

In Pursuit of a Better Church, part 3
“Glimpses of a Better Relationship”

1 Thessalonians 2:17-3:13

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1. **Genuine affection (2:17-20)**
2 Corinthians 2:4
Philippians 1:8
Acts 20:36-38

2. **Personal Sacrifice (3:1-3)**

3. **Painful Honesty (3:4)**

4. **Mutual Delight (3:5-8)**

5. **Persistent Prayer (3:9-13)**

Cell Group Discussion Questions

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1. What are some of the reasons you have seen people leave the church?

2. Have one person read 1 Thessalonians 2:17-3:13.

3. Describe what kind of a relationship you think Paul had with the Thessalonians.

4. How critical are healthy relationships/friendships to the health of a church?

5. Looking at the “glimpses of a better relationship,” which do you feel God is prompting you to work on?

6. Read 1 Thessalonians 3:11-13. Spend time praying for one another using this particular passage.