

QUALIFICATIONS OF WOMEN, PREACHERS IN THE CONGREGATION,
AND THE MYSTERY OF GODLINESS. I TIMOTHY 3:11, 14-16

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1. WHO THESE WOMEN WERE 1 Tim. 3:11

1. May have been wives of elders
2. May have been wives of the deacons.
3. May have considered all women of the church.

2. THEIR QUALIFICATIONS IN ALL THINGS

1. GRAVE

not light minded and frivolous but: Cheerful, hopeful, earnest.
1. Must be stayed in their deportment. Must be modest. Careful of outward adorning...clothing.

2. NOT SLANDERERS

Stumbling block. Tending to injure the reputation of another
1. Be free from detraction of any sort. Not giving to tattling. Busy bodies.

3. SOBER-VIGILANT

1. Faithful in all things. Sound mind. Having a good understanding. Complete government of self.

4. FAITHFUL IN ALL THINGS

1. Faithful in all duties undertaken. Class Teaching
Visiting the Sick, ETC.

4. PAUL'S DESIRE TO VISIT TIMOTHY 1 Tim. 3:14

1. WHY PAUL WOULD VISIT TIMOTHY

1. To give Timothy more complete instructions. It is not know if Paul made this journey to Ephesus.

5. BEHAVIOUR IN THE HOUSE OF GOD 1 Tim. 3:15

1. These instructions given will help for the time.
2. How to conduct thyself in the direction of the church

THE PREACHER IN THE CONGREGATION OF TODAY

1. How he should conduct himself. Always setting the right example.
2. What some people think about the preacher?
3. His life before the public in general. Debts ETC.

5. THE GREAT MYSTERY OF GODLINESS I Timothy 3:16

1. God's power in the gospel to make men godly.
2. Compared to the weakness in the laws enacted by men to make men godly. Change men.
3. Human nature the same regardless of the political banner under which it marches.

