



# Study Guide

## Lesson 6

### “Ministering To Special Groups, Part 2”

## 1 Timothy 6

This chapter continues Paul’s advice to Timothy on ministering to the various kinds of believers in the church. The atmosphere is military, for Paul used words that belong to the army: “Fight the good fight of faith” (1 Tim. 6:12). “I give thee charge” (1 Tim. 6:13, which is the same military term used in 1:3). “Charge them that are rich” (1 Tim. 6:17). “O Timothy, keep [guard] that which is committed to thy trust” (1 Tim. 6:20). In other words, you might say Paul was the general, giving Timothy orders from the Lord, the Commander in Chief.

Paul instructed Timothy how to minister to four more groups in the church, and also how to keep his own life in the will of God.

### Christian Slaves

#### 6:1-2

1. Some historians have estimated that half of the population of the Roman Empire was composed of slaves. If you count those who weren’t slaves but were bound beyond their control by other circumstances the numbers would be much higher. In Galatians 3:28 Paul said, “*There is neither \_\_\_\_\_ nor \_\_\_\_\_, there is neither \_\_\_\_\_ nor \_\_\_\_\_, there is no \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_, for you are all one in Christ Jesus. And if you are Christ’s, then you are Abraham’s offspring, heirs according to promise*”

2. List the two groups addressed in this paragraph:

1. \_\_\_\_\_ masters (6:1-2).
2. \_\_\_\_\_ masters. (6:1-2)

### False Teachers

#### 6:3-10

1. What were the marks of the false teachers’ teaching?

- a) refusal to abide by \_\_\_\_\_ of our Lord Jesus Christ and to \_\_\_\_\_. 6:3
- b) the wrong \_\_\_\_\_. (6:4)

2. What were the motive of the false teachers? \_\_\_\_\_

### The Preacher

#### 6:11-16, 20-21

1. Paul gave four admonitions to Timothy that, if obeyed, would assure him success in his ministry and a continued testimony as “a man of God.”

- a). \_\_\_\_\_ c). \_\_\_\_\_
- b). \_\_\_\_\_ d). \_\_\_\_\_