

Series: Blameless

Title: A Strong Message

Text: (1 Thes 2:1-12)

Bible Truth is always accompanied by Opposition.

(Acts 17:5-6)

(1 Ki 18:17-18) “*Art thou he that troubleth Israel?*”

He knew he was True Minister of a True Gospel:

(1 Thes 2:12)(1 Tim 3:15)

11 Points: A Blameless Church has a...

1. Full & Fruitful Ministry: (Vs 1)

2. Bold Preaching: (Vs 2)

(Acts 16:22-24)(2 Tim 4:2)

3. Preaches the Gosepl w/Pure Motives (V 3)

Bible Preaching: (1 Cor 1:21)

(Titus 2:1)(Acts 20:27)

4. Preaches to please God & not Men: (Vs 4)

Cross reference to (Gal 1:10)(Prov 29:25)

5. Is not preaching for Personal Gain: (Vs 5)

(Prov 17:9)(Job 32:21-22)(Rom 13:8)

6. Does not preach for Personal Glory: (Vs 6)

Paul was not out for Recognition:

(Matt 20:26-28) (1 Pet 1:1-3)

7. Teaches & Preaches Gently & Lovingly (Vs 7-8)

(2 Tim 2:24-26)

Paul was willing to Spend his life for them.

(2 Cor 12:15)

8. Teaches/Preaches, laboring night & day: (Vs 9)

9. Lives a life Above Reproach: (Vs 10)

(Acts 24:16)

10. Preaches Tenderly giving direction: (Vs 11)

3 Fatherly Functions:

Exhortation: (1 Cor 14:31)

Comfort: (Phil 2:1-2)

Charges: (Father) Directs/ Provides Accountability.

11. Preaches with 1 Objective: Edification: (Vs 12)

Who Invested in YOU?

Time to PAY it Forward.

Who are You Building?

Who are You Investing In?

A Blameless church is one that will stand before God without fault b/c of its handling of God's Word.