

Studies in 1 Thessalonians: Part 2

Wed. Bible Study

1 Thessalonians 1:5-10

The Gospel

1. The Revelation of the Gospel v.5 “*came unto you*”

- A. Preaching “*in word*” (1Cor. 1:21, Titus 1:3)
- B. Power “*in power*” (Rom. 1:16, Jn. 1:12)
 - a. Supernatural Power “*the Holy Ghost*” (Rom. 15:19)
 - b. Signifying Power “*much assurance*” (2Tim. 3:14-15)
- C. Pattern “*manner of men we were*” (Col. 3:16, Eph. 6:15, 1Tim. 4:12)

2. The Response to the Gospel v.6 “*ye became*”

- A. Attended its Course “*followers*” (1Cor. 15:1, Jn. 12:35, 3Jn. 1:4)
- B. Accepted its Consequences “*much affliction*” (Jn. 15:20, 2Tim. 1:8, Mat. 5:10)
-*joyfully* “*joy of the Holy Ghost*” (Rom. 15:13)

3. The Relaying of the Gospel v.7-9a “*ensamples...sounded out*”

- A. Scope v.8 “*every place*” (2Cor. 4:3, Mat. 28:18-20)
- B. Sufficiency v.8-9a “*need not speak anything*” (Acts 20:27, 17:23)

4. Their “Rest” in the Gospel v.9-10 “*And to wait*”

- A. Submissively v.9 “*serve*” (Col. 3:24, Heb. 6:10, 1Cor. 15:58)
- B. Searchingly v.10 “*wait for his Son*” (Titus 2:11-15, 2Pet. 3:11-12)
- C. Securely v.10 “*delivered...from the wrath*” (1Thes.5:9, 2Cor.1:10)