2 Thessalonians 2

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Study Questions

- What three things did Paul say the Thessalonians should not be shaken in mind or troubled by? (v. 2)
- What two things must take place before the day of Christ (Day of the Lord) can come? (v. 3)
- What are the activities regarding this man of sin? (v. 4, 9-10)
- What is the force that "lets" or restrains the activities of the antichrist? (v. 7)
- What does this chapter say regarding the doom of the man of sin? (v. 8)
- What are the reasons given shy God sends some people a strong delusion that they should believe a lie? (v. 10-12)
- What are the only two things a person can believe (v. 11-12)
- Salvation is through what? (v. 13)
- What kind of traditions were they encouraged to stand fast and hold? (v. 15)

Background

- The missionaries involved are Paul, Silas and Timothy
- Written to the new church at Thessalonica around AD 51
- Background for the start of the Thessalonian church is in Acts 16-17
- Chapter 1 Paul thanks God and encourages the new church in standing against persecution

"The ultimate measure of a man is not where he stands in moments of comfort and convenience, but where he stands at times of challenge and controversy

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Verse 2

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Verse 3

What is the force that restrains the activities of the antichrist?

Verse 7

What are the reasons give why God sends some people a strong delusion that they should believe a lie?

Verses 10-12

Key Takeaways from verse 15

- Stand Firm
- Hold on to the truth
- Bonus from verse 21
 - Test everything
 - hold fast what is good