

# DON'T STOP BELIEVIN'

When Under Attack...PT. 8

## The One Thing:

When Under Attack,

Be \_\_\_\_\_ in God So That

I Can Do the \_\_\_\_\_ Thing

1. Be \_\_\_\_\_ With the Gospel.

### **2 Timothy 2:14**

<sup>14</sup> Keep reminding God's people of these things. Warn them before God against quarreling about words; it is of no value, and only ruins those who listen.

### **2 Timothy 2:8**

<sup>8</sup> Remember Jesus Christ, raised from the dead, descended from David. This is my gospel,

## Worth Being Clear About:

- \_\_\_\_\_ Focused Instead of \_\_\_\_\_ Focused
- \_\_\_\_\_ Based Instead of \_\_\_\_\_ Based

### **2 Timothy 2: 15-18**

<sup>15</sup> Do your best to present yourself to God as one approved, a worker who does not need to be ashamed and who correctly handles the word of truth <sup>16</sup> Avoid godless chatter, because those who indulge in it will become more and more ungodly.

<sup>17</sup> Their teaching will spread like gangrene. Among them are Hymenaeus and Philetus, <sup>18</sup> who have departed from the truth. They say that the resurrection has already taken place, and they destroy the faith of some.

### **2 Timothy 2:19**

<sup>19</sup> Nevertheless, God's solid foundation stands firm, sealed with this inscription: "The Lord knows those who are his," and, "Everyone who confesses the name of the Lord must turn away from wickedness."

2. Be \_\_\_\_\_ in Character.

**2 Timothy 2: 20-22**

*<sup>20</sup>In a large house there are articles not only of gold and silver, but also of wood and clay; some are for special purposes and some for common use. <sup>21</sup>Those who cleanse themselves from the latter will be instruments for special purposes, made holy, useful to the Master and prepared to do any good work.*

*<sup>22</sup>Flee the evil desires of youth and pursue righteousness, faith, love and peace, along with those who call on the Lord out of a pure heart.*

3. Be \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ with Conflict.

**2 Timothy 2: 23-26**

*<sup>23</sup>Don't have anything to do with foolish and stupid arguments, because you know they produce quarrels. <sup>24</sup>And the Lord's servant must not be quarrelsome but must be kind to everyone, able to teach, not resentful. <sup>25</sup>Opponents must be gently instructed, in the hope that God will grant them repentance leading them to a knowledge of the truth, <sup>26</sup>and that they will come to their senses and escape from the trap of the devil, who has taken them captive to do his will.*

**How to Deal with Conflict and Still Honor God:**

1. Don't Argue over \_\_\_\_\_ Stuff.

2. Learn to Disagree with \_\_\_\_\_  
(\_\_\_\_\_).

3. Let Go of \_\_\_\_\_

4. Allow Lots of Room for \_\_\_\_\_.