Turning from Sin to God Encourages Those Who Love You 2 Corinthians 7:13-16

Paul gives us insight into the things that _____ and _____ godly ministers.

Paul recognized that his comfort came from God, as the Corinthian believers ______ from the ______ and stood with Paul. 2 Corinthians 7:12–13

Paul rejoiced in the way the Corinthian believers ______ and ______ for his fellow servant, Titus.

> Paul and Timothy _____ with Titus as he _____ on behalf of the Corinthian believers. 2 Corinthians 7:13: 3 John 3–4

Titus, ______ of what he might find in the church at Corinth, was instead ______ by the love and support he received from them. 2 Corinthians 7:13

A godly pastor ought to be able to ______ about the faith and ______ of those he ministers to.

Paul sought to _____ Titus by boasting on behalf of the Corinthian believers, knowing that they would _____ properly in obedience to God, and he was right.

2 Corinthians 7:14

Paul knew that the Corinthians would respond in faith because he had ______ the truth to them, laying the biblical ______ for their obedience.

2 Corinthians 7:14

Believers must always remember that godly ministers ______ as they ______ the obedience of those they serve.

Titus grew in his ______ for the Corinthian believers as they responded in ______ to Paul's 2nd (tearful) letter.

2 Corinthians 7:15; Hebrews 13:17

Every godly minister who declares God's Word must be ______ with the ______ due their calling.

In the case of the Corinthian believers having listened to ______ and _____, they demonstrated a proper fear before the one who had loved them and taught them. 2 Corinthians 7:15

1 Thessalonians 5:12–13

Proper honor also includes caring for the ______ and _____ of those whom God places over you. 1 Timothy 5:17–18

Godly ministers should rejoice as they express their ______ in the believer's ______ to obeying God. 2 Corinthians 7:16