BIBLE STUDY LESSON

The Ultimate Finish Line – <u>The Word of God</u> Part 1

II Timothy 4:1–5 (CSB)

INTRODUCTION: In today's world we are showered with messages offering hope after hope. But above all the messages and above all the hopes that bombard us, there is one that is more needed by man than all the others—one that is so important that it supersedes all the others combined. What is that message? It is the message of the Word of God. The Word of God offers the only lasting hope for man. For this reason, the <u>Word of God must be Preached/Shared</u>. The minister of God must commit him or herself to the awesome charge to preach the Word of God and to minister as never before.

1. <u>Know</u> the Word so you can <u>Share the Word</u>.

Psalm 119:105 (CSB)

Joshua 1:8 (CSB)

II Corinthians 5:20 (CSB)

a. Trust unchanging <u>Faithfulness</u> in changing times.

Ecclesiastes 3:1–8 (CSB)

Psalm 100:5 (CSB)

I Thessalonians 5:24 (CSB)

2. Share what we Need, not what we Want.

I Peter 3:15 (CSB)

Matthew 24:4–14 (CSB)

Ephesians 4:15 (CSB)

I Kings 12:1–8 (CSB)

3. Fulfill your ministry: What has God called You to do?

James 1:22 (CSB)

Matthew 25:21(CSB)

Psalm 37:5 (CSB)