

4 - CONCERNING PRAYER (1 TIMOTHY 2:1-7)

I. The Exhortation (2:1)

A. The first priority (2:1a)

- Paul points out to Timothy what should be _____.

Scripture Acts 6:4

B. The need to pray (2:1b)

- Timothy is told that all manner of prayers and thanksgiving must be _____.

II. For Those In Authority (2:2)

A. Pray for kings (2:2a)

- Paul tells Timothy that we are to pray for those who are _____.

B. The purpose (2:2b)

- We are to pray for them so that we can _____.

III. God's View (2:3-6)

A. Concerning our prayers (2:3)

- Paul points out that praying in this way is _____.

B. The desire of God (2:4)

- It is God's desire that all men be saved and _____.

C. Truth explained (2:5-6)

1. God and Jesus (2:5a)

- Paul affirms that there is _____.

- This is an important point concerning salvation in that _____.

2. The Mediator (2:5b)

- Paul points out that the mediator is _____.

3. Jesus' sacrifice (2:6)

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- As the mediator, Jesus Christ gave himself as _____.
- This sacrifice was a clear testimony of God's desire for _____.

IV. Paul's Calling (2:7)

A. His purpose (2:7a)

- Paul was appointed as a preacher and apostle because of _____.
- Paul affirms that he is speaking the truth and _____.

B. His ministry (2:7b)

- Paul states that he was appointed a teacher for the Gentiles concerning _____.