

# 1 Thessalonians Series

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**Delivered From the  
Wrath to Come  
1 Thessalonians 1:8–10**

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# **THESSALONIANS**

**THEREFORE, COMFORT ONE  
ANOTHER WITH THESE WORDS**



MACEDONIA

THRACE

BITHYNIA AND PONTUS

Byzantium (Istanbul)

MARMARA SEA

Nicaea

Sangarius River

GALATIA

ASIA

AEGEAN SEA

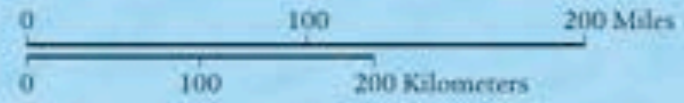
CAPADOCIA

ACHAIA

CARIA

LYCIA

PAMPHYLIA



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μιμητής *mimētēs*  
nom masc plur  
“imitator, follower, a  
mimic of what  
someone else does”

**1 Cor. 4:16, “Therefore I urge you, imitate me.”**

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**1 Thess. 2:14, “For you, brethren, became imitators of the churches of God which are in Judea in Christ Jesus. For you also suffered the same things from your own countrymen, just as they did from the Judeans,”**

**1 Cor. 11:1, “Imitate me, just as I also imitate Christ.”**

**Eph. 5:1, “Therefore be imitators of God as dear children.”**

**Heb. 6:12, “that you do not become sluggish, but imitate those who through faith and patience inherit the promises.”**

**2 Thess. 3:7, “For you yourselves know how you ought to follow us, for we were not disorderly among you;”**

**2 Thess. 3:9, “not because we do not have authority, but to make ourselves an example of how you should follow us.”**

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**ἐξηχέω *exēcheō*  
perf mid indic 3  
sing  
“to sound out;  
to sound forth  
like a trumpet, to  
reverberate like  
an echo”**



MACEDONIA

THRACE

BITHYNIA AND PONTUS

Thessalonica

Amphipolis

Philippi

Neapolis

Apollonia

Thasos

Berea

Lemnos

Troas

Byzantium (Istanbul)

MARMARA SEA

Nicaea

Sangarius River

GALATIA

Lesbos

Mitylene

Pergamum

ASIA

Smyrna

Sardis

AEGEAN SEA

Chios

Ephesus

Laodicea

Antioch in Pisidia

Iconium

CAPADOCIA

Corinth

Athens

Evvoia

Samos

Miletus

Lystra

Derbe

ACHAEA

Sparta

Naxos

Patmos

CARIA

LYCIA

PAMPHYLIA

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Attalia

Tarsus

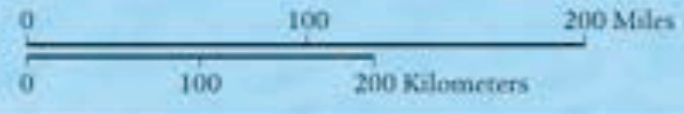
Rhodes

Salamis

CYPRUS

Paphos

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**ἐπιστρέφω *epistrephō***

**aor act indic 1 sing**

**“to turn back, return, turn”**

**Deut. 30:2, “and you return to the LORD your God and obey His voice, according to all that I command you today, you and your children, with all your heart and with all your soul,”**

**Mal. 3:7, “ ‘Yet from the days of your fathers you have gone away from My ordinances and have not kept them. Return to Me, and I will return to you,’ says the LORD of hosts. But you said, ‘In what way shall we return?’ ”**

**Hos. 5:4, “They do not direct their deeds toward turning to their God, for the spirit of harlotry is in their midst, and they do not know the LORD.”**

**2 Kings 23:25, “Now before him there was no king like him, who turned to the LORD with all his heart, with all his soul, and with all his might, according to all the Law of Moses; nor after him did any arise like him.”**

**Acts 3:19, “Repent therefore and be converted, that your sins may be blotted out, so that times of refreshing may come from the presence of the Lord,”**

**Acts 9:35, “So all who dwelt at Lydda and Sharon saw him and turned to the Lord.”**

**Acts 14:15, “and saying, ‘Men, why are you doing these things? We also are men with the same nature as you, and preach to you that you should turn from these useless things to the living God, who made the heaven, the earth, the sea, and all things that are in them,’ ”**

**Acts 15:19, “Therefore I judge that we should not trouble those from among the Gentiles who are turning to God,”**

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**ἀναμένω**

***anamenō***

**pres act infin “to wait for, remain”**



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**ῥύομαι *hruomai***

**pres mid part masc sing acc  
with article**

**“to deliver, rescue from  
physical calamity”**

**Rom. 13:4, “For he is God’s minister to you for good. But if you do evil, be afraid; for he does not bear the sword in vain; for he is God’s minister, an avenger to execute wrath on him who practices evil.”**

**Rom. 1:18, “For the WRATH of God is revealed from heaven against all ungodliness and wickedness of men who by their wickedness suppress the truth.”**

**Luke 21:23, “But woe to those who are pregnant and to those who are nursing babies in those days! For there will be great distress in the land and wrath upon this people.”**

**John 3:36, “He who believes in the Son has everlasting life; and he who does not believe the Son shall not see life, but the wrath of God abides on him.”**

**Rom. 2:5, “But in accordance with your hardness and your impenitent heart you are treasuring up for yourself wrath in the day of wrath and revelation of the righteous judgment of God,”**

**Rom. 2:8, “but to those who are self-seeking and do not obey the truth, but obey unrighteousness—indignation and wrath,”**

**Matt. 3:7, “But when he saw many of the Pharisees and Sadducees coming for baptism, he said to them, ‘You brood of vipers! Who warned you to flee from the WRATH to come?’ ”**

**1 Thess. 2:16, “forbidding us to speak to the Gentiles that they may be saved, so as always to fill up the measure of their sins; but wrath has come upon them to the uttermost.”**

**1 Thess. 5:9, “For God did not appoint us to wrath, but to obtain salvation through our Lord Jesus Christ,”**