



“The Marks of a True Veteran”

II Timothy 2:1-7

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Grounded
In grace (their mission)

II Timothy 2:1

**Thou therefore, my son, be strong
in the grace that is in Christ
Jesus.**

II Timothy 1:9

Who hath saved us, and called us with an holy calling, not according to our works, but according to his own purpose and grace, which was given us in Christ Jesus before the world began,

1 Peter 5:10-11

:10 But the God of all grace, who hath called us unto his eternal glory by Christ Jesus, after that ye have suffered a while, make you perfect, stablish, strengthen settle you.

:11 To him be glory and dominion for ever and ever. Amen.



Grounded

In grace (their mission)

In training

II Timothy 2:2

And the things that thou hast heard of me among many witnesses, the same commit thou to faithful men, who shall be able to teach others also.

1 Peter 1:13

Wherefore gird up the loins of your mind, be sober, and hope to the end for the grace that is to be brought unto you at the revelation of Jesus Christ;



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In grace (their mission)

In training

Endurance

Tough

II Timothy 2:3

**Thou therefore endure hardness,
as a good soldier of Jesus Christ.**

I Corinthians 9:25-26

:25 And every man that striveth for the mastery is temperate in all things. Now they do it to obtain a corruptible crown; but we an incorruptible.

:26 I therefore so run, not as uncertainly; so fight I, not as one that beateth the air:



Grounded

In grace (their mission)

In training

Endurance

Tough

Semper Fi (always faithful)

II Timothy 2:5

And if a man also strive for masteries, yet is he not crowned, except he strive lawfully.

Focused

Mission minded

II Timothy 2:4a


**No man that warreth entangleth
himself with the affairs of this life;
that he may please him who hath
chosen him to be a soldier.**

James 1:8

**A double minded man is unstable
in all his ways.**

Hebrews 12:1

Wherefore seeing we also are compassed about with so great a cloud of witnesses, let us lay aside every weight, and the sin which doth so easily beset us, and let us run with patience the race that is set before us,



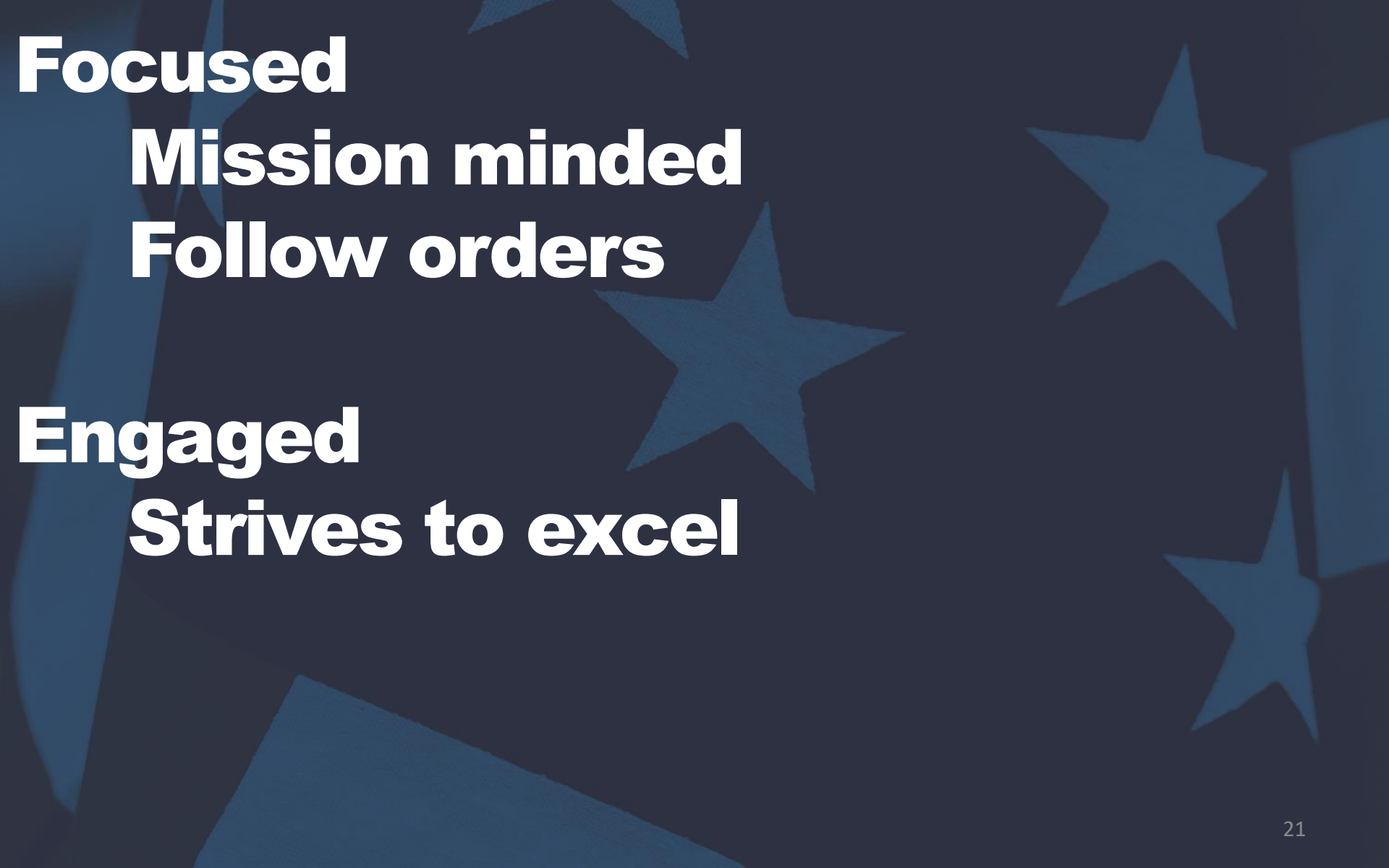
Focused
Mission minded
Follow orders

II Timothy 2:4b

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Hebrews 12:2

Looking unto Jesus the author and finisher of our faith; who for the joy that was set before him endured the cross, despising the shame, and is set down at the right hand of the throne of God.



Focused
Mission minded
Follow orders

Engaged
Strives to excel

II Timothy 2:5a

**And if a man also strive for
masteries, yet is he not crowned,
except he strive lawfully.**

I Corinthians 9:27

But I keep under my body, and bring it into subjection: lest that by any means, when I have preached to others, I myself should be a castaway.



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Mission minded

Follow orders

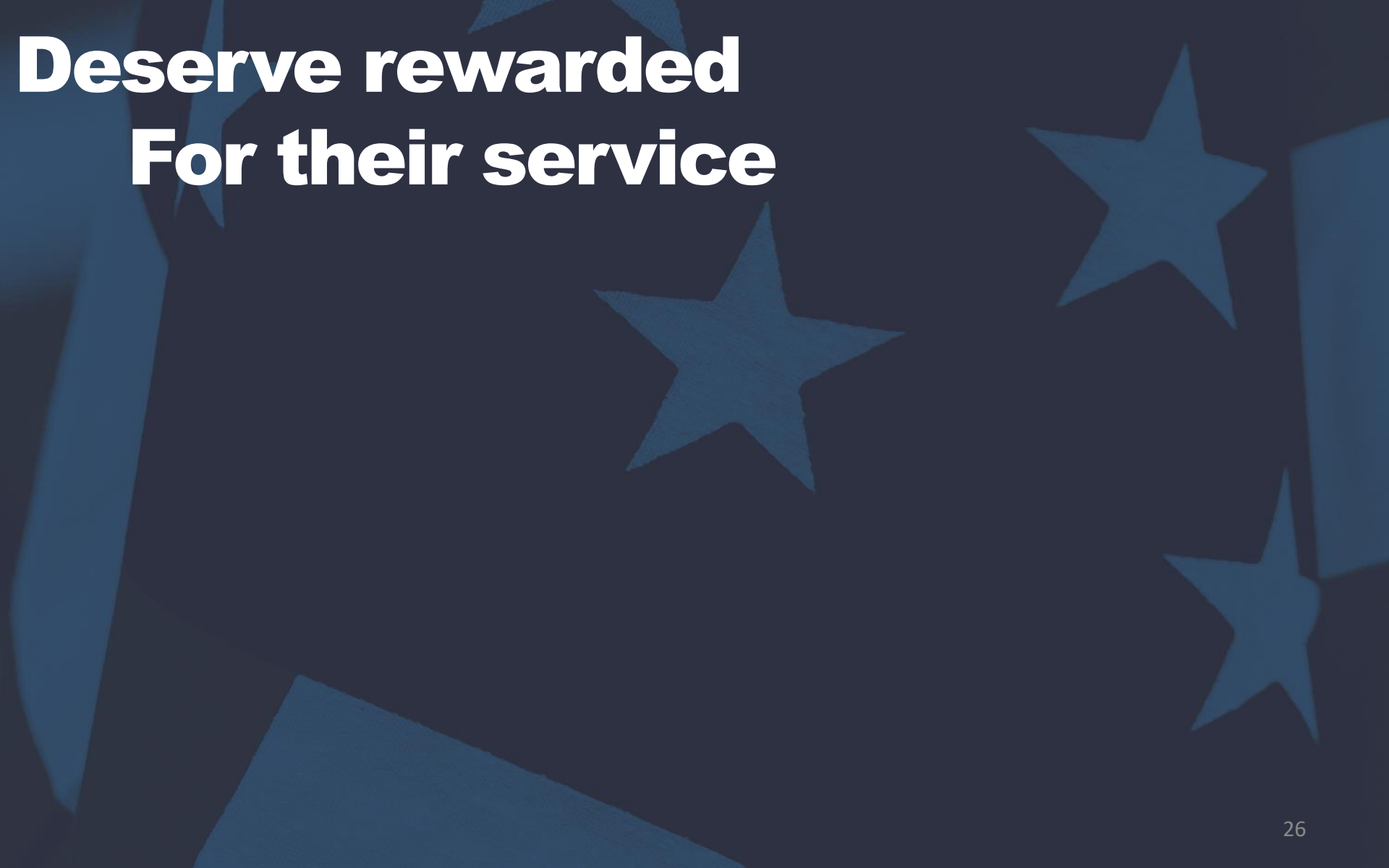
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II Timothy 2:5b

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**Deserve rewarded
For their service**

II Timothy 2:6

**The husbandman that laboureth
must be first partaker of the
fruits.**



**Deserve rewarded
For their service**

**Nostalgic
Consider it honorable**

II Timothy 2:7

**Consider what I say; and the Lord
give thee understanding in all
things.**

**Deserve rewarded
For their service**

**Nostalgic
Consider it honorable
Ever mindful of the challenge**

I Timothy 6:11-14

:11 But thou, O man of God, flee these things; and follow after righteousness, godliness, faith, love, patience, meekness.

:12 Fight the good fight of faith, lay hold on eternal life, whereunto thou art also called, and hast professed a good profession before many witnesses.

:13 I give thee charge in the sight of God, who quickeneth all things, and before Christ Jesus, who before Pontius Pilate witnessed a good confession;

:14 That thou keep this commandment without spot, unrebukeable, until the appearing of our Lord Jesus Christ: