



1 THESSALONIANS: UNSHAKEN IN UNCERTAIN TIMES

“Being Pleasing to the Lord”

1 Thessalonians 4:1-12

March 7, 2021 AM Service

1. Be Pleasing to God by how you live Vs 1

Why? We’ve been commanded to Vs 2 1 John 2:4-6c

2. Be Pure Vs 3-8

A. Avoid impurity Vs 3

1 Corinthians 6:18; 2 Timothy 2:22; 1 Peter 2:11

B. Control your body – be holy and honorable Vs 4-5

1 Corinthians 6:19-20; Romans 6:13; 19

C. Respect Others Don’t wrong your brother – Vs 6a

Matthew 18:6-7

Why? Vs 6b-8

A. God’s ruling (warning) - discipline is certain Vs 6b

Hebrews 13:4

B. God’s reason Vs 7

2 Corinthians 7:1; 2 Timothy 2:21; 1 Peter 1:14-16

C. God’s reminder about rejection Vs 8

3. Be Loving Vs 9-10

1 Peter 1:22; 4:8; 1 John 2:21

Why? Those who are lost would see our love for one another

John 13:34-35

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You're already doing it – love even more – greater deeper

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4. Be Diligent Vs 11-12

A. Live a peaceful life Vs 11a 1 Timothy 2:2-3

B. Attend to you own business Vs 11b

2 Thessalonians 3:11-12 Peter 4:15

C. Act Work hard Vs 11c Ephesians 4:28

D. Don't be overly dependent on others Vs 12b

Why? Those who are lost would see Christ in us Vs 12a

Colossians 4:5; 1 Peter 2:12; Philippians 2:15-16