

PAUL'S GLORY AND JOY
I THESS. 2:13-20

I. WHAT IS THE PREACHER'S GREATEST REWARD?

- A. Paul had suffered much.
 - 1. Physical.
 - 2. Mental.

- B. Paul's reward. v19,20.
 - 1. Hope.
 - 2. Joy.
 - 3. Crown of rejoicing.
 - 4. Ye are our glory and joy.

II. THE PREACHER IS A BUILDER.

- A. I Cor. 3:1-17.
 - 1. People are the building material.

III. THE KIND OF PEOPLE PAUL BUILT WITH.

- A. Readily received the word.
 - 1. v13.
- B. Followers.
 - 1. v14.

IV. THE OPPOSERS TO PAUL'S MINISTRY.

- A. The Jews. v14b.
 - 1. Killed the Lord Jesus.
 - 2. Persecuted us.
 - 3. Forbidding to speak to Gentiles.

V. PAUL'S ABSENCE AND HIS LETTERS.

- A. Paul wanted to see them.
 - 1. To see your face with great desire.
- B. Satan hindered.