~ENCOURAGED (49)

[English, confident, expectant, optimistic, positive, buoyant, Opposite of, pessimistic]

- Josiah stationed the priests over their responsibilities and encouraged them to complete the service of the house of Yehowah.
- So he stationed the priests over the things under their care and encouraged them in the service of the house of Yehowah. (2 Chronicles 35:2)
- Judas and Silas encouraged the brothers with many a discourse and strengthened them.
- And Judas and Silas, since they themselves were also prophets, encouraged the brothers with many a discourse and strengthened them. (Acts of Apostles 15:32)
- Paul and Silas while in Thyatira, once released miraculously from prison, encouraged the brothers and then departed.
- But they came out of the prison and went to the home of Lydia, and when they saw the brothers they encouraged them and departed. (Acts of Apostles 16:40)
- Paul then encouraged the disciples and bid them goodbye and he went forth into Macedonia.
- Now after the uproar had subsided, Paul sent for the disciples, and when he had encouraged them and bidden them farewell, he went forth to journey into Macedonia. (Acts of Apostles 20:1)
- Paul showed that the gifts of the prophets were to be controlled by the prophets for the good and encouragement and upbuilding of all concerned
- For you can all prophesy one by one, that all may learn and all be encouraged. (1 Corinthians 14:31)
- In Paul's letter to Timothy he shows that he encouraged Timothy to stay in Ephesus while he journeyed to Macedonia.

 Just as I encouraged you to stay in Ephesus when I was about to go my way into Macedonia, so I do now, that you might command certain ones not to teach different doctrine. (1 Timothy 1:3)