Faithful Men

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> **TEXT**
> 2 Timothy 2:2: "…the same commit thou to faithful men, who shall be able to teach others also."

> **THEME**
> The gospel reaches each generation through faithful men and women who pass on what they have heard, and God calls us to do the same with every means He gives us.

Introduction: A Son Comes Home

- Born in San Juan, Rizal; back at Navy Base for the first time since 1993
- The church began in 1968 in the Engle home, 55 Malvar Street, Aurora Hill

I. The Gospel Is Received: One Faithful Voice

- A boy in Abilene, Kansas, hears the gospel on a radio wired to a car battery, and is saved at age nine
- Moody Bible Institute: a burden for China
- 1944: a B-24 tail gunner prays over Corregidor for a church in the Philippines
- 1951: returns as a missionary, wanting people to pass from death into life
  John 5:24

II. The Gospel Is Understood: Evelyn's Story

- A correspondence course, *What the Bible Teaches*: a perfect score, but not yet saved
- Knowledge isn't salvation; a crisis brought her to see she was lost
- Saved on what seemed her deathbed; then Fred believed

III. The Gospel Is Passed On: The Living Room on Malvar Street

- Friends from PMA, Baguio Tech and government come to study the Bible

- The living room fills; a church is born
- The chain: radio preacher → Ken Engle → the Balanags → their friends → today's church 2 Timothy 2:2

IV. The Gospel Is Distinct: "I Have My God"

- A conversation on the plane: "my God and your God"
- God with a capital G versus gods with a small g; idols cannot save
- Only the true God sent His Son to die for us
- The eternal stakes: we don't want anyone to go into eternity without Christ

V. The Gospel Is Entrusted to You: Now It's Your Turn

- The first generation is mostly in heaven; we know where they are
- The young people here will carry the gospel to the next generation
- Our time is limited, but the gospel is a gift to be faithful with

VI. New Tools for an Old Message: The Messenger

- A website ministry in English, Tagalog and Ilocano (Cebuano coming)
- The Messenger audio Bible from In Touch Ministries: English and Tagalog Bible, 60 gospel messages, light, solar charging, AM radio
- Earned, not handed out: memorize 60 verses or complete the correspondence course
- Goal: ten, then a hundred, then a thousand, toward a million; $39 each
- The ask: pray, and help

Conclusion: Exceeding Abundantly

- God did far more than a young airman asked Ephesians 3:20–21
- He will finish what He started, in this church and in you Philippians 1:6
- Our part: be faithful, and pass it on

Closing Prayer

- For the Messenger program, the churches, and the Christian Brethren Assembly's witness in Baguio City, Benguet and the Mountain Province