



BETWEEN SUNDAYS: STUDY QUESTIONS

November 6, 2016

“Stronger: Choosing to Endure”

2 Timothy 2:1-13

CONNECT

1. Why do you think Bob Wieland kept at it? What can you learn from his story?
 2. Can you name a hardship that has marked you deeply? What have you learned about life, faith, God, others and yourself in your hardship(s)?
- Who are you becoming...and are you at peace with who you are or who you are becoming?

ENGAGE

1. *Read 2 Timothy 2:3* "Endure hardship as a good soldier of Jesus Christ." What does the word mean, 'endure'? What is the opposite of endurance?
2. 'We do have a choice'...discuss why is it important to realize and take full responsibility to endure hardship?
3. What reality checks does Paul challenge Timothy to engage in? a) God's resources: vs. 1; b) God's assignment: vs. 2; c) Examples to learn from: vs.3-13; d) Eternal perspective: vs.11-13
4. Think of a time you endured a significant hardship...how did you do so and how have you grown?

APPLY

- What truth from this passage of Scripture has made you stop and think deeply?