



2 Timothy 2:15 NIV

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.



2 Timothy 2:15 KJV

Study to shew thyself approved
unto God, a workman that
needeth not to be ashamed,
rightly dividing the word of
truth.



2 Timothy 2:14 NIV

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.



1 Timothy 1:3-4 NIV

3 As I urged you when I went into Macedonia, stay there in Ephesus so that you may command certain people not to teach false doctrines any longer 4 or to devote themselves to myths and endless genealogies. Such things promote controversial speculations rather than advancing God's work—which is by faith.



2 Timothy 2:16-18 NIV

16 Avoid godless chatter, because those who indulge in it will become more and more ungodly. 17 Their teaching will spread like gangrene. Among them are Hymenaeus and Philetus, 18 who have departed from the truth. They say that the resurrection has already taken place, and they destroy the faith of some.



2 Timothy 3:16-17 NIV

16 All Scripture is God-breathed and is useful for teaching, rebuking, correcting and training in righteousness, 17 so that the servant of God may be thoroughly equipped for every good work.



Luke 2:49 NIV

“Why were you searching for me?” he asked. “Didn’t you know I had to be in my Father’s house?”



I. Our Business Is To
Do Our Best

2 Timothy 2:15a NIV



Do your best to
present yourself to
God as one approved,



I. Our Business Is To
Do Our Best
2 Timothy 4:9 NIV



Do your best to come
to me quickly,



I. Our Business Is To Do Our Best

2 Timothy 4:21 NIV



Do your best to get here before winter. Eubulus greets you, and so do Pudens, Linus, Claudia and all the brothers and sisters.



I. Our Business Is To Do Our Best

Colossians 3:16-17 NIV



16 Let the message of Christ dwell among you richly as you teach and admonish one another with all wisdom through psalms, hymns, and songs from the Spirit, singing to God with gratitude in your hearts. 17 And whatever you do, whether in word or deed, do it all in the name of the Lord Jesus, giving thanks to God the Father through him.



II. Our Business Is To
Not Be Ashamed Of Our Work

2 Timothy 2:15b NIV

a worker who does
not need to be
ashamed



II. Our Business Is To Not Be Ashamed Of Our Work

Romans 1:16 NIV

For I am not ashamed of the gospel, because it is the power of God that brings salvation to everyone who believes: first to the Jew, then to the Gentile.



II. Our Business Is To Not Be Ashamed Of Our Work

Colossians 3:23-24 NIV

23 Whatever you do, work at it with all your heart, as working for the Lord, not for human masters, 24 since you know that you will receive an inheritance from the Lord as a reward. It is the Lord Christ you are serving.



III. Our Business Is To
Handle The Word
2 Timothy 2:15c NIV



and who correctly
handles the word of
truth.



III. Our Business Is To Handle The Word

Psalm 119:43 NIV



Never take your word of truth from my mouth,
for I have put my hope in your laws.



III. Our Business Is To Handle The Word

Acts 17:11 NIV



Now the Berean Jews were of more noble character than those in Thessalonica, for they received the message with great eagerness and examined the Scriptures every day to see if what Paul said was true.



III. Our Business Is To Handle The Word

Romans 12:1-2 NIV



1 Therefore, I urge you, brothers and sisters, in view of God's mercy, to offer your bodies as a living sacrifice, holy and pleasing to God—this is your true and proper worship. 2 Do not conform to the pattern of this world, but be transformed by the renewing of your mind. Then you will be able to test and approve what God's will is—his good, pleasing and perfect will.