



# Evidences of Election

## 1 Thessalonians 1:4-5

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### I. Two Key Underlying Doctrines in Paul's Prayer

A. The Doctrine of the \_\_\_\_\_

B. The Doctrine of \_\_\_\_\_

### II. Three Evidences of Election

A. The Gospel comes not \_\_\_\_\_ in Word

1. The preaching of the Gospel is never \_\_\_\_\_ using words!
2. This would refer to the \_\_\_\_\_ call of the Gospel

**B. The Gospel comes in \_\_\_\_\_ and in the Holy Spirit**

1. This would refer to the \_\_\_\_\_ call of the Gospel
2. This truth reminds us of the \_\_\_\_\_ of a transformed life in Christian salvation

**C. The Gospel comes with full \_\_\_\_\_**

1. This referring to the full persuasion of Christ and His Gospel that \_\_\_\_\_ under trials and temptations to turn away

**III. APPLICATION**

- A. In these verses, Paul provides us with a helpful framework for evaluating the spiritual \_\_\_\_\_ of our own churches and our own lives
- B. Paul gives us comfort and confidence in our election by pointing to how the Word \_\_\_\_\_ to us and how the Word has \_\_\_\_\_ us