and for sinners, for unholy and profane, for murderers of fathers and murderers of mothers, for manslayers,

¹⁰ For whoremongers, <u>for them that defile themselves with mankind</u>, for menstealers, for liars, for perjured persons, and if there be any other thing that is contrary to sound doctrine; (These people are breaking God's laws. HE will hold them to account on Judgment Day, if they don't repent and get right with God)

(for them that defile themselves with mankind – sexual perversion = LGBTQ, trans-sexualism. This perversion has infiltrated into pretty

much all Christian nations. It leads to disease, depression and death. Stay away from that)

(Do we decide to be politically correct or morally correct? The choice is ours to make)

"According to the glorious gospel of the blessed God, <u>which was</u> <u>committed to my trust</u>. (God recruited Paul to teach the gospel on the road to Damascus. Paul didn't have a choice. He was told by God to go teach) see Acts-9:15

NOTE: (Paul was obviously one of the Elect. They were chosen by God in the First Age. God only interveses in the lives of the Elect, because they were justified during the First Age. HE has a job for them to do)

- ¹²And I thank Christ Jesus our Lord, who hath enabled me, for that he counted me faithful, putting me into the ministry; (Paul was grateful to God for setting him straight. He had failed to recognize that Jesus is the Messiah. God got him caught up on that)
- ¹³ Who was before a blasphemer, and a persecutor, and injurious: but I obtained mercy, because I did it ignorantly in unbelief. (Before his conversion, Paul thought he was serving God. He thought Christians were apostates. God straightened him out on the road to Damascus. He became a disciple of Christianity and one of the greatest Bible teachers)
- ¹⁴ And the grace of our Lord was exceeding abundant with faith and love which is in Christ Jesus. (Afterwards, God blessed Paul greatly as he went forward to teach the Gospel) Isaiah-43:26
- ¹⁶This is a faithful saying, and worthy of all acceptation, that Christ Jesus came into the world to save sinners; of whom I am chief. (Paul carried the guilt of having persecuted Christians before God set him straight)
- ¹⁶Howbeit for this cause I obtained mercy, that in me first Jesus Christ might shew forth all <u>longsuffering</u>, for a pattern to them which should hereafter believe on him to life everlasting. (God forgave Paul when he

repented, as He forgives us when we repent for our sins) (longsuffering = patience)

¹⁷Now unto the King eternal, immortal, invisible, the only wise God, be honour and glory for ever and ever. Amen. (Bless God and He will bless you. We bless God by loving Him and by obeying His Word in our daily lives)

¹⁸This charge I commit unto thee, son Timothy, according to the prophecies which went before on thee, that thou by them mightest war a good warfare; (Paul is charging Timothy to carry on after him, in Ephesus)

¹⁹ Holding faith, and a good conscience; which some having put away concerning faith have made shipwreck: (Fighting the good fight against those that twist God's Word to fit their own false doctrine)

(We all sail our own ship in life. If you lose your faith, your ship will end up on the rocks. The world will eat you up)

²⁰ Of whom is <u>Hymenaeus and Alexander</u>; whom I have delivered unto Satan, that they may learn not to blaspheme. (These two denied that Jesus resurrected. They preached that Jesus was just a man)

See Isaiah-7:14 (Immanuel = God with us)