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1 Timothy 3:8-13

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 - NOT greedy for dishonest gain

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 - Family Priority.

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The main difference between an elder and a deacon is not in their character, but their calling.

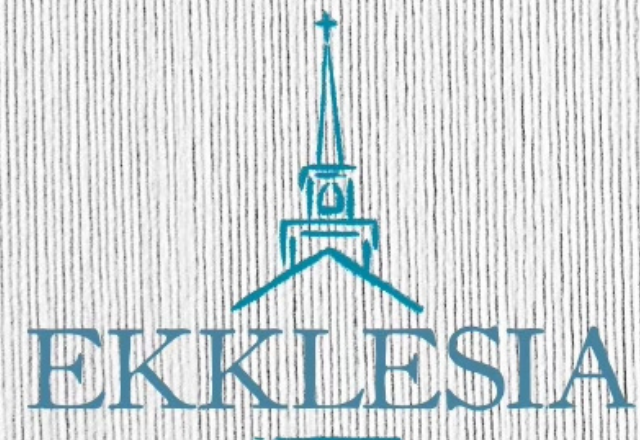
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- God gives more attention to describing who a deacon must be, rather than what a deacon must do.

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- The **Reward** of a Deacon (v. 13)



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Faithful deacons receive a good standing
○ with God and with the church.

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