



**Philippians 2:19 (NIV)** I hope in the Lord Jesus to send **Timothy** to you soon, that I also may be cheered when I receives news about you. <sup>20</sup> I have no one else like him, who takes a genuine interest in your welfare. <sup>21</sup> For everyone looks out for his own interests, not those of Jesus Christ. <sup>22</sup> But you know that Timothy has proved himself, because as a son with his father he has served with me in the work of the gospel. <sup>23</sup> I hope, therefore, to send him as soon as I see how things go with me. <sup>24</sup> And I am confident in the Lord that I myself will come soon.

**Philippians 2: 25** But I think it is necessary to send back to you **Epaphroditus**, my brother, fellow worker and fellow soldier, who is also your messenger, whom you sent to take care of my needs. <sup>26</sup> For he longs for all of you and is distressed because you heard he was ill. <sup>27</sup> Indeed he was ill, and almost died. But God had mercy on him, and not on him only but also on me, to spare me sorrow upon sorrow. <sup>28</sup> Therefore I am all the more eager to send him, so that when you see him again you may be glad and I may have less anxiety. <sup>29</sup> Welcome him in the Lord with great joy, and honor men like him, <sup>30</sup> because he almost died for the work of Christ, risking his life to make up for the help you could not give me.

**SELFLESS SERVANT #1:  
TIMOTHY**

Who was Timothy?

What was Paul’s view of Timothy?

- A. A **RARE BREED** “I have no one else like him”
- B. A **KINDRED** Spirit “...like him”
- C. A **CARING** Minister “who takes a genuine interest in your welfare”
- D. A Christ-Focused **DISCIPLE** “for everyone looks out for his own interests, not those of Jesus Christ”
- E. A Loyal Reliable **SON** “Timothy has proved himself as a son with his father”
- F. A Serving **TEAMMATE** “he has served with me”
- G. A Mission-Focused **CO-LABORER** “in the work of the gospel”

**SELFLESS SERVANT #2:  
EPAPHRODITUS**

Who was Epaphroditus?

What was Paul’s view of Epaphroditus?

- A. A Spiritual **SIBLING** “my brother”
- B. A **COMRADE-IN-ARMS** “fellow worker and fellow soldier”
- C. A **FAITHFUL** Messenger “who is also your messenger”
- D. A Compassionate **MINISTER** “whom you sent to take care of my needs”
- E. An Others-Oriented **SERVANT** “he is distressed because you heard he was ill”
- F. A Sold-Out, **SACRIFICIAL** Christian “... he almost died for the work of Christ, risking his life...”

**MINDSHIFT #1: Others Before Self, Just Like Jesus**

**MINDSHIFT #2: Honor The Right Kind Of People**

**MINDSHIFT #3: I Need Godly Role Models In My Life**

**BIBLE READING PLAN**

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