

# Devoted to PRAYER

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## **I. THE RESPONSE OF THE THESSALONIANS TO THE GOSPEL**

### A. 1 Thessalonians 2:13

1. You received it as the Word of God
2. It does its work in you

### B. 1 Thessalonians 1:9

1. Turned from idols
2. Turned to the service of God
3. Turned to an expectation of His coming

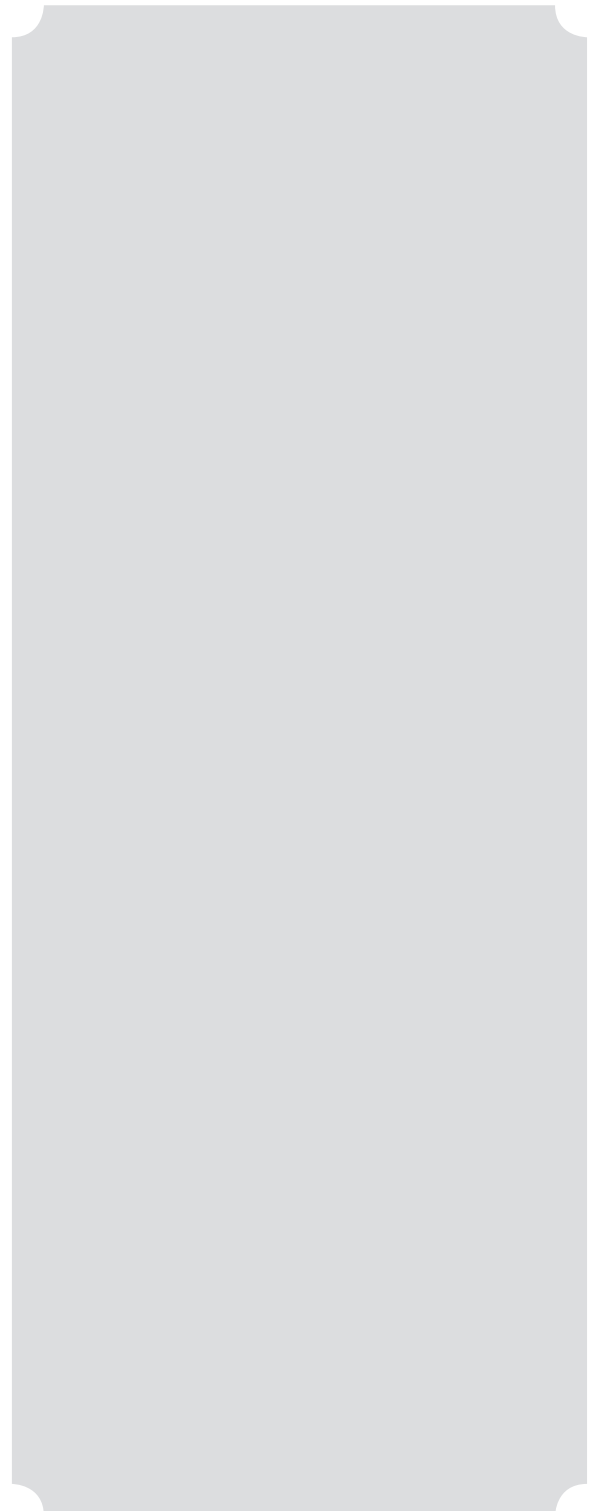
## **II. THE EXPERIENCE OF THE THESSALONIANS SINCE CONVERSION**

### A. Work of faith

### B. Labor of love

### C. Steadfastness of hope

### D. Opposition



### III. THE PRAYERS OF PAUL FOR THEM

A. Consistent - 2 Thessalonians 1:11

B. Overflowing

1. Book takes 5 minutes to read

2. Paul prays for them 6 times

C. Simple

1. Direct requests for the intervention of God

a. For His glory

b. For their well-being

D. First prayer - 2 Thessalonians 1:11-12

1. In light of the second coming

2. Counted worthy at His coming

3. Fulfilling

a. Every desire for good

b. Work of faith

4. Name of the Lord to be glorified

a. In you

b. You in Him