

# **Studies in 1 Thessalonians: Part Four**

*Wed. Bible Study*

## **Chapter 2:13-20**

### **1. Recognizing Scriptures v.13 “*received the word*”**

**A. Source of the Scriptures** “*word of God*” (2Tim. 3:16-17, 2Pet. 1:19-21)

**B. Strength of the Scriptures** “*worketh in you*”(Jer. 15:16, Mat. 4:4, 1Tim. 4:6, 1Pet. 2:2)

### **2. Reviled Saints v.14-16 “*persecuted us*” (Ps. 119:161)**

**A. Depth v.14-15** “*Jesus, prophets, apostles, all men*”(Jn. 15:18, Mt. 5:12, Acts 7:51-52, 5:12-18 )

**B. Displeasure v. 15** “*please not God*”(Heb. 11:6, Ps. 60:1-3)

**C. Deterrence v.16** “*Forbidding us to speak*” (Acts 13:42-45, 14:1-2)

**D. Danger v.16** “*wrath is come*”(Gen. 15:16, Mat. 23:29-32)

### **3. Reunion Stopped v. 17-18 “*endeavoured to see your face*”**

**A. Desire For Reunion v.17** “*great desire*” (Lk. 22:14-16, Phil. 1:23)

**B. Deviled Foiled Reunion v.18** “*Satan hindered us*” (Mk. 4:35-41)

### **4. Rewarded Service v.19-20 “*at his coming*”**

**A. Secured v.19** “*hope*” (1Cor. 9:24-27)

**B. Satisfactory v.20** “*our glory and joy*” (Heb. 10:34, 12:2)