

Philippians 1

1. Who are Paul and Timothy? Why do you trust their words in this letter?
2. Who are the saints? Are you certain you are one of them?
3. Why would Paul thank the Lord every time he thought of the saints in Philippi?
4. What does “partnership in the gospel” mean? Why would that bring Paul joy?
5. Why is verse 6 so encouraging?
6. When can the Lord use you for His service?
7. What does it mean that we all share in God’s grace?
8. Where does real love come from? What does it take to get it?
9. What enables you to discern right from wrong?
10. Why does Paul use the analogy of fruit when he describes your righteousness that comes from Christ?
11. What can the most difficult times in your life actually do if you allow it?
12. Does Paul get caught up in competition? What is his genuine attitude?

13. Why does Paul continue to find joy--even in difficult times?
14. What is Paul looking forward to? Can you honestly say that? Why or why not?
15. What is the reason for staying "here"? Is that your reason too? Should it be?
16. How do you conduct yourself in a manner that is worthy of the gospel of Christ?
17. Explain this: There is joy in Jesus--no matter what is going on in my life.

Philippians 2

1. What are a few of the benefits and “fruit” you experience by being one of His?
2. Who should you always emulate?
3. How can self get in the way of all of that so quickly? What are you truly like without the mind of Christ?
4. How important is your attitude? What does it affect?
5. What is Christ’s attitude when it comes to His sacrifice for YOU?
6. When people doubt Jesus and do not take Him seriously, what do you KNOW is going to happen one day? Who WILL get the last Word?
7. Why did Paul comment about their obedience in his absence?
8. How do you work out your salvation? Why with fear and trembling?
9. How all-inclusive is the complaining instruction? What is the root of complaining?
10. What does a negative, critical and complaining attitude do to your testimony?
11. When will you shine like a star? Will it always be “popular”? Why can you still be glad and rejoice?

12. Why was Timothy such an asset to Paul? Can you be counted on like that?
13. How do you know from this passage that the Lord knows exactly how high to turn up the “thermostat of testing?”
14. Why should you strive to be like Epaphroditus?

Philippians 3

1. What does Paul find no trouble in repeating? Why is it so important?
2. What dramatic warning does Paul give?
3. What does it mean to put confidence in flesh? Why are we drawn to do that?
4. What were Paul's "credentials"? What are yours?
5. Why do we feel so strongly about making sure we have earthly credentials?
6. Why do we care so much about what people think of us?
7. What would it take to change your answers to 5 and 6?
8. What do you want to KNOW more than anything?
9. What goes along with having a personal "knowing of Christ"?

10. What outstanding advice does Paul give in verses 13-14? What does that personally mean to you? What does it involve?

11. How do you know if you are one of the “mature”?

12. What do the majority of people live for? What do you REALLY live for?

13. Where is your citizenship? When did that happen? Why is that the greatest place to belong to? How should that affect how you live, today?

14. What are you looking forward to?

Philippians 4

1. Paul starts out this chapter by having you go back to the previous one. How can you stand firm in the Lord?
2. Why does Paul address the problem between these two women in the church? Why do these kinds of things happen--even among church people?
3. How is it possible for you to rejoice in the Lord ALWAYS?
4. Why should the fruit of gentleness be evident in your life to all who know and see you?
5. What is another word for anxious in this passage? Are there any exceptions to the instruction "DO NOT"? How do you know that?
6. Write down the format to an anxious (worry) free life?
7. What is the reward for obeying that command? What does that word mean? Can you produce it on your own?
8. What will peace guard your heart and mind from?
9. What must you choose to keep your mind thinking about? Be specific on what that means.
10. If you do not practice what you have learned, what will happen?
11. Name different circumstances that you have been in. How can you be content in them ALL? What is the secret?
12. Why is it good to share in other's troubles?
13. How does God meet all of His children's needs? Who does He use?

14. Are you ever free to take any glory for who you are or what you've accomplished? Why?

15. AMEN means-----So be it.