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Topic: A Study of 2 Timothy 4 - He will Deliver!

Text: 2 Timothy 4:18

1. In the closing address of Paul, Paul suddenly shifted his focus on deliverance. This prayer for deliverance was not a request for rescue from the Roman's physical assault because he was all ready to do the work of God and die for it. He surrendered his whole life to the Lord. Many people will do whatever it takes to stay alive on this Earth and get their heart's desire, but Paul was focus on deliverance from evil. He knew that no one could take away his salvation, but he could lose his testimony due to fear and pride.
2. If we want deliverance from evil, then we must strive to live a life without evil. A true disciple of Christ must first deny self before taking up the cross. There is no such thing as following Christ according to our own terms. Since we are weak people in the flesh, we must prayerfully ask God to deliver us from evil deeds and evil people that will tempt us to sin against God.
3. The result of deliverance is for God's glory. Others will see our lives of holiness and see Jesus through our words and actions. They will see that our lives are the work of God. We ought to develop godliness with contentment in our lives and pass this virtue on to our children.

*The Lord Jesus is coming again soon. Make sure of your salvation and ask God to deliver you from your sin.*