Lesson 12 - Chapter 4 - Stand Firm

Exhortations	Instructions
Paul remembers them and prays for them (1:4) If God started a work in you, He will finish it (1:6) Paul loves them and longs to see them (1:8) No matter the circumstances you can have joy (1:18) Whether you live or die, let Christ be glorified (1:20-21) In Christ there is (2:1) - encouragement - Comfort in love - Fellowship of the Spirit - Affection and compassion God is at work within (2:13) When being poured out as a drink offering - rejoice (2:17) Put no confidence in the flesh (3:3) Count all that we have as rubbish (dung) (3:7) Knowing Christ is value above all else (3:8) Pressing on for the goal of Christ (3:13)	Instructions Conduct yourselves in a manner worthy of the gospel of Christ (1:27) Make my joy complete by being (2:2) - same mind - Same love - United in Spirit - Intent on one purpose Regard others as more important than yourself (2:3) Have the attitude (mind) of Christ (2:4) Work out our salvation (2:12) Do all things without grumbling and disputing (2:14) Rejoice in the Lord (3:1) Beware (3:2) Have this attitude (3:15) Follow Paul's example (3:17) Stand firm (4:1)
Knowing Christ is value above all else (3:8)	

Lesson 12 - Chapter 4 - Live in Harmony

Living in Unity	Mindset of Unity
Psalm 133:1 - how good and pleasant it is for brothers to dwell together in unity	Jn 13:34-35 - love - love that comes from God - He puts it in us, and we need to work it out in the lives of people around us
John 17:23 - not living in unity will send a message to the world that God did not send Jesus and did not love the people	Rom 12:16-18 - starts with humility, respect others, be at peace if at possible
I Cor 1:10 - live in agreement, no divisions, made complete in the same mind and in the same judgment	Eph 4:31-32 - kindness, tender heartedness, forgiveness - we need to not be offended easily
I Cor 12 - idea of the body - has many members - but it is one body - with Christ as the head	
Eph 4:3, 11-16 - preserve the unity of the Spirit in the bond of peace - GROW UP - building itself up in love	
Phil 2:2 - same mind, same love, united in spirit, intent on one purpose	
I John 4:7-21 - our love and how we show that tells the world who God is and how He loves them	