## FIGHT THE GOOD FIGHT OF FAITH VOLUME 1: THE INTEGRITY OF GOD'S WORD MESSAGE 3: JUSTIFIED OR CONDEMNED [20 AUGUST 2023]

## • FOUNDATION:

- 1 TIMOTHY 6:11-12
  - Verse 11: Godliness [Holiness] = conforming to the mind of Christ, to think, talk and act like God; conforming to the Laws of God's Kingdom – how God desires for us to operate in and with His Covenant Words
  - Verse 11: Meekness = true humility, humbleness: John 15:5 = "without Me (Jesus) you can do nothing"
  - Verse 12: "profess a good profession (confession)" Same Greek word, "homologia"
    - This is a Righteous Act
    - Professing or Confessing God's Word
    - Confessing by Faith with patience
    - Always done in Love: Love of God & His Word
    - Done with God's Wisdom
    - Colossians 1:23
    - Hebrews 10:23, 35-36

## I. <u>Violence Against the Kingdom of Heaven [Kingdom of God]</u>

- a. Matthew 11:12
  - i. (Matthew 11:12) [The Passion Translation] From the moment John stepped onto the scene until now, the realm of heaven's kingdom is bursting forth, and passionate people have taken hold of its power.
- b. Revelation 12:11
- c. Mark 4:17-19 Satan's tactics (and the flesh)
- d. James 1:13-18
  - i. Temptation, Test, Trial. Tribulation [the progression of Deception, Sin & Defeat (the death process)

## II. Justified or Condemned

- a. Matthew 12:37 (verses 31-37)
  - i. Romans 7:14-25
  - ii. Romans 8:1-4
    - 1. Romans 5:1-2
      - a. Verse 2: 2 Peter 1:3