

MODELS FOR EFFECTIVE MINISTRY

1 Thessalonians 2:1-12

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| I. | <u>There are times when we need to be a preacher.</u> | 2:1-6 |
| 1. | Be confident in persecution. | 2:1-2 |
| 2. | Be careful how you preach. | 2:3 |
| 3. | Be certain who you please. | 2:4 |
| 4. | Be clear about your priorities. | 2:5 |
| 5. | Be charitable in your position. | 2:6 |
| II. | <u>There are times when we need to be a mother.</u> | 2:7-8 |
| 1. | We share our love. | 2:7-8 |
| 2. | We share our lives. | 2:8 |
| III. | <u>There are times when we need to be a worker.</u> | 2:9-10 |
| 1. | Work with sincerity. | 2:9 |
| 2. | Witness with integrity. | 2:10 |
| IV. | <u>There are times when we need to be a father.</u> | 2:11-12 |
| 1. | A good father exhorts his children. | 2:11 |
| 2. | A good father encourages his children. | 2:11 |
| 3. | A good father entreats his children. | 2:11 |
| 4. | A good father entrusts his children. | 2:12 |