

In These Last Days (2 Timothy 4:3-5)
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Introduction: Above all else, let Open Door be a place where the remedy of Jesus is freely offered to this sin-sick world.

- I. ***For the time is coming***
 - A Pastoral charge and a Corporate calling
- II. ***When people will not endure sound teaching***
 - A. We endure things that are helpful
 - B. Rejection of helpful teaching (***Jeremiah 6:10***)
- III. ***But have itching ears***
 - **Knēthō** – *desiring to hear something pleasant*
- IV. ***They will accumulate teachers to suit their own passions***
 - A. The danger of heresy
 - B. Building a case to justify a false reality
- V. ***As for you***
 - A distinguishing point...“Listen up!”
- VI. ***Always be sober-minded***
 - Be of clear judgment (***1 Thessalonians 5:6***)
- VII. ***Endure suffering, do the work of an evangelist***
 - Don’t just lean, but “trust fall” into the arms of God
- VIII. ***Fulfill your ministry***
 - A. Live with zeal for the Lord (***Titus 2:11-14***)
 - B. Declare a message from God (***Acts 2:17-18***)

Your Ministry in these Last Days: To declare that JESUS SAVES!