

PS: May God Sanctify You Entirely

1 Thessalonians 5:23-28

- 1) Be sure to honor God's word (19-21)
 - a) Examine so-called prophets carefully
 - b) Evaluate the accuracy of what it preached
 - c) Receive the truth as a word from God
 - d) Reject unfaithful prophets

- 2) Make certain to avoid every form of evil (22)

- 3) God will complete in you what He began (23-28; cf. Phil. 2:12-13)
 - a) At Christ's coming, your entire being will be transformed (23-24)
 - b) Pray for church leaders (25; cf. Heb. 13:17)
 - c) Greet God's people appropriately (26)
 - d) Read God's word both privately and corporately (27)
 - e) Remember God's grace always (28)
 - i) While we were yet sinners, Christ died for us (Rom. 5:8)
 - ii) Christ's death satisfied God's wrath upon us (1 John 4:10)
 - iii) Nothing can separate us from God (Rom. 8:38-39)