

## FIGHT FOR GODINESS A STUDY OF 1 TIMOTHY



## CHARGE: FAITHFULLY PURSUE GODLINESS 1 TIMOTHY 6:11-21



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### Flee and Pursue



#### EPHESIANS 4:22-24 NIV

You were taught, with regard to your former way of life, to put off your old self, which is being corrupted by its deceitful desires; <sup>23</sup> to be made new in the attitude of your minds; <sup>24</sup> and to put on the new self, created to be like God in true righteousness and holiness.

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#### **1 TIMOTHY 6:20-21** NIV

Timothy, guard what has been entrusted to your care. Turn away from godless chatter and the opposing ideas of what is falsely called knowledge, <sup>21</sup> which some have professed and in so doing have departed from the faith. Grace be with you all.

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## Faithfulness to the faith until Christ's return demands our total commitment.