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"Living Godly" 2 Timothy 3:12

THESIS: Many who would follow Christ are stranded in the wilderness of waywardness, wastefulness and whine-fullness.

Introduction

Days of deep darkness are all around us. Days of deep darkness include, but are not limited to exchanging lies for the Truth; the dismantling and destruction of the family; the failure to retain God's Righteousness in man's knowledge; and the wide spreading of doubt through deception in education.

Living Godly becomes easier and natural with the Presence and Power of the Holy Spirit. Saints are required to Mature. To Grow Spiritually. To become Strong, Stable and Secure.

In this letter to Timothy, the apostle Paul under the Guidance of the Holy Spirit, shares several things with us regarding successful Godly Living, in chapter 3

- A. Concerning Persecution & Affliction (v. 11)
 - 1. Intended to produce failure
 - 2. Endure
 - 3. The Lord Delivers
- B. Know The Holy Scripture (v. 15)
 - 1. The Word of God
 - 2. The Wisdom of God
 - 3. The Way of God

- C. Be Made Wise Through Faith (v. 15)
 - 1. Walk by Faith
 - 2. Work by Faith
 - 3. Witness by Faith

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