

About This Resource

How passionate are you about your faith?

Do you find following the plan of God easy or hard?

Are you searching for truth that can lead you?

Do you feel ready to talk about your faith?

This month as we look at the book of 2 Timothy we are talking about being a part of team Jesus. As we think about being a part of the team we will think about the person who was passionate enough to share Jesus with us and how we can do the same for others. We will also talk about how to follow the coach and His guidance. Which leads us to look at the playbook that God has laid out for us in the Bible and how to follow His words well. Finally, we will make sure that we are all ready whenever the time comes when God invites us to speak up or act up for Him. Go Team Jesus!

Each session includes (60 – 75 minutes):

- ❖ **Share Time:** An opportunity for people to share where they saw God this week. (7 minutes)
- ❖ **Connection Time:** An activity to grow in relationship with each other. (8 minutes)
- ❖ **Worship:** Songs that speak the truth of the session. (10-15 minutes)
- ❖ **Teaching:** A video clip that dives into the chapter. (15-20 minutes)
- ❖ **Scripture Memory:** Tools to hide the word of God in your heart. (5-7 minutes)
- ❖ **Simple Spiritual Conversation Starters:** Questions that can easily transition to spiritual conversations (10-15 minutes)
- ❖ **Biblical Prayer:** Prompts to pray Scripture back to God (5 minutes)

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- Daily tools for personal growth and outreach
- Yearly conference information
- Free curriculum



Lesson #4 Ready for the Game

What you will need for this lesson:

Setup:

- Have the song videos and teaching videos pulled up on the computer.
- Prepare the tool for memorizing scripture.
- Put a list of past scriptures on the board to go over.
- Print a copy of the daily tools for each attendee.

Curriculum Note: As you walk through each daily tool, have your group write down who or when they could use that tool this week. This curriculum is a call and an expectation of action in this world. Let's equip, empower and encourage each other to live our lives 100% committed to Jesus every day.

Welcome: (Includes Share Time and Fun Friday)

This week is about being ready to defend your faith. With that in mind ask your group to share the gospel with the person next to them. Take some time to roleplay a situation or a conversation and help each person be ready to defend what they believe.

PART OF THE TEAM

At Full Send we love to celebrate what God is doing and that is why we want testimony time to be a part of every session. We believe that God has been moving throughout the week and want to celebrate with each other where we saw Him. **Before we start talking about the book of 2 Timothy let's share what God has been doing in our lives this week!** After a few people have shared praise God for His movement in your lives.

Worship: (Includes Tune In Thursday)

Listening and singing to God is a great way to connect with Him and hear Biblical truths. Encourage your group to either listen or sing along, whatever is best for them. As they engage with each song there will be a few questions to unpack what they heard and experienced.

Homerun by Geoff Moore and the Distance -

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=a7CS7BoFU-A&list=RDa7CS7BoFU-A&start_radio=1

- **Who are some people in your life that you need to share your faith with?**

Preach by Ryan Stevenson -

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=wrsfhouHlsw&list=RDwrsfhouHlsw&start_radio=1

- **How can your life preach the word of God this week?**

Word: (Includes Scripture Sunday, Memorize Monday and Watch It Wednesday)

Before we listen to the message from Karen let's read 2 Timothy 4.

Today we are going to hear from Karen Schumacher about being ready to share our faith. https://youtu.be/4WT_aKjmds

Encourage people to take notes on the back of their sheet of daily tools as they listen to the teaching. **Ask them what stood out to them from the teaching or the scripture.**

Let's memorize 2 Timothy 4:2 preach the word; be ready in season and out of season; reprove, rebuke, and exhort, with complete patience and teaching.

Take a listen to this verse in song.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=omEAYEEJvbk>

Today I encourage you to split your group into pairs. Then have them alternate saying words from the passage. For example, Person #1 says, PREACH, Person #2 says, THE, Person #1 says, WORD, and person #2 says, BE. Continue this for the whole passage. Then try to say phrases at a time until you have it all memorized.

Witness: (Includes Table Talk Tuesday)

Now that we have read and studied about being ready with your faith, invite the group to answer the questions as they would. Then think about how others may answer the questions and how they can turn that into a spiritual conversation.

The questions of the day are: Do you like talking about God? Why or why not? What do you find it easy to talk about or listen to? Why is that easier or more enjoyable to talk about rather than God? Could I share why I like to talk about God and the truth that has changed my life?

As we process these questions, we hope that each person is prepared and equipped to use these questions in normal everyday conversations throughout the week.

Let's read 2 Timothy 4:3-4

Truth: Don't try to please your own passions, but desire the truth from God.

May this section be an encouragement to those who hear it, and may God fill them with the hope they can have in Jesus Christ.

Closing Prayer: (Includes Seek Him Saturday)

Each week we want to teach people how to pray scripture back to God. Sometimes it is as easy as speaking the text and other times it is using the concepts of the passage to say what is going on in our lives. **Let's finish our day by praying 2 Timothy 4:1-5 and pray to have ears that desire the truth and pray for a mouth that is willing to speak the truth.**

Encourage the group to come back with stories of what God did this week and how He worked through these daily tools.

Scripture: 2 Timothy 4

Topic: Ready for the Game

Scripture Sunday:

Read 2 Timothy 4 today and write down when and why we should be prepared in our faith.

Memorize Monday:

preach the word; be ready in season and out of season; reprove, rebuke, and exhort, with complete patience and teaching. 2 Timothy 4:2

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=omEAYEEJvbk>

Table Talk Tuesday:

Talk: Do you like talking about God? Why or why not? What do you find it easy to talk about or listen to? Why is that easier or more enjoyable to talk about rather than God? Could I share why I like to talk about God and the truth that has changed my life?

Text: For the time is coming when people will not endure sound teaching, but having itching ears they will accumulate for themselves teachers to suit their own passions, and will turn away from listening to the truth and wander off into myths. 2 Timothy 4:3-4

Truth: Don't try to please your own passions, but desire the truth from God.

Watch it Wednesday:

Full Send 2 Timothy - Part of a Team - Be Ready to Play - Karen Schumacher -

https://youtu.be/4WT_aKjmds

Tune In Thursday:

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Fun Friday:

Invite people over for a bonfire or outdoor games and have a playlist of Christian music queued up for the evening. Let the word of God fill the space as you enjoy time with your friends and family. Make sure to share about a song or two as it comes on.

Seek Him Saturday:

Pray 2 Timothy 4:1-5 and pray to have ears that desire the truth and pray for a mouth that is willing to speak the truth.