"Proper Response to Leaders, Believers, and Outsiders" 1 Thessalonians 5:12-15

- A. Proper response to leaders (1Th. 5:12-13).
- B. Proper response to believers (1Th. 5:14).
- C. Proper response to outsiders (1Th. 5:15).

- A. Proper response to leaders (1Th. 5:12-13).
 - 1. (vs. 12) Paul's request of the brethren;
 - a. "that you appreciate"
 - 1) "those who diligently labor among you"
 - 2) "and have charge over you in the Lord"
 - 3) "and give you instruction"
 - b. (vs. 13a) "and that you esteem them very highly in love because of their work."
 - c. (vs. 13b) "Live in peace with one another."

- B. Proper response to believers (1Th. 5:14).
 - 1. (vs. 14) Paul said, "We urge you, brethren"
 - a. "admonish the unruly,"
 - b. "encourage the fainthearted,"
 - c. "help the weak"
 - d. "be patient with everyone."

- C. Proper response to outsiders (1Th. 5:15).
 - 1. "See that no one repays another with evil for evil"
 - 2. "but always seek after that which is good for one another and for all people."