

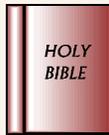
# Interesting Facts About 1 Timothy

**AUTHOR:** Paul

**TIME WRITTEN:** A.D. 62 or 63 from Macedonia

**POSITION IN THE BIBLE:**

- 54th Book in the Bible
- 15th Book in the New Testament
- 10th of 21 Epistle Books (Romans - Jude)
- 11th of Paul's 13 books
- 12 Books to follow it.



**CHAPTERS:** 6

**VERSES:** 113

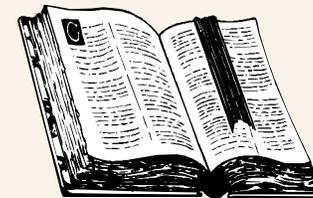
**WORDS:** 2,269

## OBSERVATIONS ABOUT 1 TIMOTHY:

- Paul's last three epistles are often referred to the "Pastoral Epistles." In order of writing, they are:
  - 1 Timothy
  - Titus
  - 2 Timothy.
- Concerning Timothy:
  - He was a native of Lystra where Paul was stoned and left for dead during his 1st missionary journey.
  - His father was a Greek.
  - His mother was Eunice.
  - His grandmothers was Lois.
  - Timothy was converted during Paul's 1 missionary journey.
  - During Paul's 2nd missionary journey, he revisited Lystra and decided to take Timothy with him in the work.
  - Even though the Law of Moses had ended, Timothy was circumcised due to the work they would be doing among the Jews.
  - Timothy helped Paul in such a places as:
    - Troas
    - Berea
    - Thessalonica
    - Corinth
    - Ephesus
    - Rome

## 1 TIMOTHY

- According to Hebrews 13:23, there was a time when Timothy was imprisoned.
- In 1 Timothy, Paul is writing to the younger evangelist to strengthen him in his work and for the challenges he will face in the future. Timothy was to:
  - Appoint elders.
  - Oppose and combat false doctrines.
  - Be an example to others.
  - Exercise his spiritual gifts.
  - "Fight the good fight of faith."
- Timothy was to be ready to deal with:
  - False teaching and false teachers.
  - Proper organization of the church.
    - Elders
    - Deacons
  - Discipline
  - Proclamation of the Scriptures
  - Poverty
  - Wealth
  - The roles of various groups.
- Timothy was to:
  - Refute error.
  - Teach truth.



"Let no one despise your youth, but be an example to the believers in word, in conduct, in love, in spirit, in faith, in purity."

1 Timothy 4:12