



Part 10: Shining Stars

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All scriptures are printed verbatim with translations noted.

Review

Where Paul Finds His Joy (Philippians 1:1-26)

- Right Perspective
- In Trials
- Being Thankful
- In Trust
- In Prayer

Where the Church Could Find Joy (Philippians 1:27-2:13)

- Living a Worthy Life
- Living with the Right Mindset
- Living In Unity
- Living Out Obedience

A Joyful Obedience

Authentic- we are obedient because we want to be.

Motivated- because we love God, and will stand before Him.

Dependent- God's power is transforming our will and our working.

Study Verse Section

Philippians 2:12-13 (ESV)-**Do all things without grumbling**

(γογγυσμῶν) *complaining, muttering or disputing* (διαλογισμῶν) *lit.*

"thought or reasoning" sense of a debate **that you may be blameless**

(ἄμεμπτοι) *above reproach and innocent*, (ἀκέραιοι) *pure, sincere*

children of God without blemish (ἄμωμα) *without fault in the midst*

of a crooked (σκολιᾶς) *also translated unjust and twisted*

(διεστραμμένης) *to make crooked; to pervert* **generation, among whom you shine as lights in the world.**

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Shine Like Stars by

1. GUARDING OUR ATTITUDE

Philippians 2:14 (ESV)- Do all things without grumbling...

Proverbs 13:3 (ESV)-Whoever guards his mouth preserves his life; he who opens wide his lips comes to ruin.

Philippians 2:14 (ESV)- Do all things without grumbling or disputing,

Psalms 19:14 (ESV)-Let the words of my mouth and the meditation of my heart be acceptable in your sight, O Lord, my rock and my redeemer.

2. GUARDING OUR ACTIONS

Philippians 2:15 (ESV)-that you may be blameless and innocent, children of God without blemish in the midst of a crooked and twisted generation, among whom you shine as lights in the world,

1 Thessalonians 2:10 (ESV)-You are witnesses, and God also, how holy and righteous and blameless was our conduct toward you believers.

Philippians 2:16 (ESV)-holding fast to the word of life.

3. GIVING OUR SELVES

Philippians 2:17 (ESV)- Even if I am to be poured out as a drink offering upon the sacrificial offering of your faith, I am glad and rejoice with you all. Likewise you also should be glad and rejoice with me.

Romans 12:1 (ESV)- I appeal to you therefore, brothers, by the mercies of God, to present your bodies as a living sacrifice, holy and acceptable to God.

Ephesians 5:2 (ESV)- And walk in love, as Christ loved us and gave himself up for us, a fragrant offering and sacrifice to God.

Here is the Point: As believers we can shine in a dark world!

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