

Philippians: INTRODUCTION & Chapter 1 at home study

- 1) On which missionary journey was the church at Philippi established?**
- 2) Where can we read about the beginning of the church at Philippi?**
- 3) Who seems to have stayed at Philippi after Paul left? (cf. "we, they")**
- 4) From where and when did Paul write Philippians?**
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- 5) What three other epistles were written about this time? What are the four epistles sometimes called?**
- 6) What prompted the writing of Philippians? (cf. Phil: 4:10,18)**
- 7) From Acts 16 and Philippians 4, who were some of the members of the church at Philippi?**
- 8) What is the theme running throughout this epistle? Which verse stands out as the key verse?**

Chapter 1

- 1) What are the main points of this chapter?**
- 2) Who joins Paul in addressing this epistle? To whom is it sent? (1)**
- 3) For what is Paul thankful concerning the Philippians? (5)**
- 4) What is Paul confident of concerning the Philippians? (6)**

- 5) Upon what basis did Paul have this confidence concerning the Philippians? (7)**
- 6) What four things did Paul pray for in behalf of the Philippians? (9-11)**
- 7) What was the effect of Paul's imprisonment? (12)**
- 8) What was Paul's attitude about those preaching Christ out of envy and strife, trying to do him harm? (15-18)**
- 9) What was Paul's earnest desire and expectation that he could do with all boldness? (20)**
- 10) What was Paul's attitude toward life and death? (21)**
- 11) Between what two things was Paul hard pressed? (23-24)**
- 12) What sort of conduct did Paul consider worthy of the gospel of Christ? (27)**
- 13) What had been granted to the Philippians on behalf of Christ? (29)**