



## “My Testimony”

*A Spiritual Journey*  
*I Timothy 1:12-17*

### **Tell of your:**

#### **I. Present Service** – “into the ministry” (v. 12)

*How God has:*

- A. **E** \_\_\_\_\_ – “the Lord, who has enabled me”
- B. **E** \_\_\_\_\_ - “He counted me faithful”
- C. **E** \_\_\_\_\_ – “putting me”

#### **II. Past Sinfulness** – “sinners, of whom I am chief” (vs. 13-15)

*How God responded with:*

- A. **M** \_\_\_\_\_ - “but I obtained mercy”
- B. **G** \_\_\_\_\_ – “the grace of our Lord was exceedingly abundant”
- C. **L** \_\_\_\_\_ – “with faith and love”

#### **III. Pious Shift** – “the only wise God, be honor” (vs. 15-17)

*How the Gospel brings:*

- A. **S** \_\_\_\_\_ – “to save sinners”
- B. **Su** \_\_\_\_\_ – “believe on Him to life everlasting”
- C. **Sub** \_\_\_\_\_ – “Now unto the King eternal”

### Sentence Sermon

*If you give it to God, He transforms your test into a testimony, your mess into a message, and your misery into a ministry.* R. Warren

### Additional Verses

- **Romans 12:3**
- **Philippians 2:5-11**
- **John 3:27-30; 4:23**
- **Matthew 5:16**
- **I Peter 3:15-16**
- **Acts 22:4-5**
- **Ephesians 3:8**
- **I Timothy 6:15-16**
- **I Thessalonians 5:24**
- **Romans 5:20-21**
- **I John 1:9**

### Questions to Ponder

1. What are the key words or phrases in this passage?
2. Who are the central characters of the passage?
3. Does God enable put all believers in ministry? Explain.
4. How does God enable believers to do ministry?
5. What does it mean that Paul was ignorant in unbelief?
6. For what cause does Paul say He was saved?
7. Who does an unsaved person worship? Explain.
8. What does verse 16 say we must “do” for everlasting life?
9. How does getting saved change our view of God?
10. What are some of the important elements in giving your testimony?
11. How many times have you shared your testimony? When will be the next?