

2 Timothy 4:9-22

“The Lord Stood With Me”

Introduction

Three points

- His priority in his final days
- God's faithfulness
- An interesting comment on healing

Introduction

Key Verse

1:12-13 For this reason I also suffer these things; nevertheless, I am not ashamed, for I know whom I have believed and am persuaded that He is able to keep what I have committed to Him until that Day. Hold fast the pattern of sound words which you have heard from me, in faith and love which are in Christ Jesus.

Vv 9-13

Priorities

Vv 9-13 – Priorities

“Still more does this passage refute the madness of the fanatics who despise books and condemn all reading and boast only of . . . their private inspirations by God. But we should note that this passage commends continual reading to all godly men as a thing from which they can profit.” (Calvin) – as quoted by Guzik

Vv 14-18

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Proverbs 17:17

A friend loves at all times, and a brother is born for adversity.

Psalms 55:12-14

For [it is] not an enemy [who] reproaches me; Then I could bear [it]. Nor [is it] one [who] hates me who has exalted [himself] against me; then I could hide from him. But [it was] you, a man my equal, my companion and my acquaintance. We took sweet counsel together, [and] walked to the house of God in the throng.

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Matthew 26:31

Then Jesus said to them, "All of you will be made to stumble because of Me this night, for it is written: 'I will strike the Shepherd, And the sheep of the flock will be scattered.'"

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Hebrews 13:5b-6

For He Himself has said, "I will never leave you nor forsake you." So we may boldly say: "The LORD [is] my helper; I will not fear. What can man do to me?"

Matthew 28:20

"teaching them to observe all things that I have commanded you; and lo, I am with you always, [even] to the end of the age." Amen.

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2 Timothy 1:12

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nevertheless, I am not ashamed, for I know
whom I have believed and am persuaded that
He is able to keep what I have committed to
Him until that Day*

Vv 19-21

Closing Greetings to Friends

V 22

Last Words

Take It Home

1. Priorities

2. God's Faithfulness

3. Prayer and God's Sovereignty

MEDITATION VERSE

2 Timothy 4:18

And the Lord will deliver me from every evil work and preserve [me] for His heavenly kingdom. To Him [be] glory forever and ever. Amen!

BENEDICTION

2 Timothy 4:22

*The Lord Jesus Christ be with your spirit.
Grace be with you. Amen.*