
2 TIMOTHY
Passing On Our Faith

Finishing The Race Together

We need the people of God and the presence of God

The People of God

We all have a baton to carry

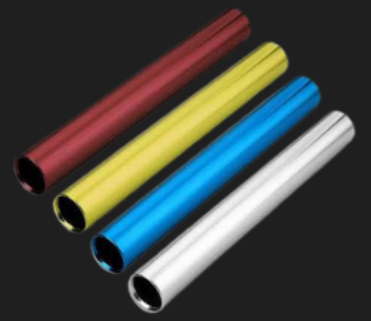


The Ministry of God is bigger
than any one person...
it requires all of the people of God

2 Timothy 4:9 Do your best to come to me quickly,
10 for Demas, because he loved this world, has
deserted me and has gone to Thessalonica.
Crescens has gone to Galatia, and Titus to
Dalmatia. 11 Only Luke is with me. Get Mark and
bring him with you, because he is helpful to me in
my ministry. 12 I sent Tychicus to Ephesus. 13 When
you come, bring the cloak that I left with Carpus at
Troas, and my scrolls, especially the parchments.

The very thing that makes ministry so meaningful is often the very thing that makes ministry so painful: people.

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- Demas: A loyal worker
- Crescens and Titus: Pastors
- Luke: A doctor, writer and missionary companion
- Mark: Missionary companion and writer
- Tychicus: A faithful pastor
- Carpus: A holder of Paul’s cloak, scrolls and parchments
- Demas: once a loyal worker
- Prisca and Aquila: Teaching team who opened their homes
- Brothers and sisters

People Will Also Disappoint You

14 Alexander the metalworker did me a great deal
of harm. The Lord will repay him for what he has
done. 15 You too should be on your guard against
him, because he strongly opposed our message.
16 At my first defense, no one came to my support,
but everyone deserted me. May it not be held
against them.

The Lord is Always There for Us

17 But the Lord stood at my side and gave me
strength, so that through me the message might
be fully proclaimed and all the Gentiles might
hear it. And I was delivered from the lion’s mouth.
18 The Lord will rescue me from every evil attack
and will bring me safely to his heavenly kingdom.
To him be glory for ever and ever. Amen.

19 Greet Priscilla and Aquila and the household of Onesiphorus. 20 Erastus stayed in Corinth, and I left Trophimus sick in Miletus. 21 Do your best to get here before winter. Eubulus greets you, and so do Pudens, Linus, Claudia and all the brothers and sisters.
22 The Lord be with your spirit. Grace be with you all. (2 Timothy 4:9–22, NIV)

We Need Each Other!

What are you doing to finish well with others?

END-OF-YEAR CHALLENGE

To pay for our Cielo Vista community space

End-Of-Year Gifts must be received by noon on December 31, 2026

Goal is $150,000 for

- **Turf**
- **Fencing**
- **Parking**

