

Characteristics of a Spiritual Influencer (2 Timothy 2:1-10)

You therefore, my son, be strong in the grace that is in Christ Jesus. <sup>2</sup> The things which you have heard from me in the presence of many witnesses, entrust these to faithful men who will be able to teach others also. <sup>3</sup> Suffer hardship with *me*, as a good soldier of Christ Jesus. <sup>4</sup> No soldier in active service entangles himself in the affairs of everyday life, so that he may please the one who enlisted him as a soldier. <sup>5</sup> Also if anyone competes as an athlete, he does not win the prize unless he competes according to the rules. <sup>6</sup> The hard-working farmer ought to be the first to receive his share of the crops. <sup>7</sup> Consider what I say, for the Lord will give you understanding in everything.

<sup>8</sup> Remember Jesus Christ, risen from the dead, descendant of David, according to my gospel, <sup>9</sup> for which I suffer hardship even to imprisonment as a criminal; but the word of God is not imprisoned. <sup>10</sup> For this reason I endure all things for the sake of those who are chosen, so that they also may obtain the salvation which is in Christ Jesus *and* with *it* eternal glory.

Be strong in Christ's grace
Reproduce multiplying disciples
Practice godly character

4. Remember Jesus Christ 5. Do everything you can to lead people to salvation