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The Revelation of the Lord Jesus from Heaven

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- ¹⁵ So then, brethren, stand firm and hold to the traditions which you were taught, whether by word of mouth or by letter from us.
- Philippians 1:27; 4:1; 1 Corinthians 16:13
- Mark 7:1–13
- 2 Thessalonians 2:2
- 2 Timothy 2:2; 1 Corinthians 15:3–4; Philippians 4:9 Deuteronomy 6:6–7

2 Thessalonians 2:16

¹⁶ Now may our Lord Jesus Christ Himself and God our Father, who has loved us and given us eternal comfort and good hope by grace... ¹⁶ Now may our Lord Jesus Christ Himself and God our Father... ¹⁷ comfort and strengthen your hearts in every good work and word.