

2 Thessalonians 1:1–4

Why was this letter written to the Thessalonian church?

How did Paul greet the church?

Why did Paul thank God?

What did Paul brag about?

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I. Encouragement (Chapter 1)

A. Introduction (1:1–2)

B. The perseverance and growth of the church (1:3–4)

C. God's purposes in their afflictions (1:5–12)

II. Instruction (Chapter 2)

A. Things that must take place before the day of the Lord (2:1–3)

B. The man of lawlessness and his followers (2:4–12)

C. Encouragement for believers (2:13–17)

III. Correction (Chapter 3)

A. Encouragement and prayer (3:1–5)

B. Admonish the unruly (3:6–15)

C. Conclusion (3:16–18)