

Living as a Drink Offering

2 Timothy 4:6-8 (Series: Declaring the Gospel)

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B. Paul's _____: poured out as a drink offering (v. 6-8) (c.f. Eph. 6:12; Heb. 12:1)

1. Looking back (v. 6b-7)

a. The time of his _____ has come (v. 6b)

b. He has _____ well and _____ the race (v. 7a)

c. He has kept the _____ (v. 7b)

2. Looking _____ (v. 8)

a. A crown of _____ (c.f. Rom. 3)

1.) From the Lord, the righteous _____ (cf. Heb. 12:2)

2.) To be awarded "on that day" (c.f. Rom. 8:18)

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b. He has **fought** well and **finished** the race (v. 7a)

c. He has kept the **faith** (v. 7b)

2. Looking **forward** (v. 8)

a. A crown of **righteousness** (c.f. Rom. 3)

1) From the Lord, the righteous **judge** (cf. Heb. 12:2)

2) To be awarded "on that day" (c.f. Rom. 8:18)

b. For all who have "loved His **appearing**."

Pastor's Note: - In the second part of Paul's final charge to Timothy (2 Tim. 4:6-8), Paul uses his own life as an example of being poured out as a drink offering. He looks back on a life living in full surrender to Jesus, which provides something to he can look forward. It is a challenge to every Christian to "Living as a Drink Offering."