

Text: 1 Timothy 6

“KEEP THIS COMMANDMENT WITHOUT SPOT”

(I) THE DANGERS THAT CONFRONT

1. False teachings (1 Timothy 6:3)

2. Covetousness (1 Timothy 6:9-10)

- a) Desire to be rich
- b) Many harmful snares
- c) The love of money is the root of all evil

(II) THE CHALLENGE TO KEEP THE COMMANDMENTS OF GOD

1. To find contentment in the heart (1 Timothy 6:6-8)

2. To flee the things which are worldly and that can ensnare (1 Timothy 6:11)

3. To pursue that which has eternal significance (1 Timothy 6:11)

- a) Righteousness
- b) Godliness
- c) Faith
- d) Love
- e) Patience
- f) Gentleness

4. To fight the good fight of faith (1 Timothy 6:12)

- a) To lay hold of eternal life
- b) To be true to God's calling

5. To keep God's commandment (1 Timothy 6:14)

- a) Without spot
- b) Blameless
- c) Till Christ returns

6. Guard that which is committed (1 Timothy 6:20)

- a) The faith
- b) The knowledge

(III) MAKING A STRONG COMMITMENT

1. To give heed

- a) To learn
- b) To practise
- c) To cultivate

2. To be faithful and true

- a) To keep
- b) To defend
- c) To fight the good fight
- d) To succeed