

THROUGH THE BIBLE

IN 12-WEEKS

OT

9/4 LAW (GEN-DEUT)

9/11 HISTORY (JOSH-EST)

9/18 POETRY (JOB-SONG)

9/25 PROPHECY (ISA-MAL)

10/2 OT NARRATIVE

10/9 OT RECAP

NT

10/16 GOSPELS (MATT-ACTS)

10/23 PAULINE (ROM-PHM)

10/30 CATHOLIC (HEB-JUDE)

11/6 APOCALYPTIC (DAN, REV)

11/13 NT NARRATIVE

11/20 NT RECAP

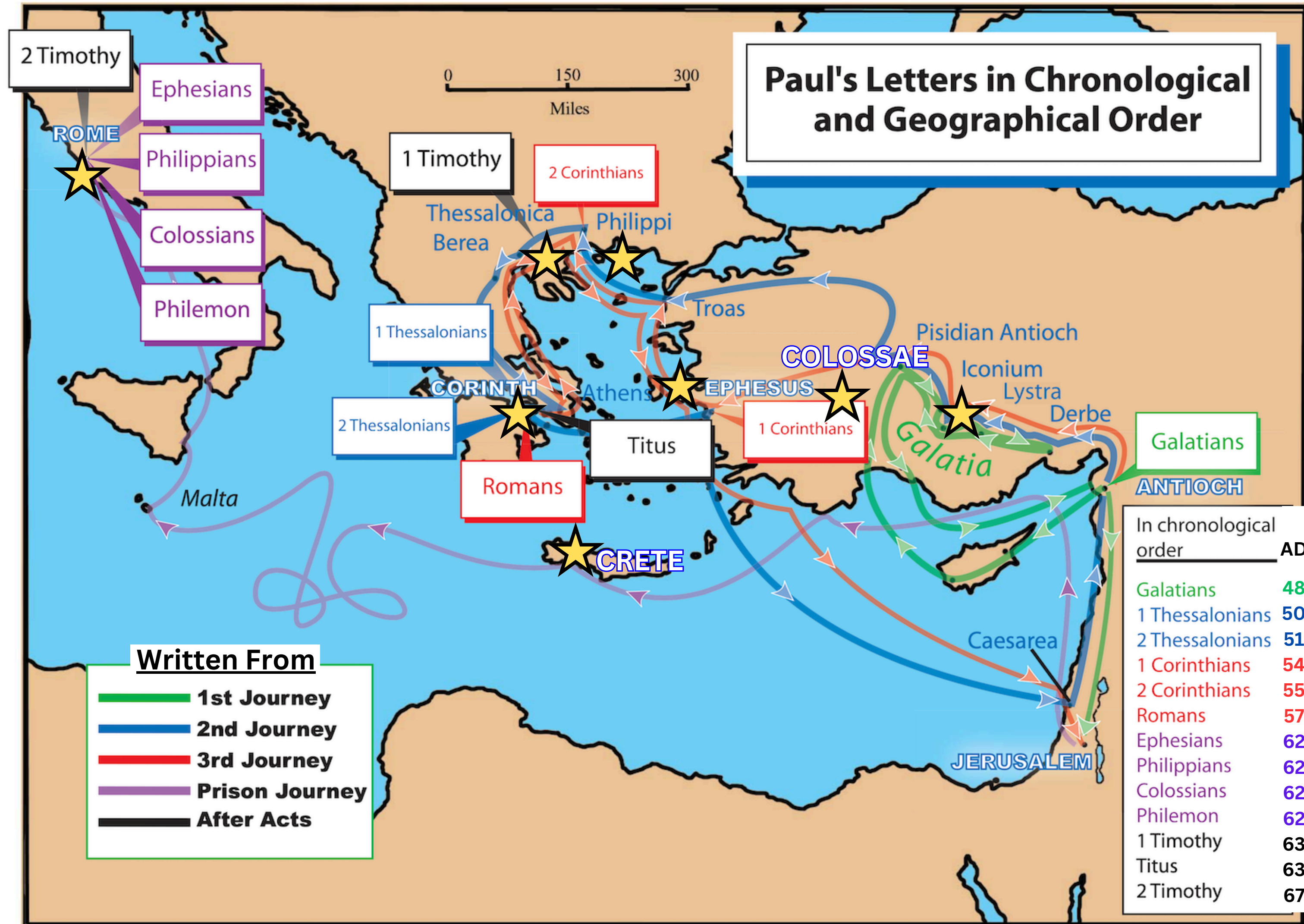
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PAULINE EPISTLES

ROM-PHM

Acts Time Chart

Date	30 AD	30-45 AD	45-50 AD	50-52 AD	55-56 AD	60-62 AD	63-64 AD	65-66 AD	66-67 AD?	70 AD
Event	Crucifixion, Resurrection, Ascension	Peter in Jerusalem, Judea, and Sameria	Paul's First Missionary Journey and Jerusalem Council regarding Gentiles	Paul's Second Missionary Journey	Paul's Third Missionary Journey	Paul in prison in Rome	Paul's Release from Captivity	Paul's Second Imprisonment in Rome	Paul's Martyrdom?	Destruction of Jerusalem, burning of Temple, and Jewish-Roman wars
Reference	Luke 23-24	Acts 1-12	Acts 13-15	Acts 16-18	Acts 19-21	Acts 22-28	1 Timothy 1:3, Titus 1:5, Titus 3:12, and 2 Timothy 4:20	2 Timothy 1:16, 2:9, and 4:16	2 Timothy 4:6	Revelation 11:2 and Extra-biblical historical records
Paul's Letters			Galatians	1 & 2 Thessalonians	1 & 2 Corinthians, Romans	Colossians, Philemon, Ephesians, Philippians	1 Timothy, Titus	2 Timothy		
Subject of Letters			Pneumatology - Spirit -	Eschatology - Coming -	Soteriology - Cross -	Christology - Christ -	Ecclesiology - Church -	Ecclesiology - Church -		



ROMANS



- Setting:
 - Jew/Gentile Christian conflict.
- Lesson:
 - Salvation comes by grace through faith in Jesus Christ, not by works of the law.

ROMANS



'Romans road'

- **Romans 3:23** For all have sinned and fall short of the glory of God.
- **Romans 6:23** For the wages of sin is death, but the gift of God is eternal life in Christ Jesus our Lord.
- **Romans 5:8** But God demonstrates His own love toward us, in that while we were still sinners, Christ died for us.
- **Romans 10:9** That if you confess with your mouth the Lord Jesus and believe in your heart that God has raised Him from the dead, you will be saved.

ROMANS



- 1–4 Justification by faith
- 5–8 New life in Christ
- 9–11 God's fulfilled promise
- 12–16 Unity in the Church

1 CORINTHIANS



- Setting:
 - Addressing specific doctrine and behavior concerns in the church.
- Lesson:
 - The church must pursue unity, love, and holiness, avoiding divisions and immorality.
- Key Verse: 1 Corinthians 1:10

1 CORINTHIANS



- 1–4 Division in the church
- 5–7 Sexual immorality
- 8–10 Food freedom in Christ
- 11–14 Disorder in church services
- 15 The resurrection
- 16 Christian conduct

2 CORINTHIANS



- Setting:
 - Reconciliation after a 'painful visit.'
- Lesson:
 - God's power is made perfect in our weakness, and ministry requires integrity and endurance.
- Key Verse: 2 Corinthians 12:9

2 CORINTHIANS



- 1–2 Reconciliation
- 3–5 Ministry in the New Covenant
- 6–7 Apostolic Authority
- 8–9 Give generously
- 10–13 Examine yourself

GALATIANS



- Setting:
 - Do Christians need to live under the Old Testament Law?
- Lesson:
 - Christians are justified by faith, not by observing the law, and should live by the Spirit.
- Key Verse: Galatians 5:1

GALATIANS



- 1–2 Experience of the Gospel
- 3–4 Theology of faith
- 5–6 Life in the Spirit

EPHESIANS



- Setting:

- A central place of worship of Greek and Roman gods, full of idolatry and temptation.

- Lesson:

- Believers are called to unity in Christ and to live in a way that reflects their new identity in him.

- Key Verse: Ephesians 2:8

EPHESIANS



- 1:1–2:10 New life
- 2:11–3:21 New community
- 4:1–5:21 New ministry
- 5:21–6:24 New relationships
- 6:10–24 New equipping

PHILIPPIANS



- Setting:
 - Lots of Roman persecution.
- Lesson:
 - Rejoice in the Lord always and find contentment and strength in Christ regardless of circumstances.
- Key Verse: Philippians 4:13

PHILIPPIANS



- 1 To live is Christ
- 2 Being like-minded
- 3 Press toward the goal
- 4 Rejoice in the Lord

COLOSSIANS



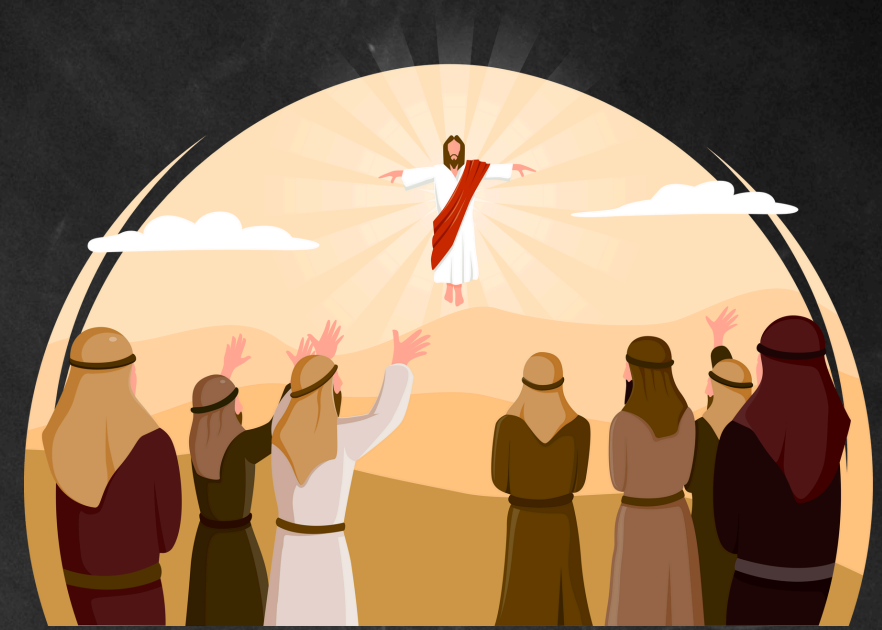
- Setting:
 - Gentile Christians influenced by polytheism, Jews influenced by OT law.
- Lesson:
 - Christ is supreme over all creation and believers are complete in him, no longer needing to follow worldly traditions.
- Key Verse: Colossians 3:1

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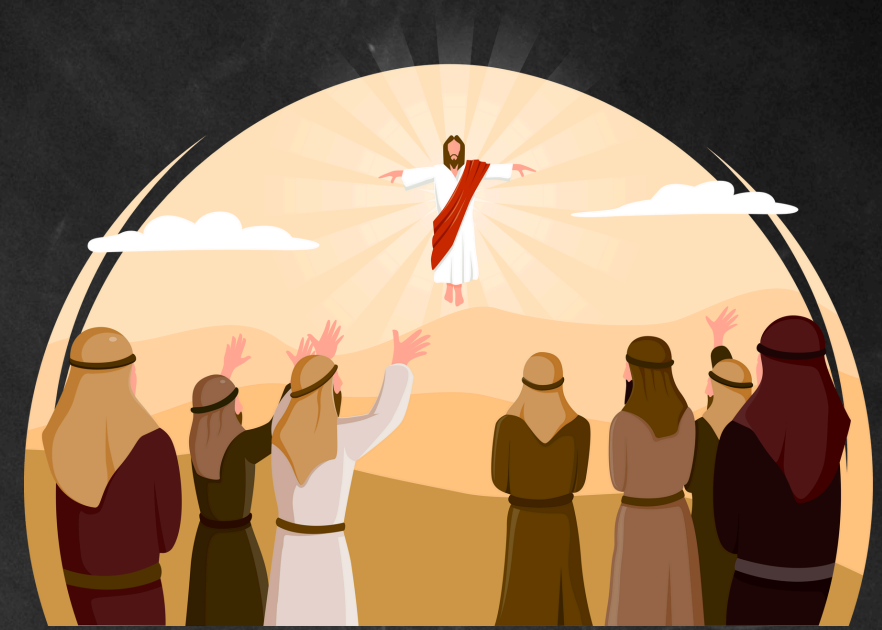
- 1 The supremacy of Christ
- 2 Christ over philosophy
- 3 The new person in Christ
- 4 Speak with Christ's wisdom

1 THESSALONIANS



- Setting:
 - Thriving under persecution.
- Lesson:
 - Encourage one another as you wait for the return of Christ, living in holiness, love, and future hope.
- Key Verse: 1 Thessalonians 4:16–17

1 THESSALONIANS



- 1:1–10 Greeting the church
- 2:1–2:16 Receiving the Gospel
- 2:17–3:13 Love from a distance
- 4:1–12 Growing in Christ
- 4:13–5:11 The rapture
- 5:12–22 Church conduct

2 THESSALONIANS



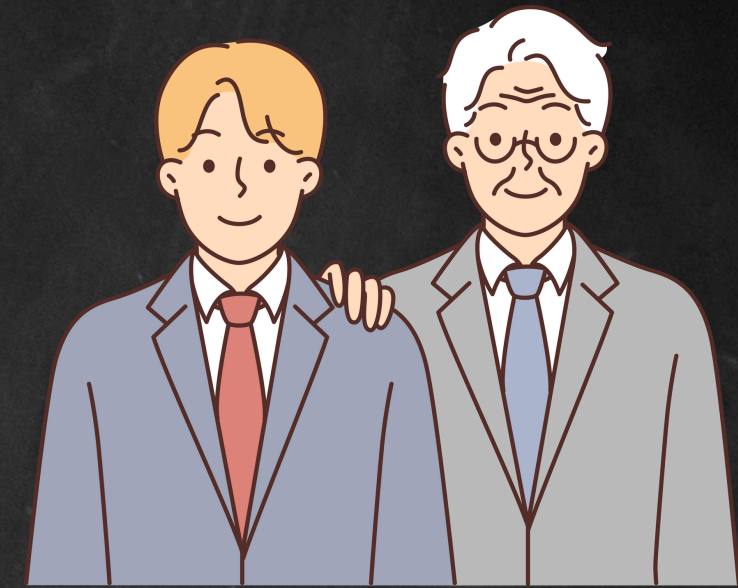
- Setting:
 - Experiencing more persecution and being confused about Jesus's return
- Lesson:
 - Stand firm in faith, even in the face of trials, as you await Christ's return and final justice.
- Key Verse: 2 Thessalonians 2:15

2 THESSALONIANS



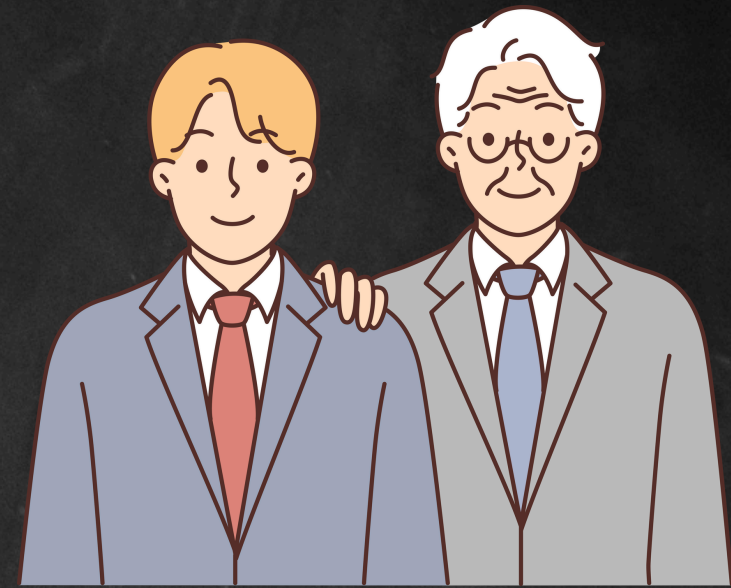
- 1 Hope while suffering
- 2 Rebellion against God
- 3 Responsibility of Christians

1 TIMOTHY



- Setting:
 - Mentoring Timothy on how to correct and teach troubled leaders.
- Lesson:
 - Church leaders must model godliness, sound teaching, and shepherd the church with integrity.
- Key Verse: 1 Timothy 4:16

1 TIMOTHY



- 1 Teaching sound doctrine
- 2 Prayer and gender roles
- 3 Leadership qualifications
- 4 Threats in the church
- 5 Caring for church members
- 6 Humility and generosity

2 TIMOTHY



- Setting:
 - Paul's final guidance for Timothy before he is put to death.
- Lesson:
 - Be faithful to the gospel, endure suffering, and pass on the truth to the next generation.
- Key Verse: 2 Timothy 4:2

2 TIMOTHY



- 1 Unashamed of the Gospel
- 2 Endure hardship
- 3 Protect the gullible
- 4 Preach God's word

TITUS



- Setting:
 - Corruption and liars infiltrate church leadership.
- Lesson:
 - Appoint godly leaders, teach sound doctrine, and encourage good works among believers.
- Key Verse: Titus 2:11–12

TITUS



- 1 Leadership qualifications
- 2 Christian behavior
- 3 God's transformative love

PHILEMON



- Setting:
 - Reconciling a runaway slave with the person he wronged.
- Lesson:
 - Forgiveness and reconciliation in Christ should transcend social and personal barriers.
- Key Verse: Philemon 1:17

PHILEMON



- v1–3 Greeting a brother
- v4–7 The fruit of faith
- v8–20 Requesting forgiveness
- v21–25 Confidence in reconciliation