



²We give thanks to God always for
all of you, constantly mentioning
you in our prayers, ³remembering
before our God and Father your
work of faith and labor of love and
steadfastness of hope in our Lord

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Jesus Christ. ⁴For we know,
brothers loved by God, that he has
chosen you, ⁵because our gospel
came to you not only in word, but
also in power and in the Holy Spirit
and with full conviction. You know
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what kind of men we proved to be among you for your sake. ⁶And you became imitators of us and of the Lord, for you received the word in much affliction, with the joy of the Holy Spirit, ⁷so that you became an

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example to all the believers in
Macedonia and in Achaia. ⁸For not
only has the word of the Lord
sounded forth from you in
Macedonia and Achaia, but your
faith in God has gone forth

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everywhere, so that we need not say anything. ⁹For they themselves report concerning us the kind of reception we had among you, and how you turned to God from idols to serve the living and true God,

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¹⁰and to wait for his Son from
heaven, whom he raised from the
dead, Jesus who delivers us from
the wrath to come.

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