

2 Tim 4:6-8
"Paul's Final Words"

Sun Night
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5:00 PM

1. Introduction
 - a. Paul wrote this letter to Timothy
 - b. Timothy, Paul's beloved son in the faith
 - c. Paul waiting for death from Roman Caesar
 - d. Three directions in looking at death
2. Paul saw himself as drink offering
 - a. Drink offering reference back to Jewish temple sacrifices
 - drink offering part of sacrifices
 - * red wine used
 - b. Paul knew his time of death was very soon
 - Paul's life of service
 - 2 Cor 5:1 tent of mortality
 - * next life of immortality
 - * hope of heaven & glory
3. Paul looks back on his life
 - a. His life compared to good fight to win race
 - b. Paul has finished race of life
 - c. Paul has kept the faith - no denials
 - d. Paul did not count his life "dear"
 - his life was valuable to God alone
 - e. In latter days, some will depart from the faith - 1 Tim 4:1
 - f. Paul was more than conquerors - Rom 8:37
4. Paul looks forward to future life
 - a. Crown of righteousness waiting for him in heaven
 - crown of righteousness also waiting for other Christians
 - crown waiting for those loving Christ's appearance at His second coming
 - b. God is Paul's righteous judge
 - c. Paul trusts God to give him his crown of reward
 - good & faithful servant
 - commendation of reward

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5. Time to reflect on Christian life
- a. Time to look at today
 - b. 2 Tim 4:5
 - watchful in all things
 - endure afflictions
 - fulfill your personal ministry
 - work of evangelist - soulwinning
 - c. Christian goal
 - For I am not ashamed of the gospel of Christ... - Rom 1:16