

## Watch Yourself - 1 Timothy 4:12-16

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## START TALKING | Get your group thinking.

- 1. How does moral relativism challenge and conflict with a Christian's understanding of ethical behavior?
- 2. Give some examples of how Christians might compromise their biblical values.

## START SHARING | Get your group engaging with the message.

Read 1 Timothy 4:12-16

- 3. Paul exhorts Timothy—and us today—to live out our faith.
  - a. How does our speech reflect the condition of our heart, and how can we ensure that our words consistently honor God? (Matthew 15:18; Ephesians 4:25, 29)
  - b. What are the biggest challenges in aligning our daily conduct with Christ's teachings, and how can we overcome them? (1 Timothy 4:15; John 14:15)
  - c. In what ways does experiencing God's love influence us to extend love to those around us? (John 15:13; 1 John 4:7-8)
  - d. What specific habits or disciplines help us remain steadfast in Christ and resist drifting away? (1 Corinthians 9:24; Hebrews 12:1-2)
  - e. What is the extent and importance of the battle for purity? (Matthew 5:27-28, 1 Corinthians 6:16-20)
- 4. In keeping a close watch on ourselves, what reveals that our faith is genuine? (2 Corinthians 13:5; Galatians 5:22-23; James 2:17; Ephesians 2:8)
- 5. What sacrifices or choices help us reflect Christ's character as His ambassadors? (2 Corinthians 5:20; 1 Timothy 4:16)

## START LIVING | Get your group applying God's Word to daily life.

- 6. Identify the area in which you need to grow the most—speech, conduct, love, faithfulness, or purity. What needs to change?
- 7. What will you do to cultivate a deeper, more faithful pursuit of God, ensuring that your relationship with Him is a lifelong commitment?