Questions on 2 Timothy chapter 2

1. What is "the grace that is in Christ Jesus" and how would that supply strength? Verse 1.

2. What are the three qualifications for those to whom Timothy is to commit what he has heard from the apostle Paul? Verse 2.

3. What is the "hardness" that Paul encouraged Timothy to endure? Verse 3.

4. At what point can it be determined that we are entangled with the affairs of this life? Verse 4.

5. What is the crown for the Christian? Will the crown be given to all who strive? Verse 5.

6. Does everyone who farms partake of the fruits? In the same way, who partakes of the fruits of the Christian life? Verse 6.

7. What are the three analogies in the previous verses that Paul expects Timothy to understand? Verse 7.

8. What two illustrations are given to show that we must endure before we can reap and that hardship precedes victory? Verses 8-9.

9. Who are the elect? Who elected them? In what sense do we now have salvation in Christ? Verse 10. (See 2 Thessalonians 2:13-14)

10. What verses contain Paul's fifth and last faithful saying? What is the conclusion to the thought of these verses? Verses 11-13.

11. When did we die with him? Is the denial a "final, fatal" denial? Verses 11-13. (See Galatians 2:20)

12. What was Timothy to do when he saw teachers in a heated discussion about some point of Jewish tradition? Why was he to do that? Verse 14.

13. The American Standard Version reads: "Give diligence to present thyself approved unto God, a workman that needeth not to be ashamed." How was he to do that? Verse 15.

14. What is to be done with those who continue to discuss the profitless points of Jewish tradition? Verse 16.

15. What two things will be the results of permitting such vain babblings? What is the meaning of the word "canker" or "gangrene" (American Standard Version)? Verses 16-17.

16. How did Hymenaeus and Philetus err from the truth? Would the Sadducean Jews and the Greeks be averse to their doctrine? Verse 18.

17. In spite of such teaching, about what is Paul certain and sure? What is the twofold seal upon the foundation? Verse 19.

18. If the "great house" is the church and the "vessels" are church members, what is Paul's point? Verse 20.

19. What will happen if Timothy and the faithful purge themselves from filthy, unfaithful members? Verse 21.

20. What is Timothy advised to flee? Why? What is he to follow? Verse 22.

21. Can you think of some "foolish and unlearned questions"? Verse 23.

22. What is to be the demeanor of the servant of the Lord? Verse 24.

23. What quality in a teacher should help someone who actually opposes himself? Verse 25.

24. How is it possible for someone to recover himself from the captivity of Satan? Verse 26.