

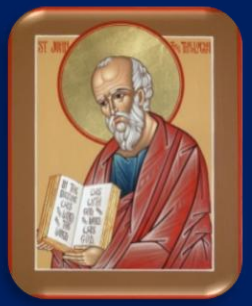
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2 Timothy Introduction

The Call to Christian Perseverance

Answering Nine Questions



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2) What do we know about the author? – An Apostle
3) To whom was it written? – Timothy
4) When was it written? - A.D. 67
5) Where was it written from? – Rome
6) Why was it written? – Timothy's timidity
7) What is it about? – Perseverance
8) What is inside (outline)? – 4 part outline
9) What makes the book different? – Paul's final word

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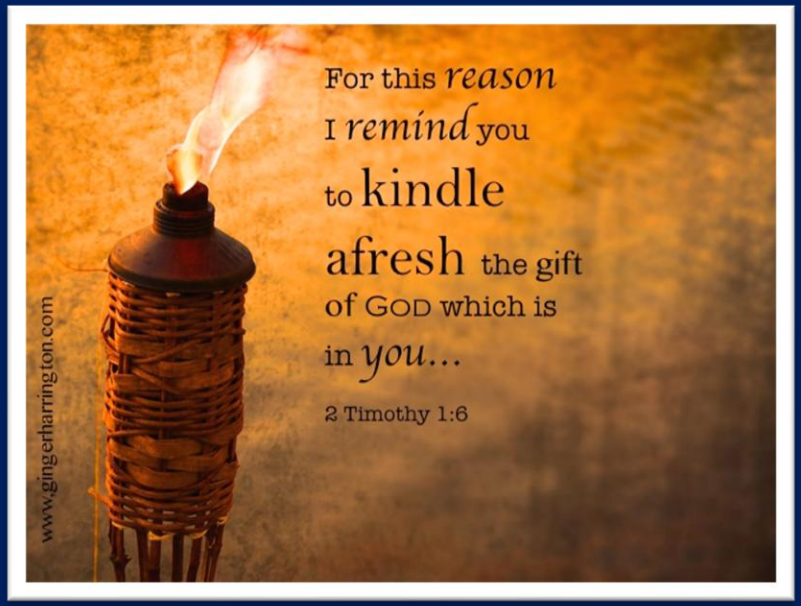
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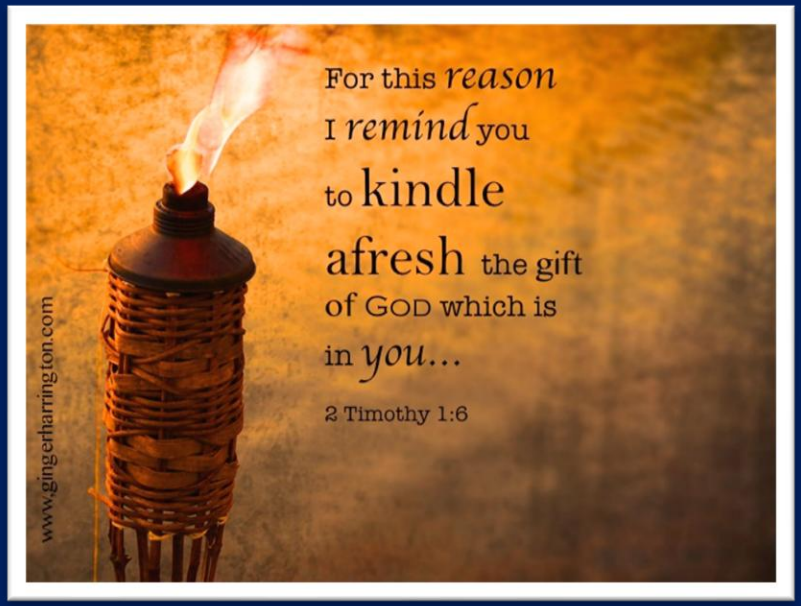
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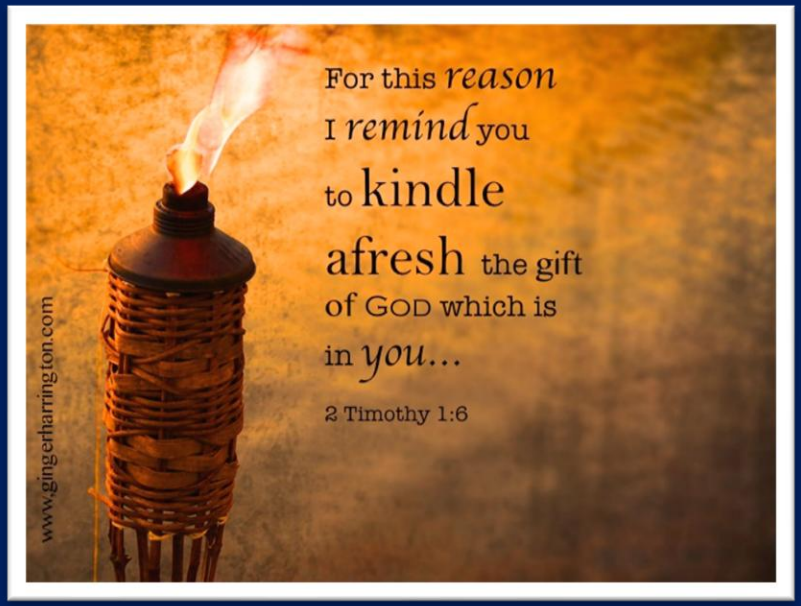
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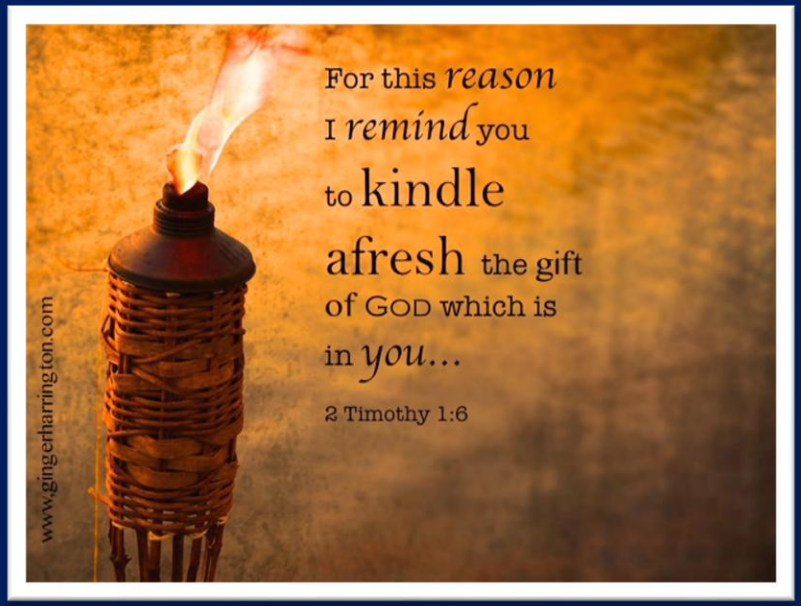
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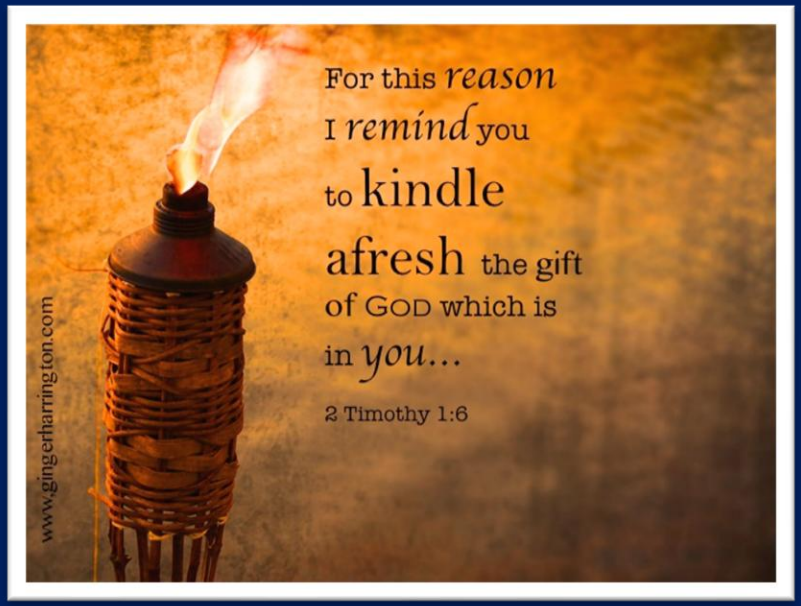
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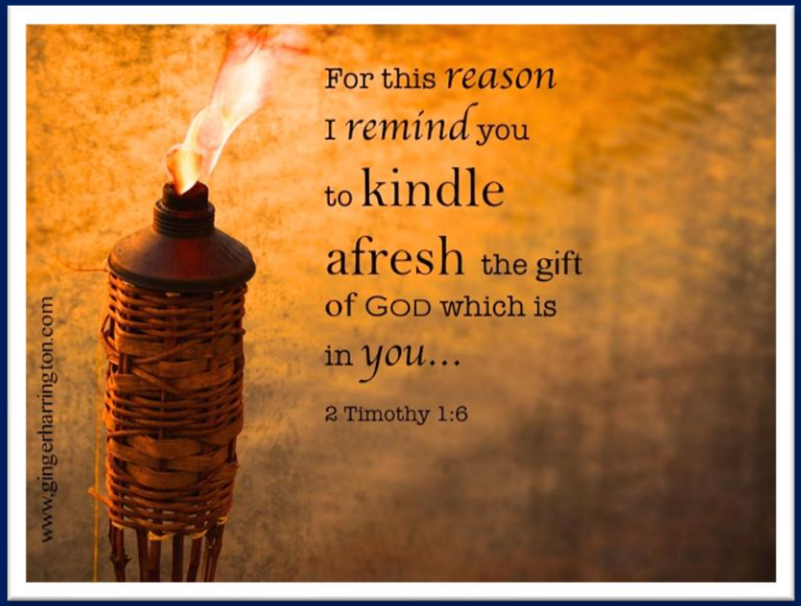
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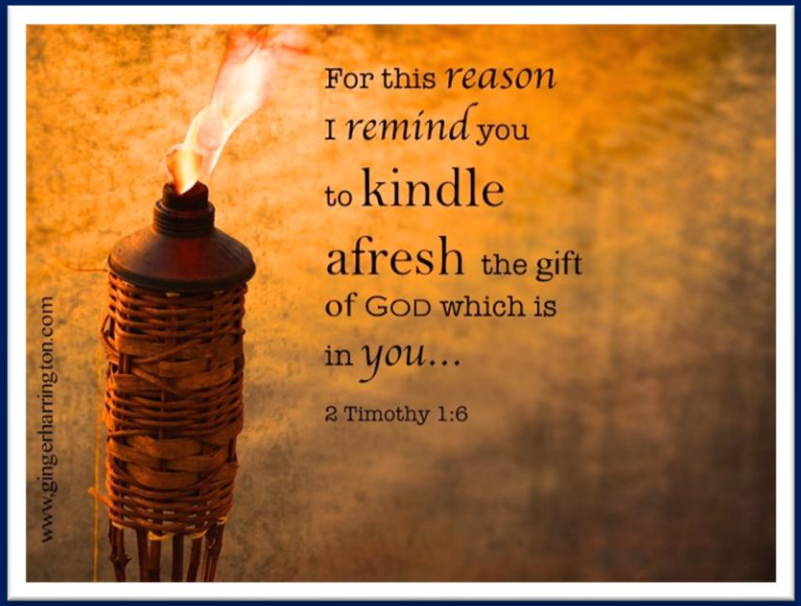
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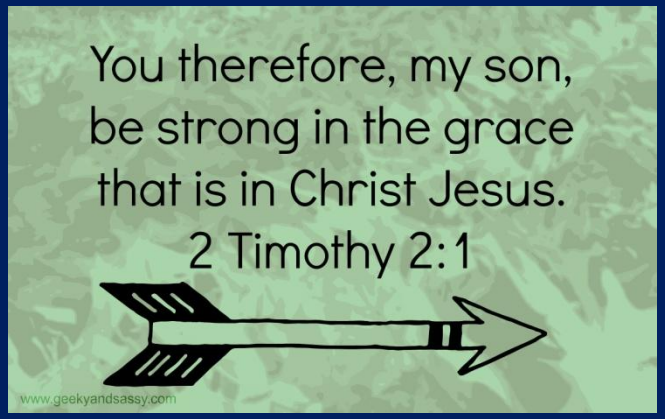
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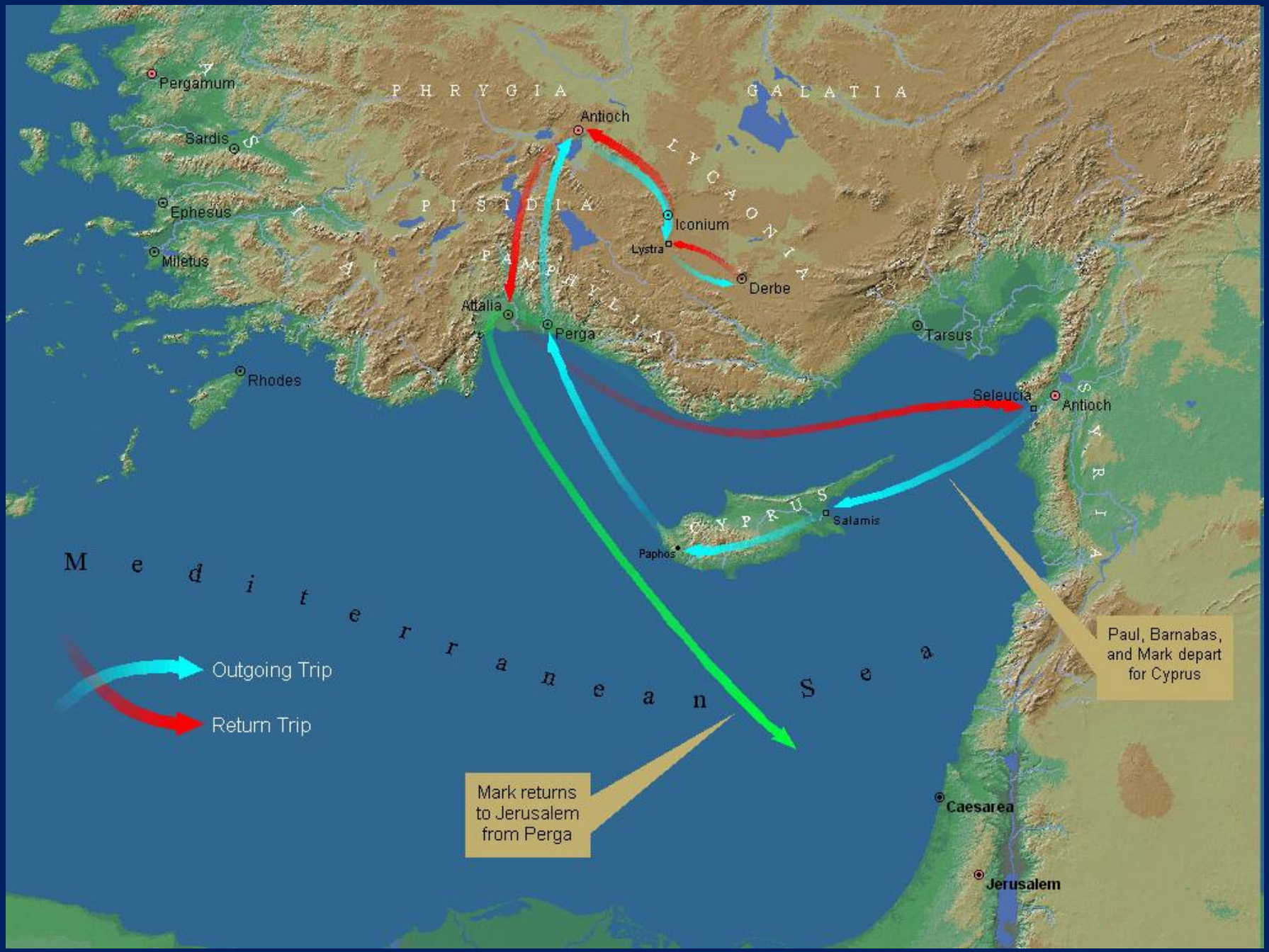


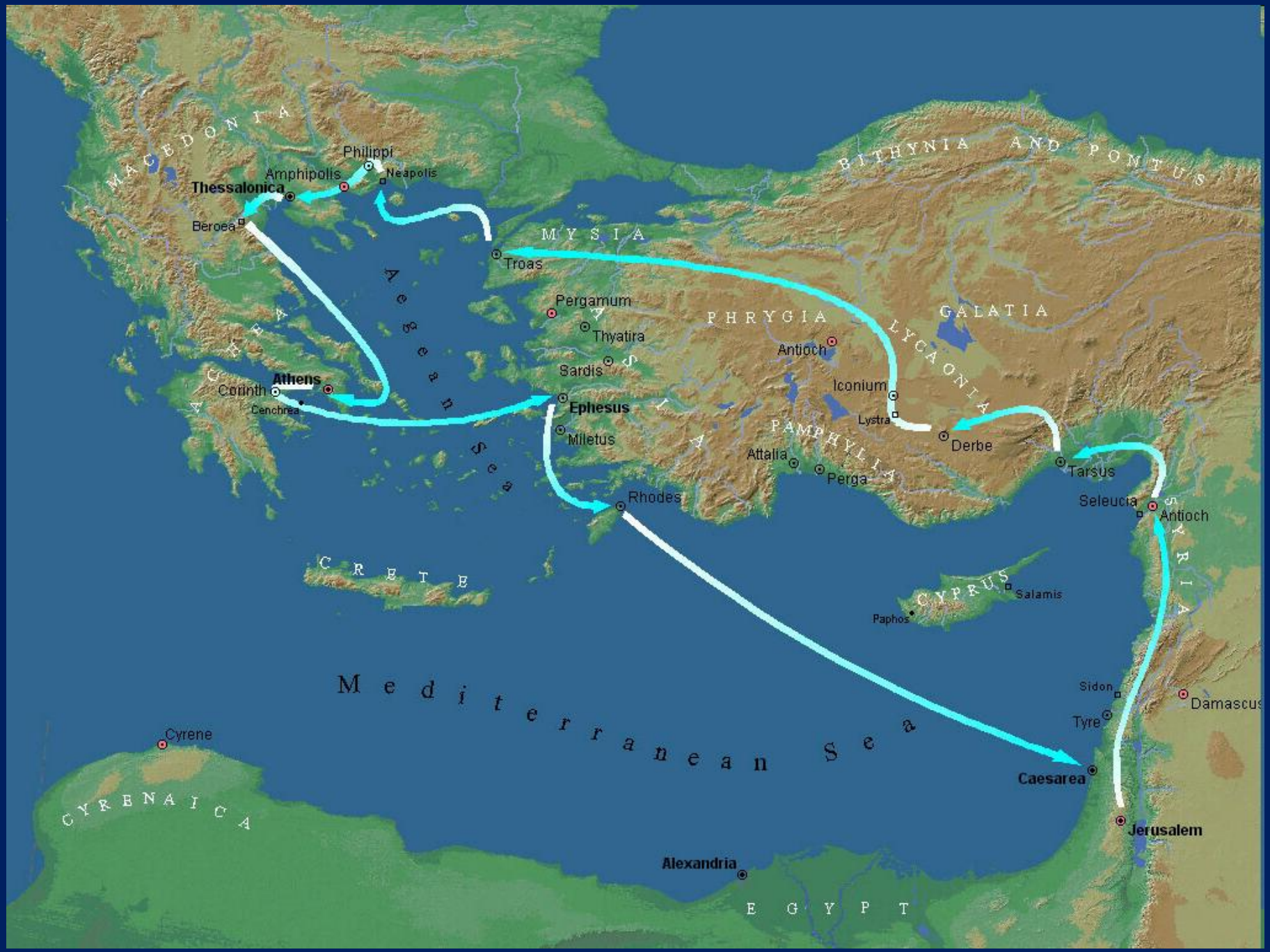
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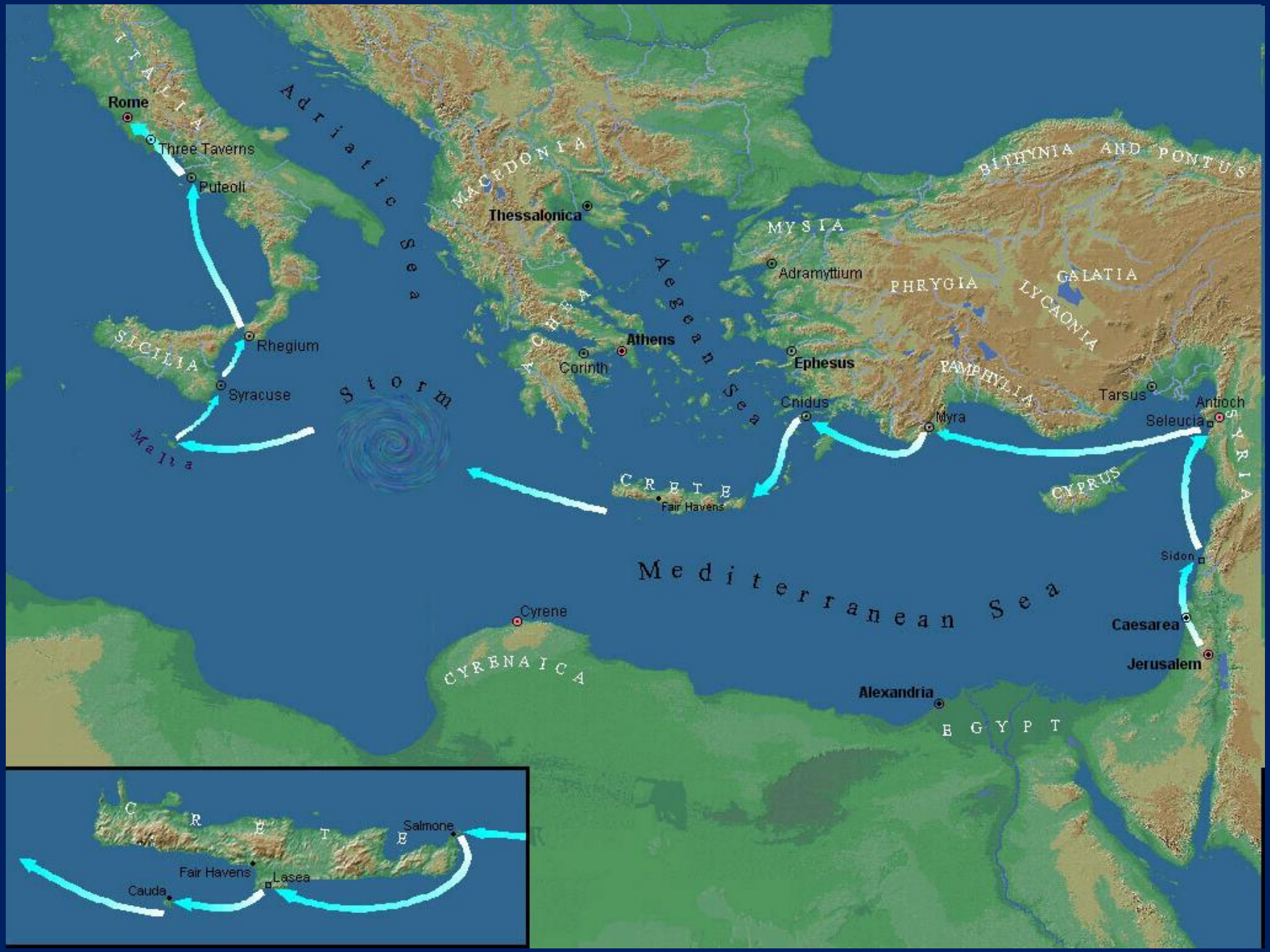
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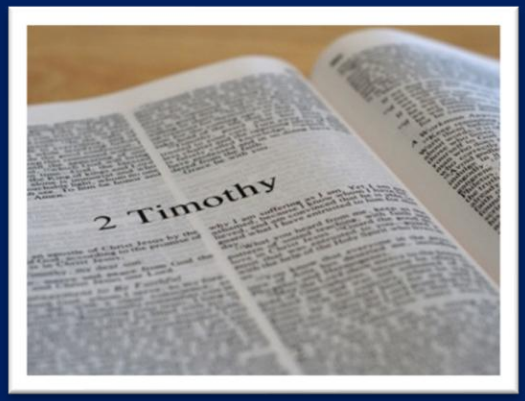

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Order of Paul's Letters



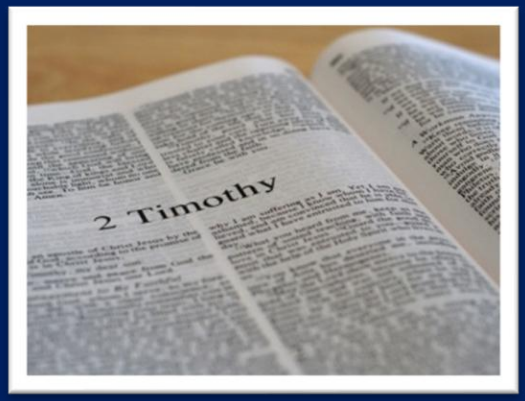
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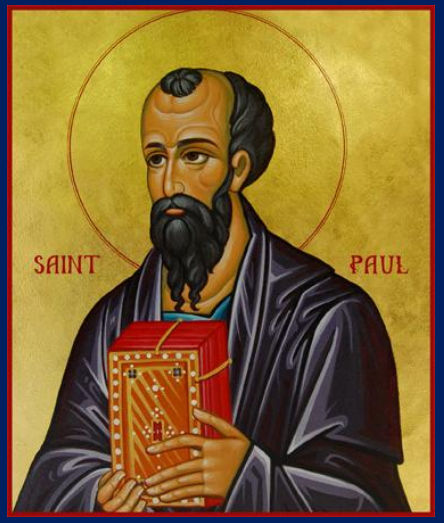
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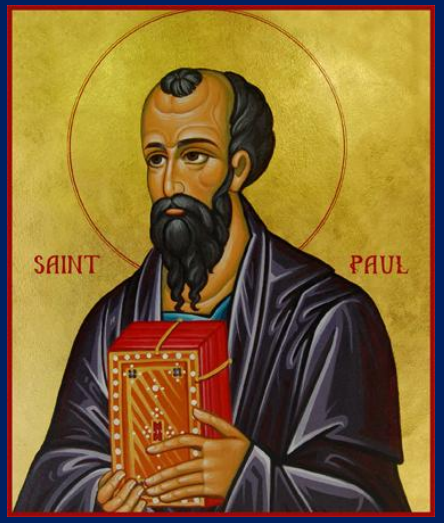
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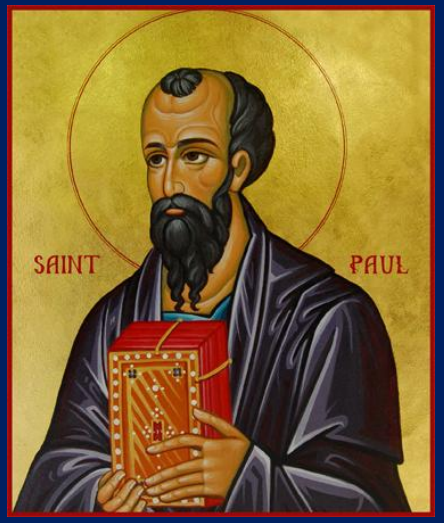




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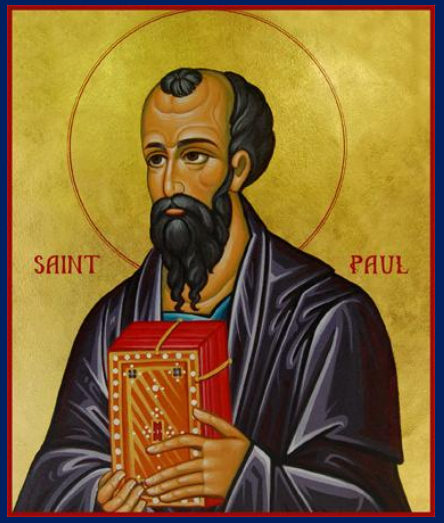




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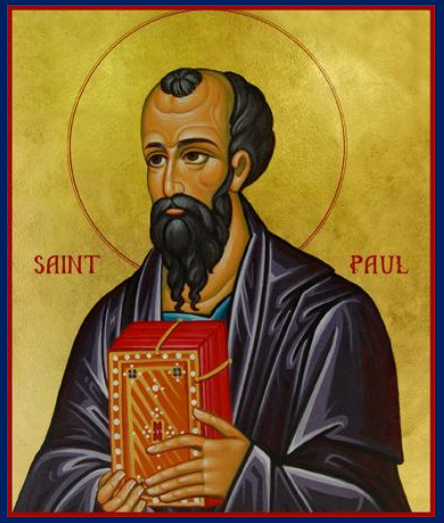




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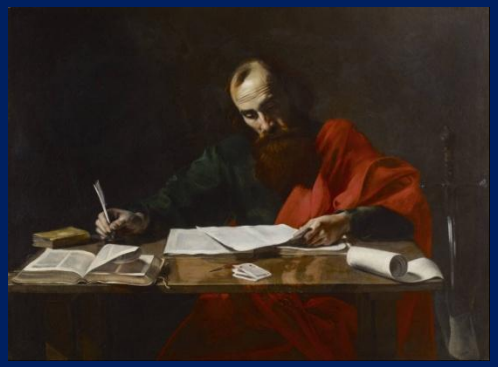
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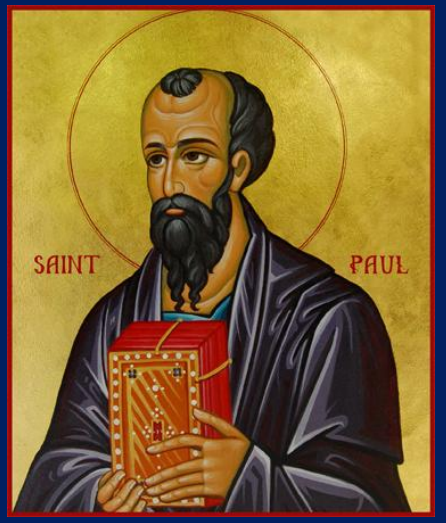


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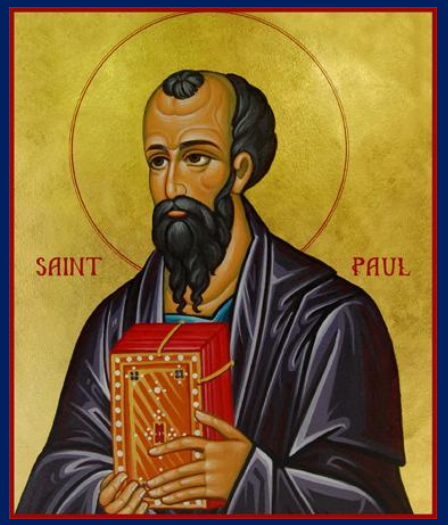


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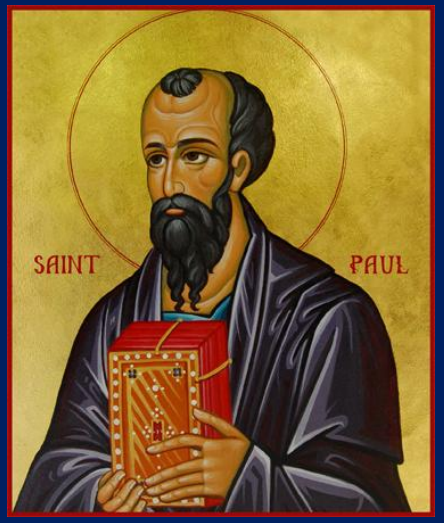


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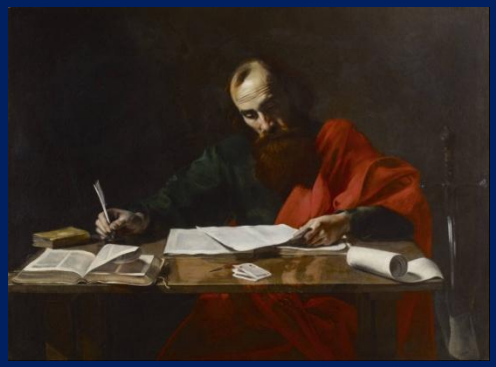


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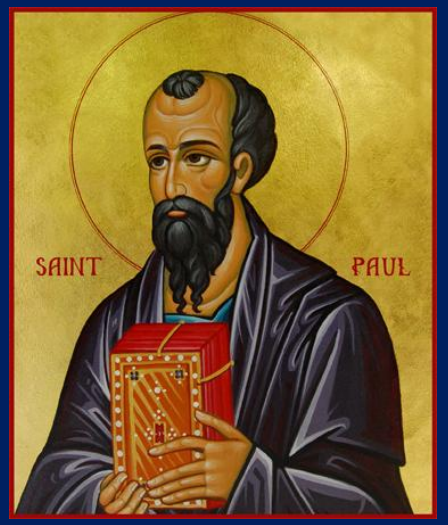


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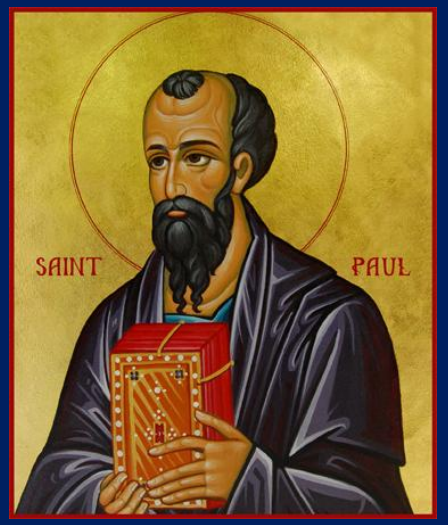


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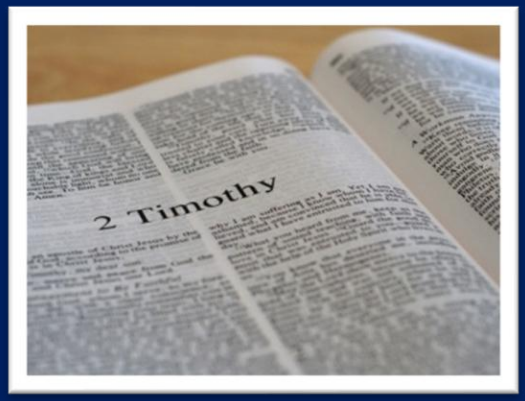
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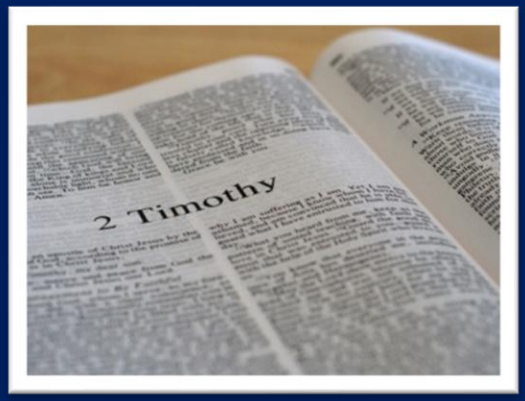


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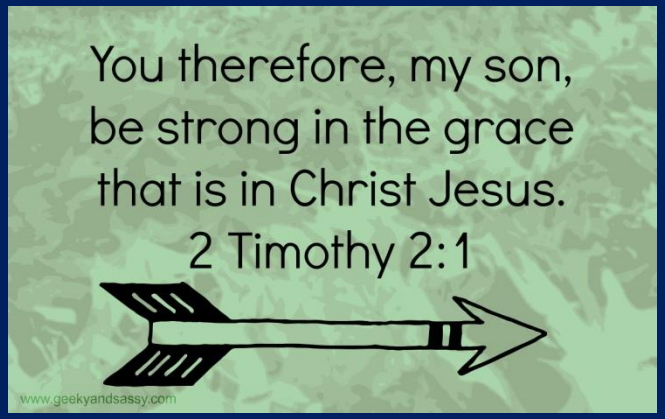
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- Teacher (2:2): four generations (from Paul to Timothy, from Timothy to faithful men, from faithful men to others)

- Soldier (2:3-4)
  - Endures hardship
  - Un-entangled
  - Limited options

2 Tim 2:5-6

- Athlete (2:5)
  - 1 Cor 9:25
  - Must compete according to the rules
- Farmer (2:6)
  - Diligence
  - No immediate crop

2 Tim 2:7-10

- Christ (2:7-8)
  - Ultimate example of endurance
  - Heb 12:2
- Paul (2:9-10)
  - 2 Cor 11:23-33
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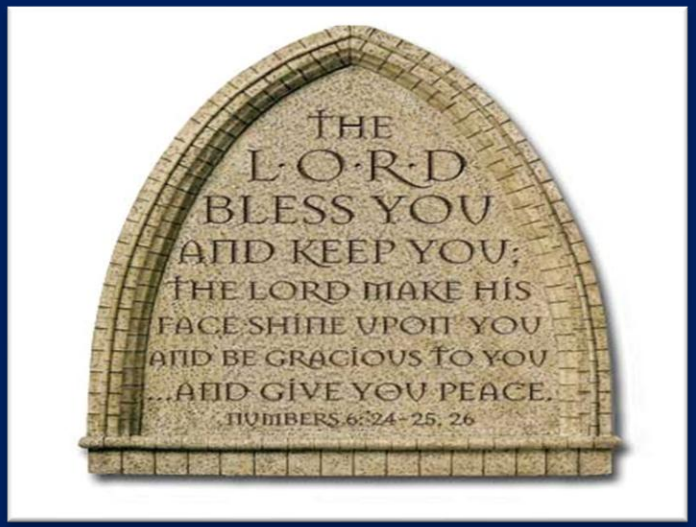
Trustworthy Statement (2:11-13)

- Believers died and will live with Christ (2:11)
- Four views (2:12)
  - Hypothetical
  - Arminian
  - Calvinisitic
  - Rewards
- Christ will never cancel His promise of eternal life to all believers (2:13)

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- Workman (2:14-18)
  - Avoid non biblical speculation (2:14, 16-18)
  - Embrace biblical truth (2:15)
- Vessel (2:19-23)
  - Two kinds of vessels (2:20-21)
  - Avoidance of “these things” (2:19, 22, 23)
- Servant (2:24-26)
  - Teach with patience (2:24-25)
  - Reason for patience (2:26)

Conclusion





"The LORD bless you and keep you; the LORD make his face shine on you and be gracious to you; the LORD turn his face toward you and give you peace." (NIV)