

*“Finally, Brothers, Pray for Us”*

*2 Thess. 3:1-5*

*Finding Peace in the Midst of the Storm*

Paul asks for prayer from a hurting people concerning the ministry of the Word and her ministers.

I. Paul’s Call to Prayer (v.1a)

Paul’s humility is in his request for prayer. Paul understood, above all else, that he needed prayer. Prayer is a ministry that has many unsung heroes and heroines.

II. Paul’s Content in Prayer (vv.1b-2)

A. The success of the gospel message (v.1b)

1. Speed ahead

2. Honored

B. The safety of the gospel minister (v.2a)

III. Paul’s Confidence in Prayer (vv.3-4)

A. The faithfulness of God establishes His people (v.3a).

B. The faithfulness of God guards His people against the evil one (v.3b).

C. The faithfulness of God keeps His people in obedience (v.4).

IV. Paul’s Concluding Prayer (v.5)

A. Directed into the love of God

B. Directed into the steadfastness of Christ