

MESSAGE NOTES

GAME Plan

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Entrusted to Finish Well

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[1 Timothy 6:11-21](#), p. 831

We have always lived in uncertain times. We live in a society that is driven by discontent, greed, godlessness, autonomy, idolatry, factions, endless disputes and an intentional dismissal of the Word of God. That's how it was in Timothy's day too. In light of this context, Paul commands Timothy and us regarding how we are to live our lives.

How are the people of God to live?

1. We are to be those who fight the **good fight** ([1 Timothy 6:11-12](#)).
2. We are to be those who make the **good confession** ([1 Timothy 6:12-16](#)).
3. We are to be those who do what is **good for eternity** ([1 Timothy 6:17-21](#)).

THE **ONE THING**: [to finish well is to live well!](#)

NEXT STEPS

- Memorize [1 Timothy 6:15-16](#).
- Take another trip.
- We have been entrusted with the gospel. Guard it! Live it!
- Spend some time thinking about the finish line.

DISCOVERY QUESTIONS FOR FAMILY OR GROUP DISCUSSION

Check-In: Since we last met, how did your "I will..." and sharing go?

1. What are you thankful for? What challenge or stress are you facing? Do you know anyone who needs help at this time? As a group, how can we help?
2. Read [1 Timothy 6:11-21](#), together (at least twice), and take turns retelling it in your own words as if sharing with a friend who isn't here.
3. What stands out to you and why? What do these verses tell us about God? What do these verses tell us about humanity/about us?
4. If this is God speaking, how will you apply it to your life? (*Share a specific: "I will..."*)
5. Who will you share with before we meet again? (*Name a specific person you plan to **share with**.*)

If you'd like to learn more about the discovery group process, connect with marcus@oakwoodnow.org