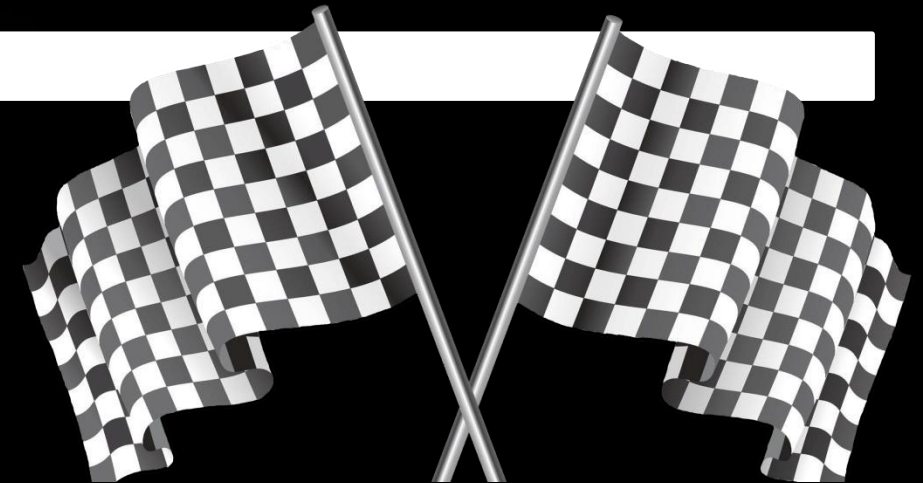




RUNNING WELL FINISHING WELL

A STUDY IN SECOND TIMOTHY





II Timothy 3:1-5





Paul lists **20** characteristics
of the type of men
Timothy should **avoid**
(who Timothy should have
nothing to do with)





II Timothy 2:21

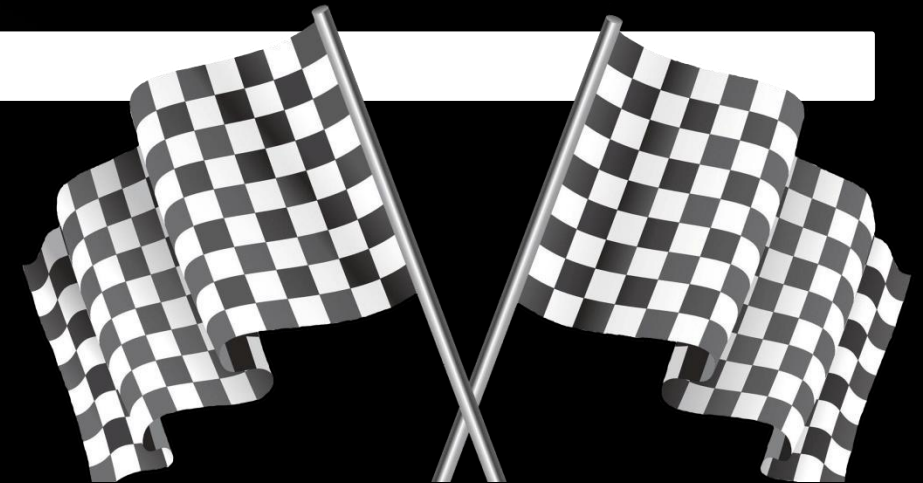
I John 1:9

I Corinthians 15:33





**AVOID
SUCH MEN**





I. The **Me, Me, Me, Me's!**

Paul mentions 4 type
of people who are

Self-Focused





We need to see ourselves
like we really are ...

1. **Recognize** our **sin** ...

that our hearts are
deceitfully wicked





We need to see ourselves
like we really are ...

2. But also ... that
through the blood of

Christ we're **forgiven**





I Corinthians 1:26-31

Ephesians 2:8-9

DON'T make **God's Grace**
about us (NO it's in spite
of us!)





II. The **More, More, More's!**

There's a **natural** (sinful)
desire in EACH of us to go after
everything that brings us **pleasure**

Galatians 5:13-26





III. The **Wounding Wordsters'** !

False accusations or

slanderos remarks can

destroy a **reputation**





Associating with these
type of people might
significantly hinder how God
uses you (because you could
have a soiled testimony)





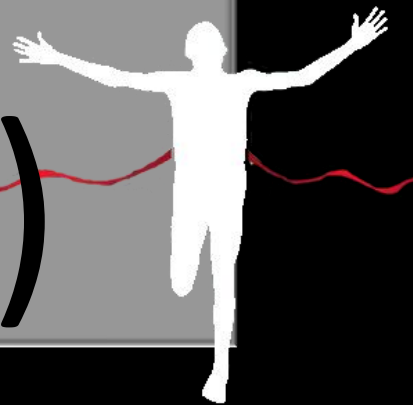
IV. The **Actions** Speak Louder Than **Words!**

How we **respond** to people
is often a **reflection** of how
we respond to God





These actions have NO
place in a believer's life
(they will **ruin** your
testimony & give
Christianity a black eye)





V. The **Truce-Breaking Traitors!**
“**Irreconcilable**” = Truce-Breaker
“**Treacherous**” =
Traitor or Betrayer





VI. The **White Washed Tombs!**

Matthew 23:27-28

Hypocrites – inwardly being
something **different** than
outwardly revealed





SO WHAT?

