



Big Photo:
Joy

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Philippians

- * Epistle of _____???
- * I:4; I:25, I:26, 2:2, 2:29, 4:1

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PHILIPPIANS

Epistle of Joy!

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Martin Story: Rinkangakko Party



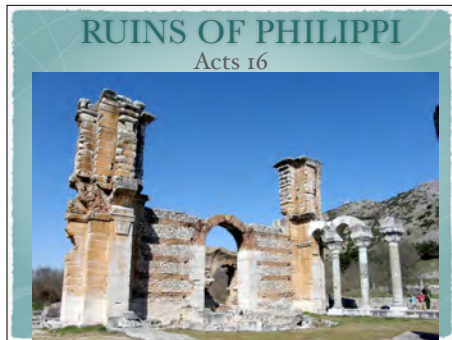
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Keys:

- * Verse: 1:20-21 Give up all to win Christ
- * Key Chapter (Required Reading): 2 Humility; lowering oneself for God; Poem in vs. 6-11, Shine Like Stars vs. 15
- * Bonus Verse: 4:4 Rejoice in the Lord Always! I will say it again, Rejoice!

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Author:
* 1:1 Recipient:
* Author: Paul
* Recipient: "Paul and Timothy, servants of Christ Jesus, To all the saints in Christ Jesus at Philippi, together with the overseers² and deacons."ESV

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Date Written:
* 1:13-14 (mprisonment Letter)
* AD 60?

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Purpose:
* 1:5 and 4:10-19;
* To thank the Philippians for their gift; report his condition

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T/C/F #1
* 2:1-11
* Ask church to Be United

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T/C/F #2

* Send / Recommend / Approve of _____ and _____ to their church

* 2:19-30

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T/C/F #2

* Send / Recommend / Approve of Timothy and Epaphroditus to their church

* 2:19-30

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T/C/F #3

* Warn them about _____

* 3:2, 3:6

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T/C/F #3

* Warn them about false teaching about Circumcision; 3:2

* Warn them about people who teach righteousness by law—same as Pharisees during Jesus' time

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TCF #4

- * Have the Mind of Christ ch 2:1-11 (a Christological passage-- describes the relationship of Christ and God the Father)
- * Have the Knowledge of Christ ch 3
- * Have the Peace of Christ ch 4

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TCF #5

- * 1:12-26 Rejoice!
in the spread of the Gospel

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TCF #6

- * Focus on Christian Living
- * 2:14, 3:2, 3:12-18

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Activity to Remember

Throw the Beanbag at the Board

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Life Lessons from Philippians

* "In beautiful, hymnlike words (2:5-11) [Paul] urges all members of Christ's body to conform to the mind of Christ, who, although He was God, became a humble and obedient servant to the point of death on the cross"—ITBOTB

* How does this inspire you to live your life?

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