

BELPRES  CHURCH

**Sermon Title: But Wait, There's More**

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**Scripture:**

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2 Timothy 4:1-5

In the presence of God and of Christ Jesus, who will judge the living and the dead, and in view of his appearing and his kingdom, I give you this charge: <sup>2</sup>Preach the word; be prepared in season and out of season; correct, rebuke, and encourage—with great patience and careful instruction.<sup>3</sup> For the time will come when people will not put up with sound doctrine. Instead, to suit their own desires, they will gather around them a great number of teachers to say what their itching ears want to hear. <sup>4</sup>They will turn their ears away from the truth and turn aside to myths. <sup>5</sup> But you, keep your head in all situations, endure hardship, do the work of an evangelist, discharge all the duties of your ministry.

Matthew 28:18-20

<sup>18</sup>Then Jesus came to them and said, "All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. <sup>19</sup>Therefore go and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, <sup>20</sup>and teaching them to obey everything I have commanded you. And surely I am with you always, to the very end of the age.

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## **Discussion Questions:**

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*Read this week's scripture(s) & answer the below questions with your friends, family, or All In small group.*

### **Introductions:**

- Share a little bit about yourself with the group: Are you new to All In or have you been here for awhile? Where do you live, work, play or learn? Any updates since the group last gathered or if it is your first time in this group, something that you want the group to know about your life?

**Scripture Reflection Questions** – Read this week's scripture together and discuss the following:

- What do we learn about God (e.g., traits, personality, what matters, priorities) in this passage and sermon?
- What do we learn about people, and ourselves in particular, this week?

**Sermon Reflection Questions** - *Reflecting on this week's sermon, discuss the following:*

- Scott shared the story of Dallas Willard's response to the woman in the crowd and his calm demeanor during the ride to the airport afterwards. For a disciple, "how we do little things is how we do everything." What is a little thing you might ask Jesus to help you do differently this week?
- Being a disciple means both *believing* and *doing* as we follow Jesus. Where is Jesus saying "follow me" in your life right now?

### **Closing Question and Application:**

- Given what we've discussed together today, how might God want you apply these learnings to your life or in the life of your community this next week? Who might you share this with?

### **Closing Group Prayer:**

- Spend a few minutes together in your group sharing prayer requests and then praying together for each other. Thank God for the time together, the conversation shared, the other people in the group, and for encouragement in the week ahead.