

(Five) Evidences of The Holy Spirit's Power in Paul's Ministry

1. **2:2 though we had suffered.....**
Evidence #1 – Paul's Confidence in God's Power
 2. **2:3 our appeal does not spring from error or impurity.....**
Evidence #2 – Paul's Commitment to God's Truth
 3. **2:4a just as we have been approved (**COMMISSIONED**) by God to be entrusted.....**
Evidence #3 – Paul's Commissioning by God's Will
 4. **2:4b so we speak not to please men but to please God.....**
Evidence #4 – Paul's Motivation By God's Knowledge
 5. **2::6a nor did we seek glory from people.....**
Evidence #5 – Paul's Dedication to God's Glory
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(Three) Elements of Paul's Relationship to the Thessalonians

1. **2:17a since we were torn away.....**
Element #1 – Paul's Desire to be with them
2. **2:18b we wanted you to come.....Satan hindered us....**
Element #2 – Paul's Understanding of his Enemy
3. **2:19 what is our hope or joy or crown.....you are our glory and joy....**
Element #3 – Paul's Anticipation of Eternal Reward