



Boldness in the Lord

INTERACTIVE OUTLINE

Sunday Morning, March 14, 2010

Scripture Reading: 1 Thessalonians 2:1-12

Introduction:

God encourages us to be an influence for Christ and His kingdom. Our scripture reading contains some important thoughts. It tells us three things about boldness in the Lord.

I. Why boldness is _____.

- A. 1 Thessalonians 2:1b – Boldness makes our life _____.
- B. Why Paul speaks of his ministry in 2:2a, 2c, 3, 4a, 4b, 5, 7, 9, 10, 11
 - 1. His opponents were _____ him.
 - 2. The _____ of the Thessalonians' faith was being discredited.

II. _____ do we get boldness?

- A. Simple answer: Boldness is found in _____.
- B. God was real to Paul. See Romans 8:18, 37-39

III. What must _____ in our life to become bold?

- A. We must lose love for human _____ and praise. 2:4b; 2:6; 2:5
- B. We must lose love for material _____ and the _____ of life. 2:5; 2:9
- C. 1 Thessalonians 1:7 – they received it as _____.

Need to come to Christ? Boldly step forward in faith!

My Notes