

**Valley Bible Church
Sermon Notes for October 29, 2017**

**The Simple Christian
1 Thessalonians 1:1-3**

1. Historical background

2. Paul's concern for the Thessalonians (1:1)

3. Paul's commendation of the Thessalonians (1:2)

4. Paul's encouragement to the Thessalonians (1:3)
 - a. Work of faith

 - b. Labor of love

 - c. Steadfastness of hope

5. Application questions