***1 Timothy 3:8-13***

***“8****Deacons likewise must be men of dignity, not [*[*a*](https://www.biblegateway.com/passage/?search=1%20Timothy%203%3A8-13&version=NASB#fen-NASB-29727a)*]insincere, not prone to drink much wine, not greedy for money,****9****but holding to the mystery of the faith with a clear conscience.****10****These men must also first be tested; then have them serve as deacons if they are beyond reproach.****11****[*[*b*](https://www.biblegateway.com/passage/?search=1%20Timothy%203%3A8-13&version=NASB#fen-NASB-29730b)*]Women must likewise be dignified, not malicious gossips, but [*[*c*](https://www.biblegateway.com/passage/?search=1%20Timothy%203%3A8-13&version=NASB#fen-NASB-29730c)*]temperate, faithful in all things.****12****Deacons must be husbands of one wife, and [*[*d*](https://www.biblegateway.com/passage/?search=1%20Timothy%203%3A8-13&version=NASB#fen-NASB-29731d)*]good managers of their children and their own households.* ***13****For those who have served well as deacons obtain for themselves a [*[*e*](https://www.biblegateway.com/passage/?search=1%20Timothy%203%3A8-13&version=NASB#fen-NASB-29732e)*]high standing and great confidence in the faith that is in Christ Jesus.”*

Deacons: The High Calling of Lowly Service to Christ

*1 Timothy 3:8-13*

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Intro:

* ***Preaching Point:*** 
  + ***To the church: God gave this passage \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.***

1. **Recognize / Pursue a Christ-Honoring C\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, v8-10**
2. **Recognize / Pursue a Christ-Honoring H\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ L\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, v11-12**
3. **Recognize / Pursue a Christ-Honoring R\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, v13**

Conclusion: