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Chapter 1. This letter is from Paul, an apostle of Christ Jesus, appointed by the command of God our Savior and Christ Jesus, who gives us hope. Verse 2. I am writing to Timothy, my true son in the faith. NLT

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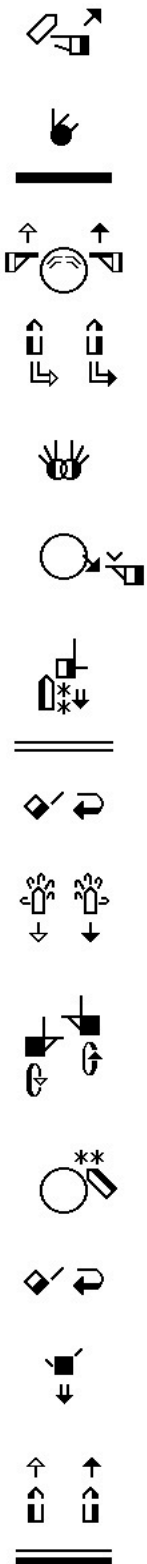

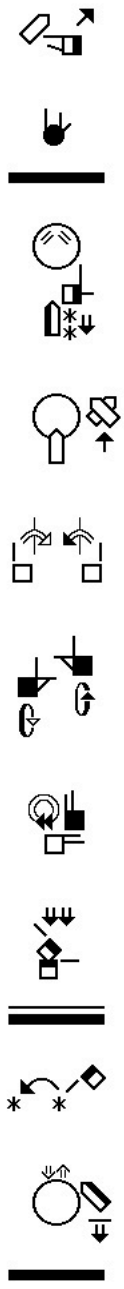
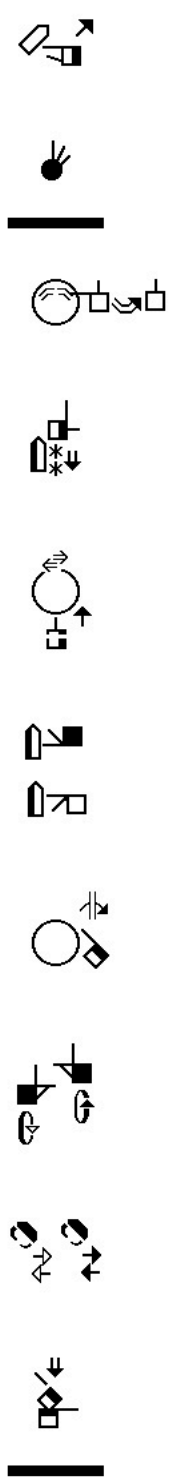
May God the Father and Christ Jesus our Lord give you grace, mercy, and peace.
 Verse 3. When I left for Macedonia, I urged you to stay there in Ephesus and stop those
 whose teaching is contrary to the truth.

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Verse 5. The purpose of my instruction is that all believers would be filled with love that comes from a pure heart, a clear conscience, and genuine faith. Verse 6. But some people have missed this whole point. They have turned away from these things and spend their time in meaningless discussions.

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Verse 7. They want to be known as teachers of the law of Moses, but they don't know what they are talking about, even though they speak so confidently. Verse 8. We know that the law is good when used correctly. Verse 9. For the law was not intended for people who do what is right.






















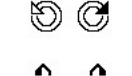
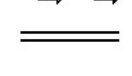



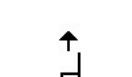




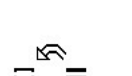
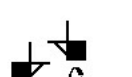




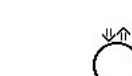






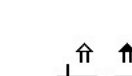











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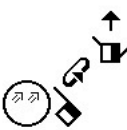
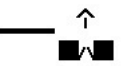

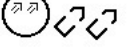





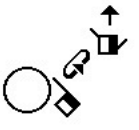
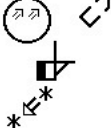
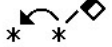

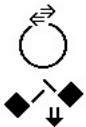


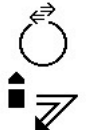

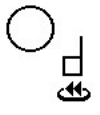

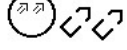




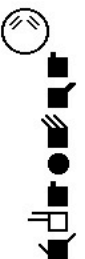

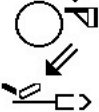


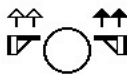


7 or are slave traders, liars, promise breakers, or who do anything else that contradicts the wholesome teaching Verse 11. that comes from the glorious Good News entrusted to me by our blessed God. Verse 12. I thank Christ Jesus our Lord, who has given me strength to do his work. NLT

He considered me trustworthy and appointed me to serve him, Verse 13. even though I used to blaspheme the name of Christ. In my insolence, I persecuted his people. But God had mercy on me because I did it in ignorance and unbelief. Verse 14. Oh, how generous and gracious our Lord was! He filled me with the faith
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Verse 16. But God had mercy on me so that Christ Jesus could use me as a prime example of his great patience with even the worst sinners. Then others will realize that they, too, can believe in him and receive eternal life. NLT

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Verse 17. All honor and glory to God forever and ever! He is the eternal King, the unseen one who never dies; he alone is God. Amen. Verse 18. Timothy, my son, here are my instructions for you, NLT

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based on the prophetic words spoken about you earlier. May they help you fight well in the Lord's battles. Verse 19. Cling to your faith in Christ, and keep your conscience clear. For some people have deliberately violated their consciences; as a result, their faith has been shipwrecked.

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<p>ASL signs for 'Hymenaeus and Alexander'. The sequence includes a sign for 'Hymenaeus' (a hand with fingers spread, palm up, moving from the chest to the head) and a sign for 'Alexander' (a hand with fingers spread, palm up, moving from the chest to the head). These are followed by a sign for 'I' (a hand with fingers spread, palm up, moving from the chest to the head) and a sign for 'threw' (a hand with fingers spread, palm up, moving from the chest to the head).</p>	<p>ASL signs for 'Satan'. The sequence includes a sign for 'Satan' (a hand with fingers spread, palm up, moving from the chest to the head) and a sign for 'Satan' (a hand with fingers spread, palm up, moving from the chest to the head).</p>		
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