

1 Timothy: Guard the Truth Entrusted to the Church

I. Believing as Church (1:3-20)

II. Behaving as Church (chs. 2 – 6)

A. **The Church and it's Influence (ch. 2)**

1. **A Double Submission for the Salvation of the World (2:1-8)**

### **1 Timothy 2:1-8**

"One for All and All for One"

**I. One for All (1-4)**

A. A Church for All People (1-2)

Jeremiah 29:7

B. A God for All People (3-4)

Ephesians 1:4-5 *...even as he chose us in him before the foundation of the world, that we should be holy and blameless before him. In love <sup>5</sup> he predestined us for adoption through Jesus Christ, according to the purpose of his will...*

Ezekiel 33:11: *"Say to them, 'As I live!' declares the Lord GOD, 'I take no pleasure in the death of the wicked, but rather that the wicked turn from his way and live. Turn back, turn back from your evil ways! Why then will you die, O house of Israel?"*

2 Peter 3:9 *The Lord is not slow to fulfill his promise as some count slowness, but is patient toward you, not wishing that any should perish, but that all should reach repentance.*

**II. All for One (5-8)**

A. One God (5a)

B. One Way (5b-7)

C. One Church (8)

**The Scope of our Mission:** the whole world

**The Method of our Mission:** prayer and witness

**The Goal of our Mission:** the pleasure of God and the accomplishment of His will

**The Environment of our Mission:** worship and unity