



## STUDY NOTES – SEPTEMBER 29, 2019

### Sermon Series: “Worldview Sunday”

Pastor Kris preaches from the *English Standard Version (ESV)*.

A link to a Sunday devotional corresponding to the weekly sermon can be found on our [camanochapel.org](http://camanochapel.org) home page.

### Scripture: 2 Timothy 4:1-4

1. The clash of the new tolerance and biblical truth (2 Timothy 4:1-4)

*2 Timothy 4:1–4 (ESV) — 1 I charge you in the presence of God and of Christ Jesus, who is to judge the living and the dead, and by his appearing and his kingdom: 2 preach the word; be ready in season and out of season; reprove, rebuke, and exhort, with complete patience and teaching. 3 For the time is coming when people will not endure sound teaching, but having itching ears they will accumulate for themselves teachers to suit their own passions, 4 and will turn away from listening to the truth and wander off into myths.*

2. The difference between the new tolerance and Biblical tolerance.

| THE NEW TOLERANCE                                     | BIBLICAL TOLERANCE                |
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| 1. Priority of <u>harmony</u>                         | Priority of <u>truth</u>          |
| 2. All ideas are equally <u>right</u>                 | The Bible is <u>authoritative</u> |
| 3. Affirm all <u>viewpoints</u>                       | Affirm all <u>people</u>          |
| 4. Intimidate those holding <u>contrary positions</u> | Good <u>manners</u>               |

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| 5. "Tolerant" societies are <u>truly free</u>       | "Tolerant" societies encourage <u>oppression</u> |
| 6. No <u>grievous sin</u> so no need for the Savior | All have sinned and need the <u>Savior</u>       |

### S.A.L.T. Group questions

- Have someone read Sunday's passage: 2 Timothy 4:1-2
  - What truths stand out to you?
- 1. What is the result of preaching that only affirms us?
  - What is the value of preaching that convicts us of sin?
  - Have you ever heard a sermon or Bible study talk that troubled you and yet later positively change your life? [Share your experience.]
  - What is the motive for secular culture calling certain moral positions hateful?
  - Have you ever felt pressured been pressured to go along with the position even though you knew it was wrong? [How did you feel?]
- 2. Examine the chart on the other side of these notes.
  - Do you have any additional differences to the new tolerance and tolerance?
  - What should we, as Christians, do on the new tolerance?
    - How can we protect our children and grandchildren from embracing the error of the new tolerance?

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