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 - 1 and 2 Thessalonians
 - 1 and 2 Corinthians
 - Galatians
 - Romans
 - Philemon
 - Colossians
 - Ephesians
 - **Philippians - #10**
 - 1 Timothy
 - Titus
 - 2 Timothy



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 - All saints in Christ Jesus
 - Bishops, elders or overseers
 - Deacons



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 - How does Paul remember this body of believers?
 - What was the nature of Paul prayer?
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 - How does Paul bond with the church at Philippi?
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 - *I thank my God upon every remembrance of you, 'What was the nature of Paul prayer?*
 - *In joy and for their fellowship in the gospel*
 - **What does Paul mean when he states – *being confident of this very thing, that He who has begun a good work in you will complete it until the day of Jesus Christ;***
 - What God has started He will continue to complete until the rapture; in fact, has the work in the Philippian church been completed now?
 - **How does Paul bond with the church at Philippi?**
 - *you all are partakers with me of grace.*
 - **What are the specifics of Paul's request bringing God glory?**
 - *that your love may abound still more*
 - *approve the things that are excellent,*
 - *you may be sincere and without offense*



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- ***Phil 1:12-18 – Christ is Preached***
 - **What does Paul state about his imprisonment?**
 - *It has fathered the gospel and to the palace guard.*
 - *most of the brethren are much bolder to speak the word without fear*
 - **What is Paul's conclusion about *those who preach Christ from envy and strife vs. goodwill?***
 - *Despite selfish ambition and not sincerely vs. out of love, whether in pretense or in truth, Christ is preached; and in this I rejoice, yes, and will rejoice.*



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 - What are Paul's conclusions about continuing alive in the flesh vs. being with the Lord?



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- ***Phil 1:19-26 – To Live is Christ***
 - **What does Paul know through the power of their prayer?**
 - His *deliverance*
 - In *nothing* will he be ashamed.
 - Christ will be magnified in my body, whether by life or by death.
 - **Why is verse 21 so very special – ‘For to me, to live is Christ, and to die gain.’?**
 - It perfectly summarizes all that happened at Calvary, sins gone and our position with a new life lived not under law but in Christ by grace through the power of the Holy Spirit.
 - **What are Paul's conclusions about continuing alive in the flesh vs. being with the Lord?**
 - *to depart and be with Christ, is far better.*
 - His presence is *more needed*, & *his fruit* will reflect his *labor*.
 - His hope and joy anticipates his return to Philippi.



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 - **How will the body of Christ in Philippi be assessed for their conduct?**
 - Are they *standing fast in one spirit and in one mind for the faith in the gospel?*
 - *They are not being frightened by their adversaries, ...a proof of their salvation.*
 - **What about suffering and conflict?**
 - *On behalf of Christ, with belief expect suffering for His sake.*
 - Were they really expected to have the same *conflict* as Paul; no, but when one of us suffers we all suffer with them.
 - Think endurance as if we were in an athletic event.