

Sermon Title: "Overseers"

Sermon Text: 1 Timothy 3:1-7

I. Overseers

- a. Overseer and Elder are two terms that refer to the same _____ in the _____
 - i. Elder – Jewish in nature, signifies _____
 - ii. Overseer – Greek in nature, signifies _____ role
- b. An Overseer in the Body of Christ is a person who has the _____ of _____ the _____
- c. Overseers (a.k.a. Elders) can only be _____
(1 Timothy 2:12-13)

II. Qualifications of an Overseer:

- a. A One-woman man – a _____
- b. A _____ follower of Jesus
- c. Able to _____
- d. Manages his own _____
- e. Not a new _____
- f. Has a good reputation among _____

When a congregation picks their overseers, they need to be looking at a man's _____ and _____.