

“Marks of The Lord’s Church”
1 Thessalonians 1:1-10
Part 8

Intro: Theme of the letter: Those who love Christ long for and anticipate His return.

1 Thess. 1:9-10; 2:17-19; 3:11-13; 4:13-18

1 Thess. 5:8-11; 5:23-24; 2 Thess. 1:9-10; 2:1-2

5) A true transformed life vs. 4-10

2 Cor. 5:17; Romans 6:4, 6, 13-14; Ezekiel 36:25-27

a) The gospel came in power and the Holy Spirit with full conviction vs. 4-5.

1 Thess. 1:6; 2:13; Romans 10:8-17; 1 Peter 1:22-25

Eph. 2:1-5, 8-10; 1 Cor. 1:17-18, 23-24; 2:1-5, 14

2 Cor. 4:20; Acts 16:14; Hebrews 10:22; James 1:16-18

Acts 2:36-38; John 16:7-11; Titus 3:5; 2 Cor. 1:12

1 Thess. 2:1-12; 2 Thess. 3:7-9

b) The work of sanctification started vs. 6a

Phil. 1:6; 1 Cor. 11:1; 2 Cor. 3:18; John 8:12

1 John 2:3-6; 3:2-3; Col. 3:5-10

Eph. 4:15, 17-24, 29-5:2; Matt. 16:24

c) There is a joy in the midst of tribulation vs. 6b

Acts 9:31; 13:52; 17:5; 1 John 1:4; 2:26; 5:13

Romans 15:13; James 1:2-4; 1 Peter 1:3-9

d) There is a behavior that worth following vs. 7

Phil. 3:17; 1 Thess. 2:13-14; 4:9-10; 2 Thess. 3:7-9

John 13:13-15; 2 Cor. 8:1-5

e) A faithfulness to proclaim the gospel vs. 8-9a

2 Thess. 1:4; 3:1; Isaiah 52:7 Romans 1:8

Romans 10:14-18; 16:19; 2 Cor. 2:14-17

f) A real redirection of ones whole life vs. 9b

Acts 3:19; 9:35; 11:20-21; Acts 26:16-20; Romans 2:4

Col. 1:13; 1 Peter 2:9; John 8:12; Matt. 16:16

Romans 6:5-6, 11-13, 16-18, 19-22; 7:4

g) A living in anticipation of the Lords return vs. 10

Job 19:25-27; Isaiah 25:8-9; Romans 2:4-6; Hebrews 9:28

Acts 1:11; Romans 8:18-25; 2 Tim. 4:8; 1 John 2:28-3:3

1 Cor. 1:4-8; Phil. 3:20-21; 1 Tim. 6:12-15

Titus 2:11-15; 1 Peter 1:6-7, 13