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### 2 Thessalonians

Paul's Second Letter to the Thessalonians

#### *Purpose*

1. To instill hope in the midst of persecution
2. To address false teaching and idleness in the community

#### *Author*

Paul, with Silas and Timothy

#### *Date*

Around AD 51

#### *Setting*

Written soon after 1 Thessalonians, after persecution had increased in Thessalonica and false teaching had emerged