

DEAR TIMOTHY, FAITH FOR A NEXT GENERATION



Here Are The Keys

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Message Notes

Hand over the keys.

- From a position of TRUST – be TRUSTWORTHY
- To a complete takeover – be TRAINABLE
- Before it's too late – be READY

When we hand over the keys, we step into God's plan to a future greater than anything we can imagine now.

SCRIPTURE

2 Timothy 4; John 14:12-14

Discussion Guide

ENGAGE

1. Share about a time when you turned over responsibility for a project in which you were deeply invested.
2. Read 2 Timothy 4:1-8. In what stage of life and call was Paul when he wrote this letter to Timothy? What needed to be TRUE about Paul to hand off the keys to Timothy? What needed to be TRUE about Timothy to receive the keys from Paul?
3. Read John 14:12-14. Knowing that Jesus is speaking to His disciples (closest friends and students), what promise is being made? What do you imagine the "even greater things" to be, considering the greatness of Jesus' ministry?
4. To the Pauls: what responsibility or task, that God has worked in and through you, do you need to hand over to the next generation? To the Timothys: what growth do you need to foster to be prepared when the "keys" are entrusted to you?
5. Who is your Timothy? Who is your Paul? If you don't yet have an answer . . . pray that God would reveal that person to you this week.

PRAY