



**Sermon Title: "The Power of an Authentic Example"**

**Scripture: 2 Timothy 1:3-7; 3:14-17**

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## **INTRODUCTION**

*2 Timothy 1:1-7 -*

## **I. THE BEST GIFTS**

*2 Timothy 3:10-17 -*

**1) Give the gift of beautifully unfolding the person and work of God THROUGH His word!**

*Romans 1:21-25 -*

**2) Give the gift of your "daily walk" with Jesus; show authentic (not perfect!) faith!**

*2 Timothy 3:14 -*

**3) Give the gift of a bold faith; one that says: "to live is Christ and to die is gain".**

*Acts 16:1-3; Acts 14:19-22 -*

## **Questions for Further Study, Reflection, and Application...**

1. What encourages you after reading 2 Timothy 1:1-7?
2. According to 2 Timothy 3:10-17, what does the word of God do? Who/What does it reveal?
3. Why should we emphasize having an "authentic faith" as opposed to a "perfect faith"?
4. "To live is Christ, to die is gain." What does this mean? Do you live like this is true? How?