



As a
FATHER

1 THESSALONIANS 2:9-12

1 Thessalonians 2:9 For you remember, brethren, our labor and toil; for laboring night and day, that we might not be a burden to any of you, we preached to you the gospel of God.

¹⁰You are witnesses, and God also, how devoutly and justly and blamelessly we behaved ourselves among you who believe;¹¹ as you know how we exhorted, and comforted, and charged every one of you, as a father does his own children,¹² that you would walk worthy of God who calls you into His own kingdom and glory.

A LABORIOUS TASK

1 Thessalonians 2:9 For you remember, brethren, our labor and toil; **for laboring night and day**, that we might not be a burden to any of you, we preached to you the gospel of God.

An
EXEMPLARY TASK

1 Thessalonians 2:10 You are witnesses, and God also, how devoutly and justly and blamelessly we behaved ourselves among you who believe;

A HANDS-ON TASK

1 Thessalonians 2:11 as you know how we exhorted, and comforted, and charged every one of you, as a father does his own children,
12 that you would walk worthy of God who calls you into His own kingdom and glory.