

“GENERAL PRINCIPLES OF BIBLICAL INTERPRETATION” Pt. 2

I. EXAMINING TWO KEY PASSAGES ON BIBLICAL INTERPRETATION

A. 2 TIMOTHY 2:15

B. 2 TIMOTHY 2:7

II. EXAMINING TEN GENERAL PRINCIPLES OF BIBLICAL INTERPRETATION.

A. WHAT Are They?

1. There are three basic steps to Bible study:
2. The goal of biblical interpretation is to _____ the _____ of the text as it was _____ intended.
3. Interpret the Bible _____, taking words, phrases, and sentences in their usual, normal, natural, customary sense.
4. Interpret each verse or passage of Scripture in its _____, noting...
5. Interpret a verse by _____ it with other parts of Scripture to arrive at a correct biblical understanding.

* Examples:

6. Remember that the Bible correctly understood will never _____ itself.

* Examples:

7. Interpret an unclear passage by examining it in view of a _____ passage.

* Examples:

8. Each Scripture text or passage has only _____ meaning or interpretation but may have _____ applications.

* Examples:

9. Recognize that while all Scripture is _____ us, not all Scripture is directly written _____ us as church-age believers.

* Examples:

10. Realize that the ultimate purpose of interpreting Scripture is to cause you to personally _____ and _____ in _____ to the glory of God.

* Luke 24:25-27, 44; John 5:39

* How does all this apply to you?