GOING THE DISTANCE
Additional Handout for 2 Timothy

PAUL'S INSTRUCTIONS TO TIMOTHY
Paul knew he was at the end of his life, so he wrote to encourage Timothy to continue to be a godly leader. Paul also has some final instructions for Timothy on many practical topics of church leadership and doctrine.

1. Fan into flame the spiritual gift. (1:6)
2. Never be ashamed to tell others about our Lord. (1:8)
3. Don't be ashamed of me. (1:8)
4. Be ready to suffer. (1:8)
5. Hold on to the pattern of right teaching. (1:13)
6. Live in the faith and love that you have in Jesus. (1:13)
7. Carefully guard what has been entrusted to you. (1:14)
8. Be strong... in Christ Jesus. (2:1)
9. Teach these great truths. (2:2)
10. Endure suffering along with me. (2:3)
11. Do not become tied up with the affairs of this life. (2:4)
12. Follow the Lord's rules for doing his work. (2:5)
13. Remind everyone of these things. (2:14)
14. Command them in God's name to stop fighting over words. (2:14)
15. Be a good worker... who correctly explains the word of truth. (2:15)
16. Avoid godless foolish discussion. (2:16)
17. Run (away) from anything that stimulates youthful lust. (2:22)
18. Follow anything that makes you want to do right. (2:22)
19. Pursue faith and love and peace. (2:22)
20. Enjoy the companionship of those who call on the Lord. (2:22)
21. You must remain faithful to the things you have been taught. (3:14)
22. Preach the word of God - be persistent. (4:2)
23. Patiently correct, rebuke and encourage your people. (4:2)
24. Keep a clear mind in every situation. (4:5)
25. Work at bringing others to Christ. (4:5)
26. Complete the ministry God has given you. (4:5)