

PENINSULA CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP

Timothy 1:5-11

God's Purpose/Our Purpose

1:1-4, *We are infectious with:*

- **Grace, Mercy & Peace**

We are changed by what God gives us

**We're hoping for an
Outbreak!**

Vs. 5, *"The purpose of my instruction is that **all believers would be**"*

If we belong to Christ Jesus, this is for us.

- **"Filled with love"**

*Love we get from God is
God's Love - Agape*

*Being Filled mean every part
of our life*

"Love that comes from" (within US)

- **"A pure heart"**, (*Our hearts changed by His heart*)

We can ask in anything:

- *Is this the heart of God?*
- *Is this something He intends?*
- *Do our desires originate in His heart?*

Psalm 37:4

"Love that comes from" (within US)

- **"A clear conscience"**

Do we have unselfish motives?

- *Will our desire come at someone else's expense?*

- Do we value **others more highly than ourselves?**
- Will God and **anyone else involved approve?**

"Love that **comes from**" (within US)

- "**Genuine faith**"

Faith is **a gift of God**

Faith is **of Him and in Him**

Faith is in us **AS it resides in Him**

Faith is **never contrary** to Him

Faith is as **demonstrated by Jesus**

Faith does not originate **in us**

Faith is certainty of **what He has revealed** to us

Hebrews 11:1 & 6,

"Now faith is the **substance of things hoped for**, the **evidence of things not seen**"

"And **without faith** it is impossible to please God"

Certainly, this faith is for **Grace, Mercy & Peace**

Vs. 6, "But some people have **missed this whole point**. They have **turned away** from these things"

- We **never replace** something God gives
- We **add to it** (from God) and **build on it**

All else is meaningless talk, idle chatter, **of no value**

Vs. 7, All such teaching is **false teaching**

- Those who teach otherwise **don't know what they talking about**
- They teach **what they came up with**, not what they got from God

Vs. 8, "We know that the law is good **if one uses it properly.**"

- Used correctly it is an instrument of righteousness to build people up
- Used incorrectly it becomes a weapon to rule them with

Vs. 9-11, "We also know that **the law is made not for the righteous**, but for lawbreakers and rebels"

Traffic laws are not for me.

I haven't had a traffic ticket in **17 years.**

The law is for **those who violate it**, who don't **willingly live** according to **what the law reveals to be good** for us all

Paul lists several examples of **violations still true today**

- Those who would **replace God's laws** are criminals
- They place themselves **above God**

- They don't answer to us.
They will answer to **The One in authority**

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Live by the laws of God's
Love – **Grace, Mercy & Peace**

And live **in confidence a freedom** before God...

And **in His behalf** toward others.