

Session



## Personal Study Guide

### Gospel Good-bye (Gospel Conversation Focus)

*September 27, 2020*

#### Introduction/Ice Breaker

- Begin today's discussion time by sharing God stories as a follow up to last week's application.

#### 1. The Lord Will Repay (2 Tim. 4:9-15)

- What can we learn about trusting God from Paul's words regarding Alexander?

- What gave Paul confidence to trust God, despite the wrong that had been done to him?

- Application: Who are you praying for specifically that is not a Christ-follower? Share with those around you how Paul's example and your experience help you understand God is present.

#### 2. The Lord Stood (2 Tim. 4:16-17)

- What can we learn from Paul's words about the way God uses hardship for good in our lives?

- What was Paul's comfort at a time when all people had deserted him?

 Application: Where are you currently suffering? How might God be using this to shape you for His good purposes? Where are your friends/neighbors suffering? How can the Roman's Road and your God story help them see God?

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### 3. The Lord Will Rescue (2 Tim. 4:18)

 What did Paul mean by expressing confidence in his rescue and safety? How might this perspective encourage us as we face hardship in life?

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 How does God's preserving you bring Him glory?

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 Application: How is God's eternal protection a great encouragement to you? With whom can you share this message this week?

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### Conclusion

 What ordinary means of grace and comfort has the Lord given to you? Are you content with what he has provided for you or do you demand more?

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 Where do you feel deserted? How can Paul's words be an encouragement to you today?

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 How have you experienced the Lord's preserving work in your life? If you don't yet know Him, reread the Roman's Road in your Bible and ask, "What is God saying to me?"

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### Daily Readings

- Monday - 2 Timothy 4:9-19

- Tuesday - James 1:2-4

- Wednesday - 1 Corinthians 15:58

- Thursday - Hebrews 10:23

- Friday - Romans 8:37-39

- Saturday - Revelation 3:10-11