

## **Caring for Elders of the Church**

### **pt. 2– Protection**

#### **Introduction:**

1 Timothy 5:19–21 Paul calls for the church to care for its elders by protecting them from three dangers that threaten the purity of the church.

- **The Responsibility of Protection:**  
**Protect Elders for the \_\_\_\_\_ (vv.19–21)**

1. From Un\_\_\_\_\_ Accusations (v.19)

2. From Un\_\_\_\_\_ Sin (v.20)

#### **Application:**

- Refuse gossip and require biblical process.
- Fear sin before it becomes public shame.
- Commit to truth over favoritism.