

Philippians

REVIEW

Lesson 19

Our theme for this Bible study was taken from Philippians 4:12: *Everywhere and in all things I have learned...* Paul used the words *counted* and *learned* as he wrote of the truths that gave him victories in his life such as peace, joy, and contentment. The word *counted* has the sense of “to lead the mind”, i.e. to choose to think. The word *learned* has the sense of “to be initiated or lead into a mystery”, i.e. to discover or understand something in a deeper way.

This homework has been divided into one section per chapter with a reflection time at the end. For each chapter, choose 1 verse (or more if you would like ☺). Describe your understanding of what the verse practically means in your life. Add any other thoughts you have gleaned about that verse after you have studied it this Bible study year. As you reflect upon the verses, record the status of this verse as it has impacted your life (no change, *counting*, *learning*). Consider where you would like to be and state what changes need to be made in your life for you to be in that place. Note: your reflections are personal and will not be discussed during group time.

Philippians 1

Philippians 1:6 *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;*

Philippians 1:18 *What then? Only that in every way, whether in pretense or in truth, Christ is preached; and in this I rejoice, yes, and will rejoice.*

Philippians 1:20 *according to my earnest expectation and hope that in nothing I shall be ashamed, but with all boldness, as always, so now also Christ will be magnified in my body, whether by life or by death.*

Philippians 1:21 *For to me, to live is Christ, and to die is gain.*

Philippians 1 continued...

Philippians 2

Philippians 2:3 *Let nothing be done through selfish ambition or conceit, but in lowliness of mind let each esteem others better than himself.*

Philippians 2:5 *Let this mind be in you which was also in Christ Jesus,*

Philippians 2:12 *Therefore, my beloved, as you have always obeyed, not as in my presence only, but now much more in my absence, work out your own salvation with fear and trembling;*

Philippians 2:13 *for it is God who works in you both to will and to do for His good pleasure.*

Philippians 2:16 *holding fast the word of life, so that I may rejoice in the day of Christ that I have not run in vain or labored in vain.*

Philippians 3

Philippians 3:7-8 *But what things were gain to me, these I have counted loss for Christ. Yet indeed I also count all things loss for the excellence of the knowledge of Christ Jesus my Lord, for whom I have suffered the loss of all things, and count them as rubbish, that I may gain Christ*

Philippians 3:10 *that I may know Him and the power of His resurrection, and the fellowship of His sufferings, being conformed to His death,*

Philippians 3:13 *Brethren, I do not count myself to have apprehended; but one thing I do, forgetting those things which are behind and reaching forward to those things which are ahead,*

Philippians 3:14 *I press toward the goal for the prize of the upward call of God in Christ Jesus.*

Philippians 4

Philippians 4:4 *Rejoice in the Lord always. Again I will say, rejoice!*

Philippians 4:5 *Let your gentleness be known to all men. The Lord is at hand.*

Philippians 4:6-7 *Be anxious for nothing, but in everything by prayer and supplication, with thanksgiving, let your requests be made known to God; and the peace of God, which surpasses all understanding, will guard your hearts and minds through Christ Jesus.*

Philippians 4:8 *Finally, brethren, whatever things are true, whatever things are noble, whatever things are just, whatever things are pure, whatever things are lovely, whatever things are of good report, if there is any virtue and if there is anything praiseworthy—meditate on these things.*

Philippians 4:9 *The things which you learned and received and heard and saw in me, these do, and the God of peace will be with you.*

Philippians 4:11-12 *Not that I speak in regard to need, for I have learned in whatever state I am, to be content: I know how to be abased, and I know how to abound. Everywhere and in all things I have learned both to be full and to be hungry, both to abound and to suffer need.*

Philippians 4:13 *I can do all things through Christ who strengthens me.*

Philippians 4:18 *Indeed I have all and abound. I am full, having received from Epaphroditus the things sent from you, a sweet-smelling aroma, an acceptable sacrifice, well pleasing to God.*

Philippians 4:19 *And my God shall supply all your need according to His riches in glory by Christ Jesus.*

Reflection

1. In what ways has the study of Philippians impacted your life?

2. What was your favorite portion of Philippians that you studied? Why?

... Everywhere and in all things I have learned ...
- Philippians 4:12