



God's Design for the Church The Lawful Use of the Law (1 Timothy 1:8-11)

Recap:

- **Last week we began a New Sermon Series called “God’s Design for the Church. Over the next few weeks, we are going to be looking at the book of 1 Timothy.**
- **Our First Message “Marks of a Faithful Christian Soldiers (1 Timothy 1:1-7), we discovered**
 - **Faithful Christian Soldiers Know Their Assignments.**
 - **Faithful Christian Soldiers are Empowered by God**
 - **Faithful Christian Soldiers Confront False Doctrine**
 - **Faithful Christian Soldiers Advance the Gospel**
 - **Faithful Christian Soldiers Promote Love by Teaching Scripture.**
- **1 Timothy 1:8-11**

Notes:

- I. **The Proper Use of the Law is not as a means of Salvation, but to bring conviction of sin (vv. 8-10)**
 - A. **The Improper Use of the Law is to try to be saved by keeping it.**
 1. **The Mosaic Law is Not Primarily for Believers.**
 2. **What Applications does the Law of Moses have for believers today?**

- a) The Law of Moses reveals God's nature, as it is his self revelation.
- b) The Mosaic Law reveals Christ.
- c) The Mosaic Law reveals continuing standards of righteousness for all generations
- d) The Mosaic Law reveals wisdom principles

B. The Proper Use of God's Law is to Bring Conviction of Sin.

- 1. The Mosaic Law is Primarily for Unbelievers.
- 2. Why has God given his law to the unrighteous? What does it do?
 - a) The Law convicts the unrighteous of sin.
 - b) The Law deters people from sin through the promise of judgment.
 - c) The Law reveals one's need for the Gospel.

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II. The Result of Using the Law properly is to drive people to the gospel for salvation (v. 11)

- A. The Gospel Brings Spiritual Healing**
- B. The Gospel Reveals the Glory of God**
- C. The Gospel is entrusted to the redeemed sinners to proclaim to lost sinners.**

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Conclusion:

- **Matthew 5:17-20**

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