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Implementation Of Serving The Preaching Of The Word Based On II Timothy 4:1-5 For Students Of Semester I And III At Sekolah Tinggi Teologi Kadesi Yogyakarta

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Abstract

The purpose of this study is to determine how effective the application of serving the preaching of the word based on II Timothy 4:1-5 is for Semester I and III students at Yogyakarta KADESI Theological College of Yogyakarta during the Academic Year 2020/2021. This research approach combines quantitative research methods with survey methods, with Likert scale analysis used during the data collection step. The hypothesis is tested in the testing phase, which employs various test stages that are carried out using SPSS 25 on a sample of 20 persons. The results of hypothesis testing are the contribution of Serving the Preaching of the Word (D1) with the Implementation of the Call to Serve Based on II Timothy 4:1-8 for Semester I and III Students at the Yogyakarta KADESI Theological College of the Academic Year 2020/2021 (Y) the regression equation Y= b +b1D1, Y = 14.418+ 3.873D1 with a calculated F coefficient of 97.223 and a P-value of 0.000. These results indicate that the regression equation is very significant or very meaningful. The magnitude of the coefficient of determination of variance (r2x1) is 0.844, which means that Serving the Preaching of the Word (D1) contributes to the Implementation of the Call to Serve Based on II Timothy 4:1-8 for Semester I and III Students at the Yogyakarta KADESI Theological College, Academic Year 2020/2021 (Y) of 84.4%.

Keywords: *Serving the Preaching of the Word, II Timothy 4:1-5, Kristen*

INTRODUCTION

Every believer in serving God is inseparable from His calling. God calls a servant or servant to serve Him because He has a purpose, God not only to call His servant to serve Him or others, but to achieve the goals of salvation, preaching the gospel and peace. Serving God is the duty of every believer. However, before entering the ministry, God will form a servant and form them first through several ways, for example through education in theological school, spiritual experience with Christ, and so on. So that every ministry performed leads to God's favor and does not deviate from the truth of God's Word and becomes a blessing to everyone who receives service. According to Erastus Sabdono (2017, p. 9), the Call to serve is a gift that God gives to all believers. Not all people born in the world are called to serve God. Speaking of the word deacon of God, it comes to mind some Christians who are actively involved in the church environment, namely those who participate in liturgical, deacon, pastoral, and mission activities.

God's generally understood servant activities include preaching, teaching praise, teaching Sunday School, organizing youth activities for young people, and performing music and other activities in the church environment. This is theoretical work. It is often referred to as a church or spiritual activity. The responsibility to serve is the responsibility of all who believe in Christ, not just pastors and those involved in the activities of certain churches and institutions. Every Christian receives God's call in his or her life but not all Christians can respond well to that call. Therefore, it is very important to have awareness in the self to learn

and understand what God wants in this life, so that as a Christian not only living to work in the pursuit of matter in this world but living to serve God is much more important. Because serving God is a responsibility in the life of a believer.

This study focused on the ministering call that the apostle Paul taught Timothy based on Timothy 4:1-5 and the researcher wanted to conduct research among early students (semester l and lll to find out how much level of implementation students do about the call to serve the Lord and carry out duties as a person in the educational stage to be a good servant of God, because a good servant will set a good example to the people around both in the church, school and community environment. Here researchers have conducted research directly in the field, among students at the Kadesi Yogyakarta Theological College on the Implementation of Serving the word reporting based on II Timothy 4:1-5 among students of semester l and lll at STT KADESI Yogyakarta TA 2020/2021. KADESI Yogyakarta Theological College is an institution established by servants of God who have struggles and concerns about developing ministries in the countryside. This institution is interdenominational, the purpose is to be a partner for institutions or churches that are burdened to serve the countryside.

THEORETICAL FOUNDATION

Letter ll Timothy

According to W. R. F. Brown said; Paul the Second Epistle to Timothy (abbreviated Sura 2 Timothy) is one of the books in the Christian Bible section of the New Testament which mostly contains personal advice to Timothy as a young co-worker and maid (Brown, 1816, pp. 447–448). The essence of the counsel given in epistle 2 Timothy is to keep Timothy steadfast and faithful in spreading the good news of the Lord Jesus Christ and sticking to the gospel teachings of the Lord Jesus. Donald Guthrie says; The purpose of this epistle of Timothy Paul recalls the task he has completed and looks forward to the crown he will receive. Timothy talks little about ecclesiastical challenges but focuses on Timothy and the tasks assigned to him (Guthrie, 1991, p. 229). David Susilo Purnomo argues; Paul's purpose was to write this letter to show Timothy how he should be responsible for the task he would receive and how he should be prepared to suffer as a soldier of Christ in maintaining his faith and in preaching His gospel (Pranoto, 2016, p. 83). Paul asked Timothy to be a faithful servant of god, Paul had an appreciation when he would end the mission of service to the Lord Jesus, and Paul had confidence that the purpose of his ministry was the kingdom of God and His righteousness.

Timothy was a shy man and at that time he was facing a period of trouble, Paul was aware of it and the possibility of severe persecution from outside the church and the presence of false teachers from within the church, Paul advised Timothy to keep his faith (2 Tim. 4:7), preach the word of God (2 Tim. 2:15), win difficulties (2 Tim. 2:3) and carry out his duties (2 Tim. 2:22). Overall in this letter the apostle Paul's primary purpose is to advise Timothy to stick to the faith of believing in Jesus Christ and the gospel of truth in Jesus Christ, guarding the faith from momentary teachings and destruction, opposing false teachers, and preaching the true gospel with unwavering firmness.

Service Call

According to KBBI, a call is an invitation, an appeal or an invitation. The person called is for a job and so on (KBBI Aplication Edition V). Jansen Sinamo and Eben Ezer Siadari (2011, p. 169) say; The common call is God's call to the faithful pumat without exception, namely the obligation to do good, defend the truth, and uphold justice in all matters. Serving is helping to prepare (take care of) anything a person needs (Andar, 2009). So the call to serve is an appeal to help prepare or take care of a job. In everyday life, services are often carried out by everyone both for personal and shared needs, both by individuals and institutions (Windarwati et al., 2021, p. 8). Serving or being served is commonplace in everyday life. So based on this understanding, serving or being served is something that is often done by everyone. The instinct to serve is innate since man was born in the world and shaped by his environment to become a good person and can create the right collaboration.

Serving the Word (2 Timothy 4:1, 2a and 5c)

Preaching the word is an important task of a servant of the Lord, as Paul did. In this verse Paul says: (1) Before God and Christ Jesus who will judge the living and the dead, I earnestly advise you for his revelation and for his kingdom: (2a) Preach the word, be ready for good or unkind in time, (5) But master yourself in all things, be patient to suffer, do the work of the evangelist and cash in on your ministry!. Preaching the word of God can be done anywhere, even through speech or a way of life based on the teachings of God's word (being the perpetrator of the word), a Christian has preached god's words. As students of theology, the exhortation to live in the teachings of God's word is not unfamiliar to them, because without applying the teachings of God's word in everyday life, the ministry they do cannot be

said to be 100% successful. People will judge the the theological student as a person who is skilled in speaking the word of God but is not able to do the words conveyed in his daily life.

As a servant of the word, living by giving up all the leaders of the life of ministry to Christ is what a servant of God should do. By surrendering fully to Christ a servant can maintain intergtity in his ministry. Likewise, the content of the news delivered can be different according to where it is delivered. Brill also asserts that "proclaim the gospel boldly, as a true pledge just as Jesus confessed before Pilate. Every believer is obliged to preach the gospel unblemished and blameless until the time the Lord Jesus reveals Himself (Wesley, 1996, p. 50). So preaching the word is the responsibility of the Servant of God whether the conditions allow it or not. In preaching the word also required self-readiness, both in prayer and in the word at all times, so that no more fear arises to preach the gospel. Below will be discussed what must be done by a person who serves the preaching of the word.

Preparing Yourself in All Situations (2a & 5a)

Preaching the Word is the duty of every servant of God in ministry so that all people can hear their words and faith confirmed in the Lord. In 2 Timothy 4:2a and 5a say; "2a, Speak the word, be ready for good or not good time, 5a, but master yourself in all things," Robert Bratcher (2005, p. 431) said; preparing yourself in all situations means a service that is always ready and alert. Jesus taught his disciples to always be ready or ready for His coming. A waiter who has a ready character is an example of a waiter who is ready to accept the reality of what it is, and ready to make good decisions. It is this kind of character that will continue to develop in his ministry. While the waiter who is always in doubt is an example of a waiter who is not ready. They are too afraid to change, too deep in their comfort zone that they don't feel ready for a change.

This kind of thing is very important to be implemented by a theological student so that he can maintain an attitude in preaching the gospel, so that he still feels pleasing before the Lord and always gives the best of his life for the glory of God. A ready attitude also serves so that they can remain calm when in the distractions and shocks of people or situations, and not in a hurry to react, in every ministry work carried out by them. Having prepared himself in everything, he can be morally alert to temptation, resistant to pressure, and careful when facing heavy responsibilities. H. Rusdin Nawi (2017, p. 7), said; In highly expected organizational behavior is professional behavior in realizing the aspirations of

society that is reflected in good service. Thus increasing public confidence in the service providers.

Performing Service Duties (5c)

In verse 5c it says: "Cash in on your ministry." This is the commandment that the apostle Paul gave to Timothy. Paul commanded Timothy to teach and preach the gospel that the Lord had given, this is an important and broad command of all other commandments. Acts 20:24 says; "But I did not heed my life in the slightest, as long as I could reach the finish line and complete the ministry that the Lord Jesus had assigned me to bear witness to the gospel and the grace of God (Borrong, 2002). In this verse it is explained that in serving the Lord, the especially thing Paul noticed was not to sustain his life, because the most important thing for him was that he could complete the ministry that God entrusted him to. Wherever the task ends, even at the cost of his life, he will complete his ministry with joy and prayer. Paul also says in Philippians 1:20, ... Christ was manifestly glorified in my fall both by my life, and my death. For Paul life and service to Christ is the same as the race to be followed by full faithfulness to Jesus Christ.

As a student of theology, you must realize that service is not an element of compulsion or encouragement, because in serving the preaching of the gospel must be based on god's love and longing without worrying about the suffering that exists until the task of ministry can be completed to the end. A theological student must complete his ministry well, as the apostle Paul commanded Timothy to fulfill and complete the ministry task that had been entrusted to him. For it is very important for a servant of the Lord to complete every ministry task entrusted to him in this world. As Colossians 4:17 says, ".... Note, so that the service you receive in the Lord will be fully accomplished. "No one knows when the Lord will come back into this world, therefore cash in the ministry that God entrusts before the time comes (Kurniadi, 2017).

METHOD

The type of research method used is quantitative research method. The way of collecting data conducted by researchers is by surveying the location of the research place, interviewing with several sources and submitting statements, and analyzing the data obtained and the relationship of research results described quantitatively (Swarjana & SKM, 2012). The research place chosen by the researcher is the Kadesi Yogyakarta Theological College, with the number of samples recorded at 20 students in semester l and lll. The population in

this study amounted to 20 students, which is 100% of all students in semester l and lll at STT KADESI Yogyakarta. The materials and tools that researchers used in this study are: Bible, books related to the Implementation of The Serving Call, internet, questionnaires and laptops/ notebooks. Data collection techniques in this study were carried out by observation techniques, interviews and questionnaires. Research data is analyzed using statistical methods using the help of SPSS 25 with several stages, namely validity tests, rehabilitation tests, normality tests, and hypothesis tests.

RESULT AND DISCUSSION

Based on the results of data that has been collected from research conducted by distributing questionnaires to respondents, researchers have obtained data using likert scale measuring instruments, with quantitative values, namely a score of 1 strongly disagrees; score 2 disagrees; score 3 hesitates, score 4; agree; A score of 5 strongly agrees. After the questionnaire has been distributed to a number of 20 respondents then they fill out a questionnaire consisting of a total of 39 statements.

Characteristics of Respondents

Age

Table 1. Characteristics of Respondents By Age

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	19,00	4	20,0	20,0	20,0
	20,00	5	25,0	25,0	45,0
	21,00	6	30,0	30,0	75,0
	22,00	2	10,0	10,0	85,0
	24,00	1	5,0	5,0	90,0
	26,00	1	5,0	5,0	95,0
	38,00	1	5,0	5,0	100,0
	Total	20	100,0	100,0	

From the table above, the age background is known from 20 respondents 4 respondents (20%) aged 19 years, 5 respondents (25%) aged 20 years, 6 respondents (30%) aged 21 years, 2 respondents aged 22 years, 1 respondent (5%) aged 24, 26, and 38 years.

Data Analysis

Validity Test

From the validity test of 39 variable endogenous items with the help of SPSS 25 software using pearson correlation formula it is known that 38 items are declared valid because they have r count > r criteria and 1 item is declared drop because it has r count < r criteria which is number 33.

Rehabilitation Test

From the variable endogenous reliability test using SPSS 25 software with the cronbach"s Alpha formula, it is known that as many as 20 respondents were declared 100% valid in the collection of questionnaire data. And of the 38 valid items have a reliability value of 0.971 which indicates that the 38 items are very reliable / reliable if used as research questionnaires.

Normality Test

A normality test is performed to find out whether the residual value studied has a normal or abnormal distribution. The normal distribution residual value when viewed on the normality test with the help of SPSS 25 is known as follows:

Table 2. Normality Test Results

One-Sample Kolmogorov-Smirnov Test

		Serving the Word
N		20
Normal Parameters[a,b] Mean		37,9500
	Std. Deviation	4,57079
Most Extreme Differences	Absolute	,123
	Positive	,077
	Negative	-,123
Test Statistic		,123
Asymp. Sig. (2-tailed)		,200[c,d]

a. *Test distribution is Normal.*

b. *Calculated from data.*

c. *Lilliefors Significance Correction.*

d. *This is a lower bound of the true significance.*

From table 2 it can be seen that the variable serving the reporting of the word has a significant level above 0.05 which indicates that the variable is distributed normally and can be tested by parametic methods.

Hypothesis Test

The proposed hypothesis reads the level of Implementation serving the news of the word based on Timothy 4:1-5 for Students of SemesterS I and III at the Kadesi Yogyakarta Theological College of Academic Year 2020/2021 is suspected to be in a strong category. Testing of hypotheses is performed using a regression significance test (F reg). Regression to each dimension of exogenous variables to endogenous variables to see how much contribution is generated in forming the Implementation serving the reporting of the word based on ll Timothy 4:1-5 for Students of SemesterS I and III at the College of Theology KADESI Yogyakarta Academic Year 2020/2021, then obtained as follows:

Contribution of Serving The News of The Word D1 to the Implementation of The Call to Serve Based on II Timothy 4:1-8 for Students of SemesterS I and III at kadesi Yogyakarta Theological College for the Academic Year 2020/2021

Table 3. Correlation Coefficient Test

Model Summary

Model	R	R Square	Adjusted R Square	Std. Error of the Estimate
1	,919^a	,844	,835	7,82589

a. Predictors: (Constant), Serving the Word

From the table above, it is known that the magnitude of the correlation coefficient (ry1) between Serving the Word News (D1) and the Implementation of the Call to Serve Based on Ll Timothy 4:1-8 for Students of SemesterS I and III at the Kadesi Yogyakarta Theological College of Theology Academic Year 2020/2021 (Y) amounted to 0.919 by having a positive relationship and influence in a very strong category. The magnitude of the coefficient of variance determination (r2x1) is 0.844 which means that Serving the Word News (D1) contributes to the Implementation of The Call to Serve Based on Ll Timothy 4:1-8 for Students of SemesterS I and III at the Kadesi Yogyakarta Theological College of Theology Academic Year 2020/2021 (Y) of 84.4%.

Table 4. Test Results F

ANOVA^a

Model		Sum of Squares	df	Mean Square	F	Sig.
1	Regression	5954,399	1	5954,399	97,223	,000[b]
	Residual	1102,401	18	61,244		
	Total	7056,800	19			

a. Dependent Variable: Implementation of Serving Calls Based on ll Timothy 4:1-8

b. Predictors: (Constant), Serving the Word

Table 5. Multiple Linear Regression Test Results)

Coefficients^a

Model		Unstandardized Coefficients		Standardized Coefficients	t	Sig.
		B	Std. Error	Beta		
1	(Constant)	14,418	15,009		,961	,349
	Serving the Word	3,873	,393	,919	9,860	,000

a. Dependent Variable: Implementation of Serving Calls Based on ll Timothy 4:1-8

To be able to predict the magnitude of the contribution of Serving the Word News (D1) with the Implementation of The Call to Serve Based on Ll Timothy 4:1-8 for Students of SemesterS I and III at the Kadesi Yogyakarta College of Theology For the Academic Year 2020/2021 (Y) obtained regression equation Y = b + b1D1, Y = 14.418 + 3.873D1 with a coefficient of F calculated at 97.223 and P-value of 0.000. This result shows that the regression equation is very significant or very meaningful so that it can be used to predict the relationship of variable improvement with regression equation Y = 2,870 + 2,616 D1 has the meaning that if Serving The Word News (D1) increases by one unit then the average implementation score on the Call of Serving Based on ll Timothy 4:1-8 for Students of SemesterS I and III at kadesi Yogyakarta Theological College of Academic Year 2020/2021 (Y)will Increased by 3,873 times from the current condition.

Data Interpretation

First, from the calculation of the validation test, the respondents' answer results from 39 items with pearson formula were declared 38 items valid items and 1 invalid item. Second, from the reliability test using SPSS 25 software with the Alpha formula of 38 questions stated 20 respondents / respondents were declared 100% valid as respondents with a reliability level of 0.971 located between 0.8 - 1 which means included in the criteria is very reliable. Third, from the test of normality variable X using SPSS 25 software with the formula Kolmogorof-Smirnov using SPSS 25 software expressed probability based on the table that for variables (Serving Word News) 0.123 has a value above significant α 0.05 means that variables D1 and Y are distributed normally and can be tested hypotheses using parametic rules.

Table 6. Hypothesis Discussion

Proposed hypothesis	Research Results
Implementation of Serving word reporting based on ll Timothy 4:1-5 for Students of SemesterS I and III at kadesi Theological College yogyakarta Academic Year 2020/2021 is in a very strong category.	Implementation of Serving word reporting based on ll Timothy 4:1-5 for Students of SemesterS I and III at kadesi Theological College Yogyakarta Academic Year 2020/2021 is in a very strong category.

RECOMMENDATIONS ON RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT

This research is expected to contribute to the development of science in Indonesia. Researchers hope that the Church and educational institutions can make this research a foundation for conducting services. This research can be developed by conducting the same research at different loci.

CONCLUSION

Based on the results of the research presented, the following conclusions were obtained on the hypothesis that the level of Implementation Tendency to Serve the news of the word based on ll Timothy 4:1-5 for Students of SemesterS I and III at the Kadesi Yogyakarta College of Theology Academic Year 2020/2021 on the criteria "Very Strong" was declared accepted. The magnitude of the correlation coefficient (ry1) between Serving The Word (D1) and the Implementation of The Call to Serve Based on Ll Timothy 4:1-8 for Students of SemesterS I and III at kadesi Yogyakarta Theological College of Academic Year 2020/2021

(Y) amounted to 0.919 by having a positive relationship and influence in a very strong category. The magnitude of the variance determination coefficient (r2x1) is 0.844 which means that D1 and Y contribute 84.4%. The magnitude of the contribution of Serving the Word News (D1) with the Implementation of the Call to Serve Based on II Timothy 4:1-8 for Students of SemesterS I and III at the Kadesi Yogyakarta Theological College for the Academic Year 2020/2021 (Y) obtained regression equations of Y = b + b1D1, Y = 14,418 + 3,873D1 with a coefficient of F count of 97,223 and P-value of 0.000. These results indicate that the regression equation is very significant or very meaningful.

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