

Deacons

Text: 1 Tim. 3: 8-13

Reference XII-4

Grades: 7-9

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Memory Work: Do not withhold good from those to whom it is due, when it is in the power of your hand to do so. Prov. 3:27

1. What is a deacon (use a dictionary)?
2. What does it mean to be reverent?
3. What would you think of someone who is described as double-tongued?
4. What does it mean, not given to much wine?
5. Why do you think a deacon should not be greedy for money?
6. How can we hold the mystery of the faith with a pure conscience?
7. What do you think it means, to let the deacons first be tested?
8. As with elders it is said a deacon should be blameless, what does this mean?
9. Can a deacons wife disqualify him from the position?
10. What qualification(s) does a deacon and his wife share ?
11. The wife of a deacon is not to be a slanderer, what is this ?
12. What does it mean to be temperate?
13. Could a deacons wife be openly in sin?
14. What is said about a deacons home life?

15. Can a deacons children have an effect on his holding the position?

16. Would you want to hinder your father from becoming a deacon or elder ?

What can you do to insure that this doesn't happen?

17. List the qualifications of a deacon that are not absolutely required of all Christians?

Review memory work: Prov. 3: 5-6, Prov. 20:11