

# **Paul's Second Missionary Journey (Pt. 3)**

## **Acts 18**

### **I. Introduction**

- Characteristics of Paul?
- The Strengths and Weaknesses of Paul

### **II. 4 Ways the Lord Encouraged Paul:**

- 1.) Through Friendship (v1-5)
  - Meeting new friends
  - Reuniting with old friends
- 2.) Through Fruitful Ministry (v6-8)
  - The Lord used Paul to have an eternal impact at Corinth
- 3.) Through Faithful Assurance (v9-11)
  - Paul battled fear at Corinth
  - The Lord didn't reprimand Paul, but encouraged him
  - Paul taught the Word to win souls
- 4.) Through a Favorable Verdict (v12-17)
  - The Lord used Gallio to defend Paul and Christianity

### **III. Paul's Response**

- Nazirite vow:
- Paul went to great lengths to demonstrate his thankfulness to the Lord
- Is the same true of your own life?