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b. Do not be ashamed of the _____ (v. 8-12)

1.) Don't be ashamed of... (v. 8a)

i. The testimony about our Lord (the Gospel)

ii. Paul, our Lord's prisoner

2.) Share in the _____ (v. 8b-12)

i. For the _____ (8b)

ii. By the _____ of God (8c-10)

a.) Through salvation (9a)

b.) Through a holy calling (9b)

i). Not because of our _____ (9c)

ii). Because of His own eternal

_____ and _____

(9d)

c.) _____ through the appearing of Christ Jesus (10) (cf. 1 Cor. 15:54-57)

i). Our savior

ii). Abolished _____

iii). Brought life and immortality to light

through _____

iii. Paul was appointed for the _____

to... (11-12a)

a.) Be a preacher, apostle, teacher (11) (cf. 1 Tim. 2:7)

b.) Suffer (12a)

iv. Paul was not _____ (12b)

c. Follow and proclaim Paul's words (v. 13)

d. Guard the deposit entrusted to you (v. 14) (cf. John 14:26)

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