

Acts: God Uses Timothy's Gifts Acts 16:1-4; 1 Timothy 4:6-16; 6:11-21; 2 Timothy 1:3-18



On his travels, Paul meets a young man named Timothy. Timothy joins Paul in his missionary work. Along the way he also meets a Christian girl named Julia. Later, Paul writes encouraging letters to Timothy, reminding him not to let anyone look down on him for being young. God loves every age, and any age can set an example! Paul reminds us how Christians suffered for their faith, but found strength and hope in the Scriptures. We can do that too at any age and also share Christ's love with others.

"But we are citizens of heaven, where the Lord Jesus Christ lives. And we are eagerly waiting for him to return as our Savior" (Philippians 3:20).

Family Together Time

- Using your smartphone or tablet, find an aging app that allows you to take your picture and then adjusts it to make you look older.
- After you download the app, snap pictures of each family member.
- Look at everyone's old-person photos, and talk about what your life might be like when you're that old.
- If you want to go above and beyond, print everyone's picture and hang the pictures on your fridge.
- Pray together that God will use each of you at the age you are now, when you're old like your pictures, and every age in between.



Talk About This...

- If you could pick any age to be, what age would you pick? Why?