

Family Sermon Sheet – I Thessalonians 1:2-10
“Marks of the Chosen Ones”

1. Near the beginning of all of Paul’s letters (except Galatians), he:
 - a. gave thanks for God’s work in the church members.
 - b. told them his travel plans.
 - c. asked them for money.

2. In verse 3, they gave thanks for the Thessalonians’ _____ of faith,
_____ of love, and steadfastness of _____.

3. If someone’s faith does not produce good works, is it real faith?

4. What does it mean that God has chosen his people?
 - a. It means that he waits to see what we decide.
 - b. It means that he loves them.
 - c. It means that they are better than others.

5. Match the virtue on the left with the way that the Thessalonians showed that virtue.

They showed Faith by	sharing the gospel with others.
They showed Love by	waiting for Jesus to come.
They showed Hope by	receiving the gospel message.

6. Even if we do not bow down before statues, what kinds of things can be idols in our lives?

7. What is the gospel message?
 - a. Obey the Ten Commandments.
 - b. Jesus died, Jesus rose, and Jesus is coming again.
 - c. Try to do the best you can.