

Questions for Consideration---1 Timothy 1:12-17—Lesson 3—Amazing Grace
that Saved a Wretch like Paul!

1. (a) As you read 1 Timothy 1:12-17 write down all the names of God as well as the attributes of God. (b) What are some of the other attributes of God according to the Scriptures? (Please give the scripture reference.) (c) When you combine all these together what should be our response to this awesome One who has saved sinners like us?
2. Memorize 1 Timothy 1:16.
3. (a) Paul mentions briefly what his life was like before Christ in 1 Timothy 1:14. What do the following passages tell us about the things that Paul participated in before his conversion? Acts 7:57-8:4; 9:1-7; 22:1-5; 26:1-11. (b) How does this help in understanding 1 Timothy 1:12-17?
4. (a) Paul speaks of his life before Christ by saying he was formerly a blasphemer, a persecutor, and an insolent man. How would you describe your life “before Christ” in three words? (b) How would you describe your life “after Christ” in three words?
5. (a) Pick one of the attributes of God that you see mentioned in 1 Timothy 1:12-17. Using a concordance, look up at least 10 other verses in God’s Word that mention this same attribute. What do you learn about this particular attribute of God from what you looked up? (b) Why do you think it is important to study the attributes of God?
6. (a) How could you use the passage we have studied to encourage someone who perhaps thinks he/she is too wicked for God to save? (b) What other passages could you also use to give them hope that no sin is too great for God to forgive?
7. Write a prayer of thanksgiving to God for saving you! (You might want to include some thoughts from your answer to 4b.)