

## Study Guide

How to Behave at Home – 1 Timothy 3:14-16

#### **My Story**

1. Who demonstrated better behavior growing up: you, your sibling(s), or your children? Why do you think that is?

# **Digging Deeper**

2. How does viewing the church as the "household of God" (v.15) change the way we interact with one another? Why is it necessary for believers to know how to conduct themselves in God's household?

3. Why does Paul describe the church as "the pillar and support of the truth" (v.15)? Why might Paul link a believers' proper conduct with the church's role as the pillar of truth?

4. How is Christ "revealed in the flesh" (v.16) an example for believers to live Godly lives? How should the truth of Christ's exaltation shape the way believers conduct themselves in God's household?

#### Reflection

5. How can the church today practically uphold truth in a culture of compromise? What are some ways we can respond to the various untruths proclaimed by our culture?

6. What are some ways a believer's behavior might reflect well on Christ and His Church? What are some ways it might reflect poorly? What areas might you need to work on?

### **Taking the Next Step**

What behavior(s) would you like to be known for as a believer in Christ (heartfelt prayer, humble service, joyful worship, Biblical counsel, earnest compassion, etc.)? Ask God to help you grow in that area, and follow His Holy Spirit's leading.

# **Praises / Prayer Requests**

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# **SERMON NOTES**

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