

THE CHALLENGE OF CONFRONTATION

1 TIMOTHY 4:1-5

- ❖ **REVIEWING THE CONTEXT** (*1 Timothy 3:14-16; cf. Titus 1:9*)
 - **The Concern of Paul**
 - Right Behavior (*Godly Conduct – cf. 1 Timothy 4:7,8*)
 - Right Belief (*Divine Truth – cf. 2 Timothy 4:1-5*)
 - GOD'S SON (*Godliness & Truth Personified – cf. John 1:14*)
 - **The Greatness of Jesus** (*cf. Titus 2:13 vs. Acts 19:27, 28, 34, 35*)
 - His Incarnation
 - His Crucifixion (*cf. Hebrews 2:14, 15*)
 - His Resurrection (*cf. Romans 1:3, 4; 1 Peter 3:18*)
 - His Ascension
 - His Return (*cf. 1 Timothy 6:14*)

- ❖ **INVESTIGATING THE TEXT** (*1 Timothy 4:1-5; cf. 1 Timothy 1:3; cf. also 2 Timothy 3:1-9, 13*)
 - **Cf. 2 Corinthians 11:13-15 with 1 Peter 5:8**
 - **Cf. 1 Timothy 6:17; Romans 8:28, 32; James 1:17**

- ❖ **EXTENDING THE APPLICATION** (*cf. 1 John 4:1; Acts 17:11, Hebrews 5:14*)
 - **With Respect to Salvation**
 - Colossians 2:6-13
 - **With Respect to Jesus**
 - 1 John 4:2, 3; 1 Corinthians 15:12-19; 2 Peter 3:3-13