

GROWTH GROUP

Study Guide

1 Timothy 3:8-13 – Humble Church Servants

My Story

1. Tell of a time when someone who was serving you went above and beyond what might have been expected of them.

Digging Deeper

2. Scripture indicates that Deacons are “servants,” yet, it never specifically defines how these Deacons are to serve. Give some examples of what you see as the role of a Deacon.
3. In verses 8+11 a variety of character qualities are listed for both men and women. Why are these qualities important?

4. Why is the Deacon’s conduct at home (v.12) to serve as an important qualifier for service in the church?

Reflection

5. Although applied specifically to leaders here, why are these qualities important for all Christians?
6. Of the qualities listed in this section, which do you desire most for yourself? Why?

SERMON NOTES

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Taking the Next Step

Take time this week to pray for the Deacons in our church. Pray that God would use them and their gifts to minister to our church family and bless them.

Praises / Prayer Requests

