

ENTRUSTED

ARE YOU AN ATHLETIC, FARMING
SOLDIER?

2 TIM 2:3-7
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5 helps to minister and disciple well:

1. **Look for and rely on Christ's grace in your life. (1)**
 - Look for Christ's grace until you are in awe of Christ's grace and then you can rely on Christ's grace to share Christ's grace!
 - Keep growing – Know and practice what you've been taught (1-2)
2. **Determine to entrust and equip others in the faith – Choose to disciple! (2)**

Three examples to follow:

3. **SOLDIER – Rearrange life around a _____ Devotion (3-4)**



3 characteristics of a good soldier:

A. _____

B. _____: Eradicate distractions from God's work – your occupation is a soldier.

C. _____: Your focus is to please the commanding officer (4)

4. **ATHLETE – _____: Victory comes when we play by God's rules (5)**

1 Cor 9:25-27



- Does this rule out grace and give rise to legalism?

5. **FARMER: Discipleship and ministry is _____, but brings great blessings! (6)**

Prov 20:4, 24:30-31; 1 Cor 15:58



Equipping – Memorization:

2 Tim 2:2 and what you have heard from me in the presence of many witnesses entrust to faithful men who will be able to teach others also.