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GROWING IN GODLINESS - Who Needs It?

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1 Timothy 4:6-16

1. GODLINESS IS A CHOICE (1 Timothy 4:6-7)

**Be a Multiplying Disciple (vs. 6)*

**Choose Godliness (vs. 7)*

Believers training in godliness-

1. Abide in the fear of the Lord (Acts 9:31)
2. Gripped by God's love (2 Corinthians 5:14)
3. Delight in and desire God (Psalm 42:1)

2. GODLINESS IS AN INVESTMENT (1 Timothy 4:8-10)

**Godliness is Valuable (vs. 8)*

**Pay Attention (vs. 9)*

**Reason (vs. 10)*

3. GODLINESS TAKES COURAGE (1 Timothy 4:11-13)

**Step Up (vs. 11)*

**Be an Example (vs. 12)*

1. Say?
2. Do?
3. Love?
4. Faith?
5. Purity?

**Prioritize (vs. 13)*

4. GODLINESS TAKES INITIATIVE (1 Timothy 4:14-16)

**Don't Coast (vs. 14)*

**Go for It (vs. 15)*

**At Stake (vs. 16)*

Next Steps--Something worth much, costs much.

1. Is godliness worth it?
2. What 'smell' do I give off?
3. What's keeping me from growing in godliness?
4. What do I need to do to 'up my game' towards godliness?