

Living in Light of Christ's Coming

Lesson 11 – 2 Thessalonians 2:13-17

1. Respond by thanking God for converting your brothers and sisters (2:13-14).

“Father, thank you for this brother or sister in Christ who is beloved by the Lord. Thank you for, from the beginning choosing to save him or her. Thank you for the Spirit’s work in his or her life to set him or her apart to God. Thank you for his or her belief in the gospel and how he or she gets to participate in the glory of Jesus Christ. We also pray for those whom you will still convert. Help us to be faithful to share the gospel with them. Please draw them to faith in Jesus and save them by Your Spirit.”

2. Respond by continuing to believe together (2:15).

Thank you, Lord, again for this brother or sister, please help him or her to stand fast and continue to believe the gospel as we did when we first believed. Thank you that the Lord is faithful. Please establish this brother or sister, and guard him or her from the evil one.”

3. Respond by bringing your brothers and sisters to God in prayer (2:16-17).

“Father God, thank you for loving us. Thank you for the gifts of grace we have in Jesus. Thank you for your never-ending comfort that you give to each of us. And thank you for giving us a good hope even though we

don't deserve it. Please comfort this brother's or sister's heart and establish him or her in every good word and work."