

**“THE GLORY AND JOY OF CONVERSION”**

Yellowstone Baptist Church

*Text: 1 Thess. 2:13-20*

**I. The RECEPTION of the Gospel - v. 13**

A. A thankful minister

B. A truthful exposure

**II. The TESTIMONY of the Gospel - v. 14**

A. Imitators of like-minded believers

B. Suffering persecution for the cause of Christ

**III. The HATRED of the Gospel - v. 15**

**IV. The REBUKE of the Gospel - v. 16**

**V. The ENCOURAGEMENT of the Gospel - vv. 17-18**

**VI. The REWARD of the Gospel - vv. 19-20**

A. Hope

B. Joy

C. Crown of boasting