

A STUDY OF
1 & 2 THESSALONIANS

INCREASE ASSURANCE

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INTRODUCTION



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OUR VISION:

To raise up anointed disciple-makers who are empowered to change their world for Christ.

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**2022 - OUR YEAR OF
SUPERNATURAL INCREASE**



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Genesis 26:12 (ESV)

12 And Isaac sowed in that land and reaped in the same year a hundredfold. The Lord blessed him,



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DO YOU HAVE
A RELATIONSHIP WITH GOD?

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IS GOD YOU FATHER
AND JESUS YOUR LORD?



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2 Thessalonians 1:1–2 (ESV)

1 Paul, Silvanus, and Timothy, To the church of the Thessalonians in **God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ:**

2 Grace to you and peace from God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ.



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IS THE HOLY SPIRIT
WITNESSING WITHIN YOU?

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Romans 8:16 (ESV)

16 The Spirit himself bears witness with our spirit that we are children of God,



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ARE YOU GROWING
IN CHRIST?



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IS YOUR FAITH
IN GOD GROWING?

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2 Thessalonians 1:3a (ESV)

3 We ought always to give thanks to God for you, brothers, as is right, because your faith is growing abundantly, ...



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IS YOUR LOVE
FOR BELIEVERS GROWING?



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2 Thessalonians 1:3b (ESV)

3 ..., and the love of every one of you for one another is increasing.



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IS YOUR DESIRE
FOR RIGHTEOUSNESS GROWING?



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2 Thessalonians 1:5 (ESV)

5 This is evidence of the righteous judgment of God, that you may be considered worthy of the kingdom of God, for which you are also suffering—

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1 Thessalonians 4:1 (ESV)

1 As for other matters, brothers and sisters, we instructed you how to live in order to please God, as in fact you are living. Now we ask you and urge you in the Lord Jesus to do this more and more.

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ARE YOU STEADFAST
UNDER AFFLICTION
AND PERSECUTION?



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2 Thessalonians 1:4 (ESV)

4 Therefore we ourselves boast about you in the churches of God for your steadfastness and faith in all your persecutions and in the afflictions that you are enduring



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**HOW DO YOU REMAIN
STEADFAST IN AFFLICTION
TO THE END?**

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UNDERSTAND THAT
GOD WILL PUNISH THOSE
WHO AFFLICT YOU

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2 Thessalonians 1:6 (ESV)

6 since indeed God considers it just to repay with affliction those who afflict you,

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GOD WILL RELIEF YOU
OF YOUR AFFLICTION.

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2 Thessalonians 1:7 (ESV)

7 and to grant relief to you who are afflicted as well as to us, when the Lord Jesus is revealed from heaven with his mighty angels

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UNDERSTAND THAT
UNBELIEVERS WILL SUFFER
FOREVER IN HELL

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2 Thessalonians 1:8-9 (ESV)

8 in flaming fire, inflicting vengeance on those who do not know God and on those who do not obey the gospel of our Lord Jesus. 9 They will suffer the punishment of eternal destruction, away from the presence of the Lord and from the glory of his might,



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UNDERSTAND THAT
BELIEVERS WILL BE
GLORIFIED IN CHRIST



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2 Thessalonians 1:1–2 (ESV)

10 when he comes on that day to be glorified in his saints, and to be marveled at among all who have believed, because our testimony to you was believed.

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CONCLUSION

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2 Thessalonians 1:11-12 (ESV)

11 To this end we always pray for you, that our God may make you worthy of his calling and may fulfill every resolve for good and every work of faith by his power, 12 so that the name of our Lord Jesus may be glorified in you, and you in him, according to the grace of our God and the Lord Jesus Christ.

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