



List the things you can be praying for in light of Philippians 1.

What changes do you need to make?

## SERMON NOTES

### Memory Verses **Philippians 1:21-22 NIV**

<sup>21</sup> For to me, to live is Christ and to die is gain.

<sup>22</sup> If I am to go on living in the body, this will mean fruitful labor for me.

*In the same way, faith by itself, if it is not accompanied by action, is dead.*

James 2:17 NIV

To become a mature, spiritually reproducing follower of Jesus we have to interact with the Bible. These questions are designed to help you dig deeper into the Word of God and put it into action.



When was the last time you partnered with someone to do something you could not do on your own?

V. 19 Paul thinks the people of Philippi for their prayers concerning him. These prayers are combined with the work of the Holy Spirit.

What are you partnering with God in prayer about?

Could it be the salvation of a family member?

The ministry of one of our missionaries?

The physical and spiritual growth of KEFC?

*Expositor's Bible Commentary* points out the passive voice of the verb "to be exalted" should be noted. Paul did not say, "I will exalt Christ," but "Christ will be exalted in my body."

The apostle was not relying on his own courage, but on the action of the Holy Spirit who would produce this result in response to the prayers of Paul and the Philippians (1:19-20).

For Paul, Jesus was of supreme value. No sacrifice was too great.

What do you value most in your life?

Why?

What will be the outcome of you valuing what you do?

Why is living for Jesus or dying for Him a win-win situation?

Will you commit your life to Jesus to not simply trust Him for your salvation, but to serve Him as He deserves?

If not, why not?

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