

SUMMARY

Adam Calabrese taught a message entitled "Left to be Effective". In this message, we looked at the life of Timothy and what he had to do to prepare to go minister in the city of Ephesus. We learned four lessons from Timothy on how we can prepare for whatever lies ahead for us in our lives!

1. Become an expert

What is an expert? What is one area that you sense God would have you grow in your expertise?

2. Be active in warfare

Knowing that the battles we face are truly spiritual in nature, how can you engage to a greater extent in the war in which we find ourselves (see Ephesians 6:10-18)?

APPLICATION

3. Be able to identify your weaknesses

Timothy perceived his youthfulness as a weakness. What is your weakness, and what can you do to develop in that area?

4. Be strengthened in the Lord

If you find yourself in a place of being spiritually weak and depleted, what can you do this week specifically to be strengthened in the Lord?

PRAYER

Pray that we would learn from the example of Timothy and that God would give us the grace and strength to prepare ourselves accordingly.







