INTRODUCTION TO 2 TIMOTHY

2 Timothy 1:1-5

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- 7. "The aim of our charge is <u>LOVE</u> that issues from a pure heart and a good conscience and a sincere faith." 1 Timothy 1:5
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