

Home Group Discussion Questions

Sunday 26th February 2012

Passage: 1 Thessalonians 2:1-12

1. From the world's perspective, what are the key characteristics of a leader?
2. What are they from a Christian perspective?

Read the passage

3. Paul came to Thessalonica from Philippi. How had he been treated there there? How does that affect him as he comes the Thessalonica?
4. What can we tell from this passage about Paul's message, his motives and his methods?
5. Why is living to please people a snare in Christian leadership?
6. Paul says that he has been entrusted with the gospel. How should seeing oneself as a steward affect a leader's life and ministry?
7. What impact on a leader's life should knowing he has to give an account have?
8. What has a nursing mother got to teach a leader?
9. What has a loving father got to teach a leader?
10. Should leaders be examples to those who follow? If yes, to what extent?