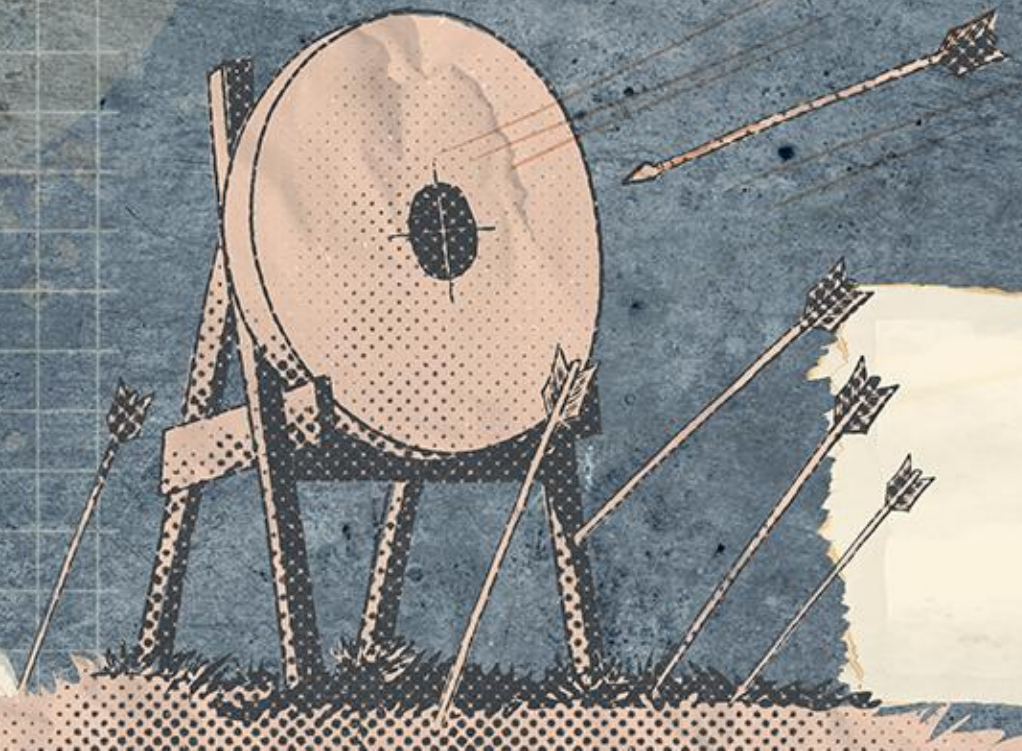
A STUDY IN

1&2 Timothy



1 Timothy 6:1-10

True Freedom

1 Timothy 6

[1] All slaves should show full respect for their masters so they will not bring shame on the name of God and his teaching. [2] If the masters are believers, that is no excuse for being disrespectful. Those slaves should work all the harder because their efforts are helping other believers who are well loved.

New Living Translation (NLT)


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Galatians 3

26 For you are all children of God through faith in
Christ Jesus. 27 And all who have been united
with Christ in baptism have put on Christ, like
putting on new clothes. 28 There is no longer Jew
or Gentile, slave or free, male and female. For
you are all one in Christ Jesus. 29 And now that
you belong to Christ, you are the true children
of Abraham. You are his heirs, and God's
promise to Abraham belongs to you.


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2b Teach these things, Timothy, and encourage
everyone to obey them. 3 Some people may
contradict our teaching, but these are the
wholesome teachings of the Lord Jesus Christ.
These teachings promote a godly life. 4 Anyone
who teaches something different is arrogant
and lacks understanding.

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Such a person has an unhealthy desire to quibble over the meaning of words. This stirs up arguments ending in jealousy, division, slander, and evil suspicions. [5] These people always cause trouble. Their minds are corrupt, and they have turned their backs on the truth. To them, a show of godliness is just a way to become wealthy.

WE ARE CALLED to REFLECT, NOT ARGUE the TRUTHS of JESUS



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6 Yet true godliness with contentment is itself
great wealth. 7 After all, we brought nothing
with us when we came into the world, and we
can’t take anything with us when we leave it. 8
So if we have enough food and clothing, let us
be content.

1 Timothy 6

9 But people who long to be rich fall into
temptation and are trapped by many foolish and
harmful desires that plunge them into ruin and
destruction. 10 For the love of money is the root
of all kinds of evil. And some people, craving
money, have wandered from the true faith and
pierced themselves with many sorrows.

Ecclesiastes 5

10 Those who love money will never have enough. How meaningless to think that wealth brings true happiness!

Hebrews 13

5 Don’t love money; be satisfied with what you
have. For God has said,
“I will never fail you.
I will never abandon you.”

James 5

[1] Look here, you rich people: Weep and groan
with anguish because of all the terrible troubles
ahead of you. [2] Your wealth is rotting away, and
your fine clothes are moth-eaten rags. [3] Your gold
and silver are corroded. The very wealth you
were counting on will eat away your flesh like
fire. This corroded treasure you have hoarded
will testify against you on the day of judgment.

James 5

4 For listen! Hear the cries of the field workers
whom you have cheated of their pay. The cries
of those who harvest your fields have reached
the ears of the Lord of Heaven's Armies. 5 You
have spent your years on earth in luxury,
satisfying your every desire. You have fattened
yourselves for the day of slaughter.

Matthew 6

24 “No one can serve two masters. For you will
hate one and love the other; you will be devoted
to one and despise the other. You cannot serve
God and be enslaved to money.


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