



An Admirable Christian

2 Timothy 2:1-7

- 1) Is strong in the grace that is in Christ Jesus (2:1)
- 2) Studies under godly people of faith (2a)
- 3) Passes his godly wisdom onto the next generation (2b)
- 4) Suffers hardship like a soldier of Christ (3-4)
 - a) Does not entangle himself w/ useless endeavors
 - b) Seeks to please His Lord & Savior
- 5) Competes like an athlete (5)
 - a) Serves with the focus on completing task
 - b) Always abiding by the rules
- 6) Works hard like a farmer (6)
- 7) Considers carefully what God has written in Scripture (7)
- 8) Observations & application
 - a) Read your Bible cover to cover in 2021
 - b) If you read your Bible, consider passing your wisdom along to others
 - c) Don't concern yourself with *why* but *what*; keep focused on Christ
 - d) Christianity is hard work; no complaints!
 - e) Don't look for harvest, seek to sow seeds