

Healthy churches:

I. Encourage – "be diligent to come unto me" (v. 12) Encouragement through:

A. S______ – "When I shall send"

B. S______ – "Artemas unto thee, or Tychicus"

*C. S*______ - "I have determined there to winter"

II. Enable – "learn to maintain good works" (vs. 13-14) *Enabling our:*

A. F_____ - "Bring Zenas the lawyer and Apollos on their journey"

B. *F*_____ – "that nothing be wanting unto them"

*C. F*_____ – "that they be not unfruitful"

III. Enjoy – "Greet them" (v. 15)

Enjoyment of the:

- A. L_____ "All that are with me salute you"
- **B.** Lo_______ "that love us in the faith"
- C. Lor_____ "Grace be with you all"

Sentence Sermon

Healthy churches have a deep love and gratitude to Christ and desire to equip and empower the people He brings them. R. J. Krejcir

Additional Verses

- III John 1:6-8
 Ephesians 4:28
 I Corinthians 3:5-8
 I Peter 5:1-5
 Apollos
 Acts 18:24; 19:1; I Corinthians 1:12; 3:4-6, 22; 4:6; 16:12
 II Corinthians 12:9
 Mark 9:35
 Hebrews 13:17
 Philippians 2:12-13
 Tychicus
 Acts 20:4; Ephesians 6:21; Colossians 4:7; II Timothy 4:12
 Questions to Ponder
 - 1. What are the key words or phrases in this passage?
 - 2. Who are the central characters of the passage?
 - 3. Why do you suppose Paul determined to winter in Nicopolis?
 - 4. What opportunities for ministry are available during the cold days of winter?
 - 5. What can we assume about the sending of Artemas and Tychicus?
 - 6. Why do you think Paul mentioned that Zenas was a lawyer?
 - 7. Why should the Cretan church support Apollos' journey?
 - 8. According to verse 14, what should church leaders teach their people?
 - 9. Why is it significant for Paul to communicate a greeting from his team?
 - 10. What does the expression of "grace be with you all" mean practically?