



Timothy 1:1-3 (NLT)

- ¹ This letter is from Paul, an apostle of Christ Jesus, appointed by the command of God our Savior and Christ Jesus, who gives us hope.
- ² I am writing to Timothy, my true son in the faith. May God the Father and Christ Jesus our Lord give you grace, mercy, and peace.
- ³ When I left for Macedonia, I urged you to stay there in Ephesus and stop those whose teaching is contrary to the truth.

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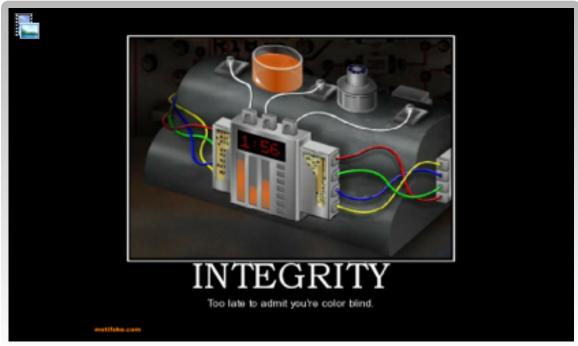
Acts 16:1-3a (NLT)

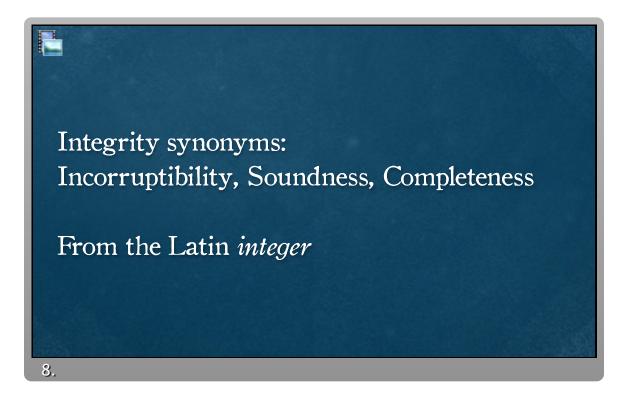
¹ Paul went first to Derbe and then to Lystra, where there was a young disciple named Timothy. His mother was a Jewish believer, but his father was a Greek. ² Timothy was well thought of by the believers in Lystra and Iconium, ³ so Paul wanted him to join them on their journey.

Integrity
Holiness
Power

5.

In God's economy, your leadership potential is directly related to your character





1 Samuel 16:6-7 (NLT)

- ⁶ When they arrived, Samuel took one look at Eliab and thought, "Surely this is the Lord's anointed!"
- ⁷ But the Lord said to Samuel, "Don't judge by his appearance or height, for I have rejected him. The Lord doesn't see things the way you see them. People judge by outward appearance, but the Lord looks at the heart."

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Psalm 78:70-72 (NIV)

- ⁷⁰ He chose David his servant and took him from the sheep pens;
- ⁷¹ from tending the sheep he brought him to be the shepherd of his people Jacob, of Israel his inheritance.
- ⁷² And David shepherded them with integrity of heart; with skillful hands he led them.

1 Timothy 3:1-7 (NIV)

¹ Here is a trustworthy saying: Whoever aspires to be an overseer desires a noble task. ² Now the overseer is to be above reproach, faithful to his wife, temperate, self-controlled, respectable, hospitable, able to teach, ³ not given to drunkenness, not violent but gentle, not quarrelsome, not a lover of money. ⁴ He must manage his own family well and see that his children obey him, and he must do so in a manner worthy of full respect.

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1 Timothy 3:1-7 (NIV)

⁵ (If anyone does not know how to manage his own family, how can he take care of God's church?) ⁶ He must not be a recent convert, or he may become conceited and fall under the same judgment as the devil. ⁷ He must also have a good reputation with outsiders, so that he will not fall into disgrace and into the devil's trap.

1 Timothy 3:8-13 (NIV)

⁸ In the same way, deacons are to be worthy of respect, sincere, not indulging in much wine, and not pursuing dishonest gain. ⁹ They must keep hold of the deep truths of the faith with a clear conscience. ¹⁰ They must first be tested; and then if there is nothing against them, let them serve as deacons.

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1 Timothy 3:8-13 (NIV)

¹¹ In the same way, the women are to be worthy of respect, not malicious talkers but temperate and trustworthy in everything.

¹² A deacon must be faithful to his wife and must manage his children and his household well. ¹³ Those who have served well gain an excellent standing and great assurance in their faith in Christ Jesus.

1 Timothy 3:14-15 (NLT)

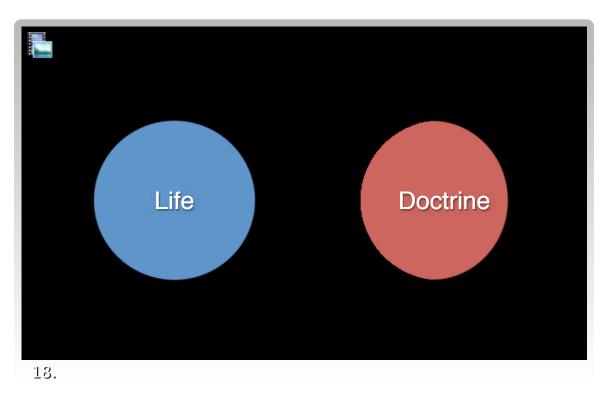
¹⁴ I am writing these things to you now, even though I hope to be with you soon, ¹⁵ so that if I am delayed, you will know how people must conduct themselves in the household of God. This is the church of the living God, which is the pillar and foundation of the truth.

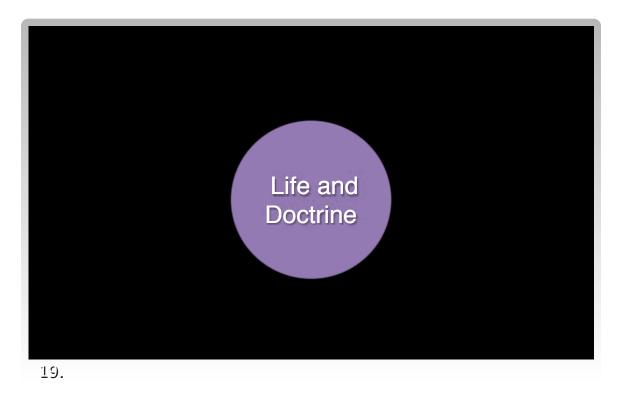
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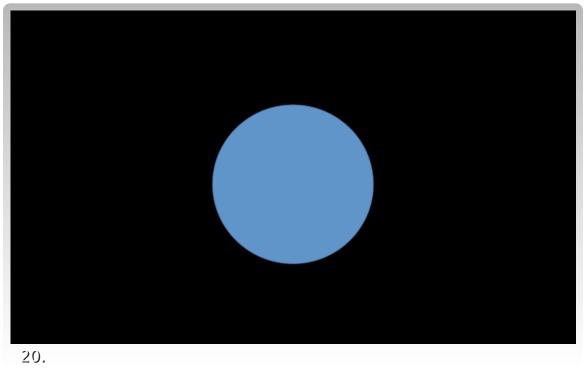
1 Timothy 4:16 (NIV)

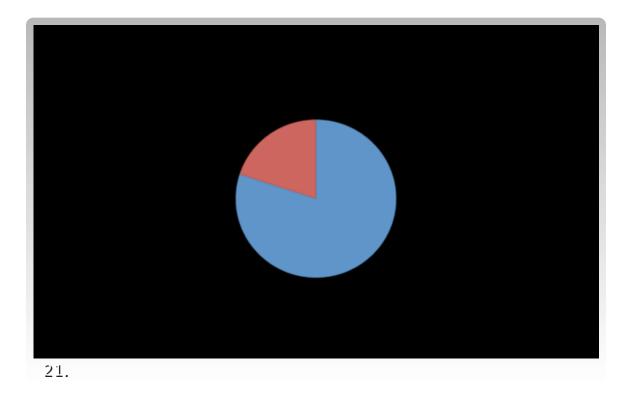
Watch your life and doctrine closely. Persevere in them, because if you do, you will save both yourself and your hearers.

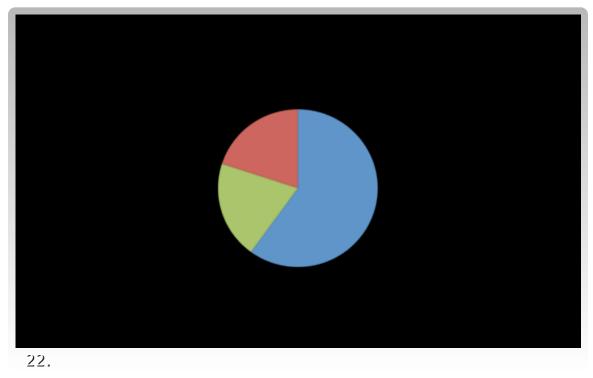


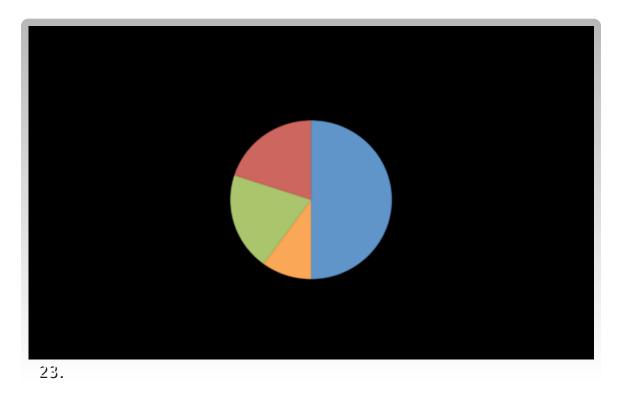


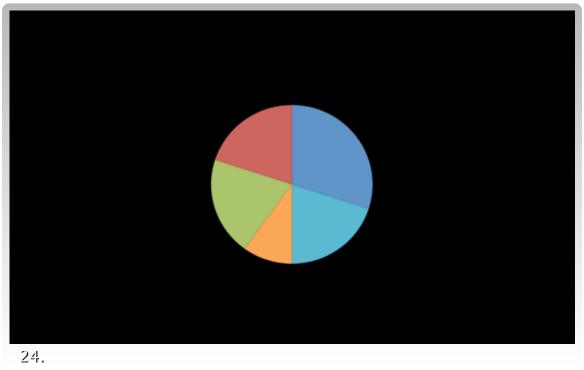


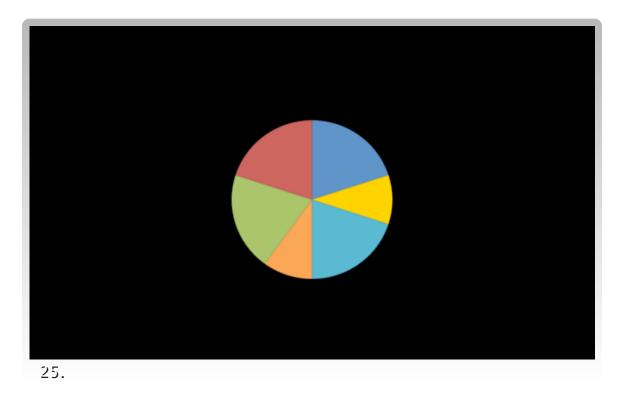


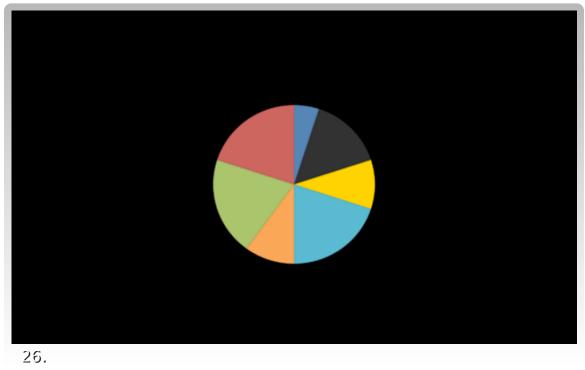


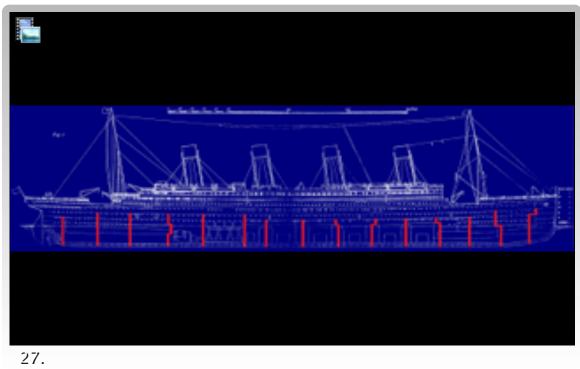
















The Path To Integrity:

Examine your life

Compare it with scripture



- ¹ Joyful are people of integrity, who follow the instructions of the Lord.
- ² Joyful are those who obey his laws and search for him with all their hearts.
- ³ They do not compromise with evil, and they walk only in his paths.
- ⁴ You have charged us to keep your commandments carefully.

Psalm 119:1-8 (NLT)

- ⁵ Oh, that my actions would consistently reflect your decrees!
- ⁶ Then I will not be ashamed when I compare my life with your commands.
- ⁷ As I learn your righteous regulations, I will thank you by living as I should!
- ⁸ I will obey your decrees.

 Please don't give up on me!

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Repent

Repeat

1 Thessalonians 5:23-24 (NLT)

²³ Now may the God of peace make you holy in every way, and may your whole spirit and soul and body be kept blameless until our Lord Jesus Christ comes again. ²⁴ God will make this happen, for he who calls you is faithful.

33.

1 Timothy 1:15-17 (NLT)

¹⁵ This is a trustworthy saying, and everyone should accept it: "Christ Jesus came into the world to save sinners"—and I am the worst of them all. ¹⁶ But God had mercy on me so that Christ Jesus could use me as a prime example of his great patience with even the worst sinners. Then others will realize that they, too, can believe in him and receive eternal life. ¹⁷ All honor and glory to God forever and ever! He is the eternal King, the unseen one who never dies; he alone is God. Amen.

