"FAITHFUL IN CHRIST" 2 TIMOTHY 3:1-17

I 3:1-13 Be ready to serve God and His Son in this world

A 3:1-9 Recognise those who falsely claim to be Christian

- 3:1 Times of stress
- 3:5 Their false religious claims must avoid them
- 3:2-4 Their many sins 19 are listed
- 3:6-8 They reach, try to deceive weak-willed people
- 3:7 Their foolish ways will be seen by all
- *B 3:10-13 Stand firm in this faith although persecuted* Philippians 3:8-11, Hebrews 11:1,6; Matthew 18:21-22 1 Corinthians 13; Acts 14:19-20; John 15:18-23

II 3:14-17 All Scripture will equip you fully to serve God

- A 3:14-15a Continue you to read and obey the Bible Faithful mother 2 Timothy 1:5; Deuteronomy 6:4-9 Very important to teach our children Bible from birth
- B 3:15b-16a Full confidence that God-inspired Scriptures lead to salvation - 2 Peter 1:20-21; 3:15-16
- C 3:16-17 God-inspired Bible will equip every Christian for every good work Matthew 6:14-15; 22:37-39; Galatians 5:16-23; Philippians 4:6-7; Matthew 5:43-45

III How committed are you/I to Christian growth by prayer, reading and obeying the Bible every day?

Bible a Teaches how to be saved from God's judgement **b** Inspired by God to fully equip each to serve Him