

Availability

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I. Introduction. (Luke 5; Psalm 12)

II. Timothy was completely available to Paul. (Acts 16)

A. He didn't always know where he would sleep. (Matthew 9)

1. There is much in store for those who are willing to follow Christ no matter the circumstances.

2. Timothy didn't quit after a night in jail.

B. He didn't always know what he was going to eat. (Matthew 6:25)

1. God is not poor.

2. Jesus Christ meets our needs.

C. He didn't always know the future. (2 Timothy 4:7-8)

1. We have eternity to look forward to.

III. Jesus' men were available.

IV. Even though you are available for God, you may need to be available for training to be effective.

A. Pride stands in the way.

B. Many want to do this alone.

Application questions:

1. Are you completely available to Jesus Christ?

2. What things are keeping you from being fully available to Jesus?

3. What does more training look like you to be more effective for Jesus? Explain.
