

# GOD'S LIFE GOALS FOR YOU

1 Thessalonians 2:17-3:13  
'A loving life'

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- Paul, the coach

## GO FOR GROWTH – yourself

- increase in love

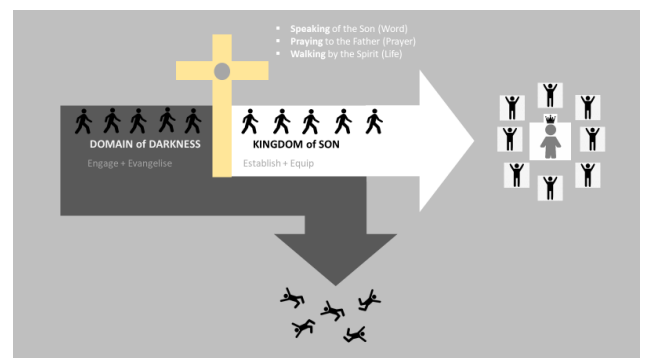
- blameless in holiness

## GO FOR GROWTH – in others

- how to encourage others
  - o give thanks for God's work in other believers

- o pray for spiritual growth in other believers
- o cultivate spiritual growth in other believers

- why encourage others



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## ? QUESTIONS for discussion / reflection:

*Why is growing in love and holiness perhaps not always the priority it should be for us? What other kinds of personal development might we be more interested in?*

*What do you tend to pray for yourself? How should this passage shape your praying?*

*How has this passage helped you to encourage other believers? Is this something you have been trying to do? What steps could you take to do this more?*