



### Quiet Time Questions from April 26, 2026

**Main Point of the Sermon:** Elders, deacons, and the entire church are called to live above reproach and with self-control, faithfully reflecting Christ in our character, leadership, and daily lives.

**Verses for Memory and Meditation:** *“Those who have served well gain an excellent standing and great assurance in their faith in Christ Jesus.” 1 Timothy 3:13*

1. **Read 1 Timothy 3:1-13.** Being “above reproach” is not sinless perfection but a life marked by repentance and visible pursuit of holiness. How does this understanding challenge or encourage the way you view spiritual leadership—and your own daily walk with Christ?
2. **Read 1 Timothy 3:1-13.** Self-control is a balanced, steady, and disciplined life. In what specific areas (e.g., speech, conflict, money, family life) do you see the greatest need for this kind of self-control, and what practical steps could help cultivate it?
3. **Read 1 Timothy 3:1-13.** These leadership qualifications are not only for elders and deacons but to the whole church body. In what ways are all believers called to reflect these same qualities, and how can a church community actively support and hold one another accountable in living them out?