[1:1] Paul,G3972 andG2532 Silvanus,G4610 andG2532 Timotheus,G5095 unto theG3588 churchG1577 of the ThessaloniansG2331 *which is* inG1722 GodG2316 the FatherG3962 andG2532 *in* the LordG2962 JesusG2424 Christ:G5547 GraceG5485 *be* unto you,G5213 andG2532 peace,G1515 fromG575 GodG2316 ourG2257 Father,G3962 andG2532 the LordG2962 JesusG2424 Christ.G5547

[1:2] We give thanksG2168 to GodG2316 alwaysG3842 forG4012 youG5216 all,G3956 makingG4160 mentionG3417 of youG5216 inG1909 ourG2257 prayers;G4335

[1:3] RememberingG3421 without ceasingG89 yourG5216 workG2041 of faith,G4102 andG2532 labourG2873 of love,G26 andG2532 patienceG5281 of hopeG1680 in ourG2257 LordG2962 JesusG2424 Christ,G5547 in the sightG1715 of GodG2316 andG2532 ourG2257 Father;G3962

[1:4] Knowing,G1492 brethrenG80 beloved,G25 yourG5216 electionG1589 ofG5259 God.G2316

[1:5] ForG3754 ourG2257 gospelG2098 cameG1096 notG3756 untoG1519 youG5209 inG1722 wordG3056 only,G3440 butG235 alsoG2532 inG1722 power,G1411 andG2532 inG1722 the HolyG40 Ghost,G4151 andG2532 inG1722 muchG4183 assurance;G4136 asG2531 ye knowG1492 what manner of menG3634 we wereG1096 amongG1722 youG5213 for your sake.G1223 G5209

[1:6] AndG2532 yeG5210 becameG1096 followersG3402 of us,G2257 andG2532 of theG3588 Lord,G2962 having receivedG1209 theG3588 wordG3056 inG1722 muchG4183 affliction,G2347 withG3326 joyG5479 of the HolyG40 Ghost:G4151

[1:7] So thatG5620 yeG5209 wereG1096 ensamplesG5179 to allG3956 that believeG4100 inG1722 MacedoniaG3109 andG2532 Achaia.G882

[1:8] ForG1063 fromG575 youG5216 sounded outG1837 theG3588 wordG3056 of theG3588 LordG2962 notG3756 onlyG3440 inG1722 MacedoniaG3109 andG2532 Achaia,G882 butG235 alsoG2532 inG1722 everyG3956 placeG5117 yourG5216 faithG4102 toG4314 God-wardG2316 is spread abroad;G1831 so thatG5620 weG2248 needG2192 G5532 notG3361 to speakG2980 any thing.G5100

[1:9] ForG1063 theyG846 themselves shewG518 ofG4012 usG2257 what mannerG3697 of entering inG1529 we hadG2192 untoG4314 you,G5209 andG2532 howG4459 ye turnedG1994 toG4314 GodG2316 fromG575 idolsG1497 to serveG1398 the livingG2198 andG2532 trueG228 God;G2316

[1:10] AndG2532 to wait forG362 hisG846 SonG5207 fromG1537 heaven,G3772 whomG3739 he raisedG1453 fromG1537 the dead,G3498 *even* Jesus,G2424 which deliveredG4506 usG2248 fromG575 theG3588 wrathG3709 to come.G2064

[2:1] ForG1063 yourselves,G846 brethren,G80 knowG1492 ourG2257 entrance inG1529 untoG4314 you,G5209 thatG3754 it wasG1096 notG3756 in vain:G2756

[2:2] ButG235 evenG2532 after that we had suffered before,G4310 andG2532 were shamefully entreated,G5195 asG2531 ye know,G1492 atG1722 Philippi,G5375 we were boldG3955 inG1722 ourG2257 GodG2316 to speakG2980 untoG4314 youG5209 theG3588 gospelG2098 of GodG2316 withG1722 muchG4183 contention.G73

[2:3] ForG1063 ourG2257 exhortationG3874 *was* notG3756 ofG1537 deceit,G4106 norG3761 ofG1537 uncleanness,G167 norG3777 inG1722 guile:G1388

[2:4] ButG235 asG2531 we were allowedG1381 ofG5259 GodG2316 to be put in trustG4100 with theG3588 gospel,G2098 even soG3779 we speak;G2980 notG3756 asG5613 pleasingG700 men,G444 butG235 God,G2316 which triethG1381 ourG2257 hearts.G2588

[2:5] ForG1063 neitherG3777 at any timeG4218 used we flattering words,G1096 G1722 G3056 G2850 asG2531 ye know,G1492 norG3777 a clokeG4392 of covetousness;G4124 GodG2316 *is* witness:G3144

[2:6] NorG3777 ofG1537 menG444 soughtG2212 we glory,G1391 neitherG3777 ofG575 you,G5216 norG3777 *yet* ofG575 others,G243 when we mightG1410 have beenG1511 burdensome,G1722 G922 asG5613 the apostlesG652 of Christ.G5547

[2:7] ButG235 we wereG1096 gentleG2261 amongG1722 G3319 you,G5216 even asG5613 G302 a nurseG5162 cherishethG2282 herG1438 children:G5043

[2:8] SoG3779 being affectionately desirousG2442 of you,G5216 we were willingG2106 to have impartedG3330 unto you,G5213 notG3756 theG3588 gospelG2098 of GodG2316 only,G3440 butG235 alsoG2532 our ownG1438 souls,G5590 becauseG1360 ye wereG1096 dearG27 unto us.G2254

[2:9] ForG1063 ye remember,G3421 brethren,G80 ourG2257 labourG2873 andG2532 travail:G3449 forG1063 labouringG2038 nightG3571 andG2532 day,G2250 because we would notG3361 be chargeableG1912 unto anyG5100 of you,G5216 we preachedG2784 untoG1519 youG5209 theG3588 gospelG2098 of God.G2316

[2:10] YeG5210 *are* witnesses,G3144 andG2532 GodG2316 *also,* howG5613 holilyG3743 andG2532 justlyG1346 andG2532 unblameablyG274 we behaved ourselvesG1096 among youG5213 that believe:G4100

[2:11] AsG2509 ye knowG1492 howG5613 we exhortedG3870 (G5209) andG2532 comfortedG3888 andG2532 chargedG3140 everyG1538 oneG1520 of you,G5216 asG5613 a fatherG3962 *doth* hisG1438 children,G5043

[2:12] That yeG5209 would walkG4043 worthyG516 of God,G2316 who hath calledG2564 youG5209 untoG1519 hisG1438 kingdomG932 andG2532 glory.G1391

[2:13] For this causeG1223 G5124 alsoG2532 thankG2168 weG2249 GodG2316 without ceasing,G89 because,G3754 when ye receivedG3880 the wordG3056 of GodG2316 which ye heardG189 ofG3844 us,G2257 ye receivedG1209 *it* notG3756 *as* the wordG3056 of men,G444 butG235 asG2531 it isG2076 in truth,G230 the wordG3056 of God,G2316 whichG3739 effectually workethG1754 alsoG2532 inG1722 youG5213 that believe.G4100

[2:14] ForG1063 ye,G5210 brethren,G80 becameG1096 followersG3402 of theG3588 churchesG1577 of GodG2316 which inG1722 JudaeaG2449 areG5607 inG1722 ChristG5547 Jesus:G2424 forG3754 yeG5210 alsoG2532 have sufferedG3958 like thingsG5024 ofG5259 your ownG2398 countrymen,G4853 even asG2531 theyG846 *have*(G2532) ofG5259 theG3588 Jews:G2453

[2:15] Who both killedG615 G2532 theG3588 LordG2962 Jesus,G2424 andG2532 their ownG2398 prophets,G4396 andG2532 have persecutedG1559 us;G2248 andG2532 they pleaseG700 notG3361 God,G2316 andG2532 are contraryG1727 to allG3956 men:G444

[2:16] ForbiddingG2967 usG2248 to speakG2980 to theG3588 GentilesG1484 thatG2443 they might be saved,G4982 to fill upG378 theirG848 sinsG266 alway:G3842 forG1161 theG3588 wrathG3709 is comeG5348 uponG1909 themG846 toG1519 the uttermost.G5056

[2:17] ButG1161 we,G2249 brethren,G80 being takenG642 fromG575 youG5216 forG4314 a short timeG5610 G2540 in presence,G4383 notG3756 in heart,G2588 endeavouredG4704 the more abundantlyG4056 to seeG1492 yourG5216 faceG4383 withG1722 greatG4183 desire.G1939

[2:18] WhereforeG1352 we wouldG2309 have comeG2064 untoG4314 you,G5209 evenG3303 IG1473 Paul,G3972 (G2532) once and again;G530 G2532 G1364 butG2532 SatanG4567 hinderedG1465 us.G2248

[2:19] ForG1063 whatG5101 *is* ourG2257 hope,G1680 orG2228 joy,G5479 orG2228 crownG4735 of rejoicing?G2746 *Are*(G2228) notG3780 evenG2532 yeG5210 in the presenceG1715 of ourG2257 LordG2962 JesusG2424 ChristG5547 atG1722 hisG846 coming?G3952

[2:20] ForG1063 yeG5210 areG2075 ourG2257 gloryG1391 andG2532 joy.G5479

[3:1] WhereforeG1352 when we could no longerG3371 forbear,G4722 we thought it goodG2106 to be leftG2641 atG1722 AthensG116 alone;G3441

[3:2] AndG2532 sentG3992 Timotheus,G5095 ourG2257 brother,G80 andG2532 ministerG1249 of God,G2316 andG2532 ourG2257 fellowlabourerG4904 inG1722 theG3588 gospelG2098 of Christ,G5547 to establishG4741 you,G5209 andG2532 to comfortG3870 youG5209 concerningG4012 yourG5216 faith:G4102

[3:3] That no manG3367 should be movedG4525 byG1722 theseG5025 afflictions:G2347 forG1063 yourselvesG846 knowG1492 thatG3754 we are appointedG2749 thereunto.G1519 G5124

[3:4] ForG1063 verily,G2532 whenG3753 we wereG2258 withG4314 you,G5209 we told you beforeG4302 G5213 thatG3754 we shouldG3195 suffer tribulation;G2346 evenG2532 asG2531 it came to pass,G1096 andG2532 ye know.G1492

[3:5] For this cause,G1223 G5124 when IG2504 could no longerG3371 forbear,G4722 I sentG3992 to knowG1097 yourG5216 faith,G4102 lest by some meansG3381 theG3588 tempterG3985 have temptedG3985 you,G5209 andG2532 ourG2257 labourG2873 beG1096 inG1519 vain.G2756

[3:6] ButG1161 nowG737 when TimotheusG5095 cameG2064 fromG575 youG5216 untoG4314 us,G2248 andG2532 brought us good tidingsG2097 G2254 of yourG5216 faithG4102 andG2532 charity,G26 andG2532 thatG3754 ye haveG2192 goodG18 remembranceG3417 of usG2257 always,G3842 desiring greatlyG1971 to seeG1492 us,G2248 asG2509 weG2249 alsoG2532 *to see* you:G5209

[3:7] Therefore,G1223 G5124 brethren,G80 we were comfortedG3870 overG1909 youG5213 inG1909 allG3956 ourG2257 afflictionG2347 andG2532 distressG318 byG1223 yourG5216 faith:G4102

[3:8] ForG3754 nowG3568 we live,G2198 ifG1437 yeG5210 stand fastG4739 inG1722 the Lord.G2962

[3:9] ForG1063 whatG5101 thanksG2169 canG1410 we render to God againG467 G2316 forG4012 you,G5216 forG1909 allG3956 theG3588 joyG5479 wherewithG3739 we joyG5463 for your sakesG1223 G5209 beforeG1715 ourG2257 God;G2316

[3:10] NightG3571 andG2532 dayG2250 prayingG1189 exceedinglyG5228 G1537 G4053 that we might seeG1492 yourG5216 face,G4383 andG2532 might perfectG2675 that which is lackingG5303 in yourG5216 faith?G4102

[3:11] NowG1161 GodG2316 himselfG846 andG2532 ourG2257 Father,G3962 andG2532 ourG2257 LordG2962 JesusG2424 Christ,G5547 directG2720 ourG2257 wayG3598 untoG4314 you.G5209

[3:12] AndG1161 theG3588 LordG2962 make you to increaseG4121 G5209 andG2532 aboundG4052 in loveG26 one toward another,G240 G1519 andG2532 towardG1519 allG3956 *men,* evenG2532 asG2509 weG2249 *do* towardG1519 you:G5209

[3:13] To the end he may stablishG4741 yourG5216 heartsG2588 unblameableG273 inG1722 holinessG42 beforeG1715 God,G2316 evenG2532 ourG2257 Father,G3962 atG1722 theG3588 comingG3952 of ourG2257 LordG2962 JesusG2424 ChristG5547 withG3326 allG3956 hisG846 saints.G40

[4:1] FurthermoreG3063 thenG3767 we beseechG2065 you,G5209 brethren,G80 andG2532 exhortG3870 *you* byG1722 the LordG2962 Jesus,G2424 that asG2531 ye have receivedG3880 ofG3844 usG2257 howG4459 yeG5209 oughtG1163 to walkG4043 andG2532 to pleaseG700 God,G2316 *so* ye would(G2443) aboundG4052 more and more.G3123

[4:2] ForG1063 ye knowG1492 whatG5101 commandmentsG3852 we gaveG1325 youG5213 byG1223 theG3588 LordG2962 Jesus.G2424

[4:3] ForG1063 thisG5124 isG2076 the willG2307 of God,G2316 *even* yourG5216 sanctification,G38 that yeG5209 should abstainG567 fromG575 fornication:G4202

[4:4] That every oneG1538 of youG5216 should knowG1492 how to possessG2932 hisG1438 vesselG4632 inG1722 sanctificationG38 andG2532 honour;G5092

[4:5] NotG3361 inG1722 the lustG3806 of concupiscence,G1939 evenG2532 asG2509 theG3588 GentilesG1484 which knowG1492 notG3361 God:G2316

[4:6] That noG3361 *man* go beyondG5233 andG2532 defraudG4122 hisG848 brotherG80 inG1722 *any* matter:G4229 because thatG1360 theG3588 LordG2962 *is* the avengerG1558 ofG4012 allG3956 such,G5130 asG2531 we alsoG2532 have forewarnedG4277 youG5213 andG2532 testified.G1263

[4:7] ForG1063 GodG2316 hath notG3756 calledG2564 usG2248 untoG1909 uncleanness,G167 butG235 untoG1722 holiness.G38

[4:8] He therefore that despiseth,G114 G5105 despisethG114 notG3756 man,G444 butG235 God,G2316 who hath also givenG1325 G2532 untoG1519 usG2248 hisG848 holyG40 Spirit.G4151

[4:9] ButG1161 as touchingG4012 brotherly loveG5360 ye needG2192 G5532 notG3756 that I writeG1125 unto you:G5213 forG1063 yeG5210 yourselvesG846 areG2075 taught of GodG2312 toG1519 loveG25 one another.G240

[4:10] AndG1063 indeedG2532 ye doG4160 itG846 towardG1519 allG3956 theG3588 brethrenG80 whichG3588 are inG1722 allG3650 Macedonia:G3109 butG1161 we beseechG3870 you,G5209 brethren,G80 that ye increaseG4052 more and more;G3123

[4:11] AndG2532 that ye studyG5389 to be quiet,G2270 andG2532 to do your own business,G4238 G2398 andG2532 to workG2038 with yourG5216 ownG2398 hands,G5495 asG2531 we commandedG3853 you;G5213

[4:12] ThatG2443 ye may walkG4043 honestlyG2156 towardG4314 them that are without,G1854 andG2532 *that* ye may haveG2192 lackG5532 of nothing.G3367

[4:13] ButG1161 I wouldG2309 notG3756 have youG5209 to be ignorant,G50 brethren,G80 concerningG4012 them which are asleep,G2837 thatG2443 ye sorrowG3076 not,G3361 evenG2532 asG2531 othersG3062 which haveG2192 noG3361 hope.G1680

[4:14] ForG1063 ifG1487 we believeG4100 thatG3754 JesusG2424 diedG599 andG2532 rose again,G450 even soG3779 them also which sleepG2837 G2532 inG1223 JesusG2424 will GodG2316 bringG71 withG4862 him.G846

[4:15] ForG1063 thisG5124 we sayG3004 unto youG5213 byG1722 the wordG3056 of the Lord,G2962 thatG3754 weG2249 which are aliveG2198 *and* remainG4035 untoG1519 theG3588 comingG3952 of theG3588 LordG2962 shall notG3364 preventG5348 them which are asleep.G2837

[4:16] ForG3754 theG3588 LordG2962 himselfG846 shall descendG2597 fromG575 heavenG3772 withG1722 a shout,G2752 withG1722 the voiceG5456 of the archangel,G743 andG2532 withG1722 the trumpG4536 of God:G2316 andG2532 theG3588 deadG3498 inG1722 ChristG5547 shall riseG450 first:G4412

[4:17] ThenG1899 weG2249 which are aliveG2198 *and* remainG4035 shall be caught upG726 togetherG260 withG4862 themG846 inG1722 the clouds,G3507 to meetG1519 G529 theG3588 LordG2962 inG1519 the air:G109 andG2532 soG3779 shall we everG3842 beG2071 withG4862 the Lord.G2962

[4:18] WhereforeG5620 comfortG3870 one anotherG240 withG1722 theseG5125 words.G3056

[5:1] ButG1161 ofG4012 theG3588 timesG5550 andG2532 theG3588 seasons,G2540 brethren,G80 ye haveG2192 noG3756 needG5532 that I writeG1125 unto you.G5213

[5:2] ForG1063 yourselvesG846 knowG1492 perfectlyG199 thatG3754 theG3588 dayG2250 of the LordG2962 soG3779 comethG2064 asG5613 a thiefG2812 inG1722 the night.G3571

[5:3] ForG1063 whenG3752 they shall say,G3004 PeaceG1515 andG2532 safety;G803 thenG5119 suddenG160 destructionG3639 cometh uponG2186 them,G846 asG5618 travailG5604 upon a woman with child;G2192 G1722 G1064 andG2532 they shall notG3364 escape.G1628

[5:4] ButG1161 ye,G5210 brethren,G80 areG2075 notG3756 inG1722 darkness,G4655 thatG2443 that dayG2250 should overtakeG2638 youG5209 asG5613 a thief.G2812

[5:5] YeG5210 areG2075 allG3956 the childrenG5207 of light,G5457 andG2532 the childrenG5207 of the day:G2250 we areG2070 notG3756 of the night,G3571 norG3761 of darkness.G4655

[5:6] ThereforeG686 G3767 let us notG3361 sleep,G2518 asG5613 *do*(G2532) others;G3062 butG235 let us watchG1127 andG2532 be sober.G3525

[5:7] ForG1063 they that sleepG2518 sleepG2518 in the night;G3571 andG2532 they that be drunkenG3182 are drunkenG3184 in the night.G3571

[5:8] ButG1161 let us,G2249 who areG5607 of the day,G2250 be sober,G3525 putting onG1746 the breastplateG2382 of faithG4102 andG2532 love;G26 andG2532 for an helmet,G4030 the hopeG1680 of salvation.G4991

[5:9] ForG3754 GodG2316 hath notG3756 appointedG5087 usG2248 toG1519 wrath,G3709 butG235 to obtainG1519 G4047 salvationG4991 byG1223 ourG2257 LordG2962 JesusG2424 Christ,G5547

[5:10] Who diedG599 forG5228 us,G2257 that,G2443 whetherG1535 we wakeG1127 orG1535 sleep,G2518 we should liveG2198 togetherG260 withG4862 him.G846

[5:11] WhereforeG1352 comfortG3870 yourselves together,G240 andG2532 edifyG3618 one another,G1520 G1520 even asG2531 alsoG2532 ye do.G4160

[5:12] AndG1161 we beseechG2065 you,G5209 brethren,G80 to knowG1492 them which labourG2872 amongG1722 you,G5213 andG2532 are overG4291 youG5216 inG1722 the Lord,G2962 andG2532 admonishG3560 you;G5209

[5:13] AndG2532 to esteemG2233 themG846 very highlyG5228 G1537 G4053 inG1722 loveG26 for their work's sake.G1223 G846 G2041 *And* be at peaceG1514 amongG1722 yourselves.G1438

[5:14] NowG1161 we exhortG3870 you,G5209 brethren,G80 warnG3560 them that are unruly,G813 comfortG3888 theG3588 feebleminded,G3642 supportG472 theG3588 weak,G772 be patientG3114 towardG4314 allG3956 *men.*

[5:15] SeeG3708 that noneG5100 G3361 renderG591 evilG2556 forG473 evilG2556 unto anyG5100 *man;* butG235 everG3842 followG1377 that which is good,G18 bothG2532 amongG1519 yourselves,G240 andG2532 toG1519 allG3956 *men.*

[5:16] RejoiceG5463 evermore.G3842

[5:17] PrayG4336 without ceasing.G89

[5:18] InG1722 every thingG3956 give thanks:G2168 forG1063 thisG5124 is the willG2307 of GodG2316 inG1722 ChristG5547 JesusG2424 concerningG1519 you.G5209

[5:19] QuenchG4570 notG3361 theG3588 Spirit.G4151

[5:20] DespiseG1848 notG3361 prophesyings.G4394

[5:21] ProveG1381 all things;G3956 hold fastG2722 that which is good.G2570

[5:22] AbstainG567 fromG575 allG3956 appearanceG1491 of evil.G4190

[5:23] AndG1161 theG3588 veryG846 GodG2316 of peaceG1515 sanctifyG37 youG5209 wholly;G3651 andG2532 *I pray God* yourG5216 wholeG3648 spiritG4151 andG2532 soulG5590 andG2532 bodyG4983 be preservedG5083 blamelessG274 untoG1722 theG3588 comingG3952 of ourG2257 LordG2962 JesusG2424 Christ.G5547

[5:24] FaithfulG4103 *is* he that callethG2564 you,G5209 whoG3739 alsoG2532 will doG4160 *it.*

[5:25] Brethren,G80 prayG4336 forG4012 us.G2257

[5:26] GreetG782 allG3956 theG3588 brethrenG80 withG1722 an holyG40 kiss.G5370

[5:27] I chargeG3726 youG5209 by theG3588 LordG2962 that this epistleG1992 be readG314 unto allG3956 theG3588 holyG40 brethren.G80

[5:28] TheG3588 graceG5485 of ourG2257 LordG2962 JesusG2424 ChristG5547 *be* withG3326 you.G5216 Amen.G281 The first epistle to the Thessalonians was written from Athens.