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The Power of His Resurrection

PHILIPPIANS 3:1-11

PHILIPPIANS 3:1 (ESV)

Finally, my brothers, rejoice in the Lord. To write the same things to you is no trouble to me and is safe for you.

1

Rejoice in the Lord.

PHILIPPIANS 3:2-3 (ESV)

² Look out for the dogs, look out for the evildoers,
look out for those who mutilate the flesh.

PHILIPPIANS 3:2-3 (ESV)

³ For we are the circumcision, who worship by the Spirit of God and glory in Christ Jesus and put no confidence in the flesh—

Peritoma = cut around

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Katatoma = cut off

2

Someone is not a Christian **because of the religious things they do.**

PHILIPPIANS 3:4-6 (ESV)

though I myself have reason for confidence in the flesh also.

PHILIPPIANS 3:4-6 (ESV)

If anyone else thinks he has reason for confidence in the flesh, I have more: ⁵ circumcised on the eighth day, of the people of Israel,

PHILIPPIANS 3:4-6 (ESV)

of the tribe of Benjamin, a Hebrew of Hebrews; as to the law,
a Pharisee; ⁶ as to zeal, a persecutor of the church;

PHILIPPIANS 3:4-6 (ESV)
as to righteousness under the law, blameless.

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PHILIPPIANS 3:7-8 (ESV)

7 But whatever gain I had,
I counted as loss for the sake of Christ.

PHILIPPIANS 3:7-8 (ESV)

8 Indeed, I count everything as loss because of the surpassing worth of knowing Christ Jesus my Lord.

PHILIPPIANS 3:7-8 (ESV)

For his sake I have suffered the loss of all things
and count them as rubbish, in order that I may gain Christ

MATTHEW 16:26 (ESV)

For what will it profit a man if he gains the whole world and forfeits his soul? Or what shall a man give in return for his soul?

3

Someone is not a Christian **because of what they have accomplished.**

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NO CLIMBING

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“It would seem that our Lord finds our desires not too strong,
but too weak. We are half-hearted creatures,

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fooling about with drink and sex and ambition when infinite joy
is offered us, like an ignorant child who wants to go on

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making mud pies in a slum because he cannot imagine what is meant by the offer of a holiday at the sea.

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We are far too easily pleased.

PHILIPPIANS 3:8-9 (ESV)

For his sake I have suffered the loss of all things
and count them as rubbish, in order that I may gain Christ

PHILIPPIANS 3:8-9 (ESV)

⁹ and be found in him, not having a righteousness of my own that comes from the law, but that which comes through faith in Christ,

PHILIPPIANS 3:8-9 (ESV)

the righteousness from God that depends on faith—

2 CORINTHIANS 5:21 (NIV)

God made him who had no sin to be sin for us,
so that in him we might become the righteousness of God.

4

A Christian is someone who's been made righteous by Christ through faith.

PHILIPPIANS 3:10-11 (ESV)

that I may know him and the power of his resurrection,
and may share his sufferings, becoming like him in his death,

PHILIPPIANS 3:10-11 (ESV)

¹¹ that by any means possible I may attain
the resurrection from the dead.

5

A Christian is someone who presses on to know **Christ and the power of His resurrection.**

ROMANS 8:11 (NLT)

The Spirit of God, who raised Jesus from the dead, lives in you.
And just as God raised Christ Jesus from the dead,

ROMANS 8:11 (NLT)

he will give life to your mortal bodies
by this same Spirit living within you.

ACTS 3:19-20 (NLT)

¹⁹ Now repent of your sins and turn to God,
so that your sins may be wiped away.

ACTS 3:19-20 (NLT)

²⁰ Then times of refreshment will come
from the presence of the Lord,

MATTHEW 10:32-33 (ESV)

³² "Whoever acknowledges me before others,
I will also acknowledge before my Father in heaven.

MATTHEW 10:32-33 (ESV)

³³ But whoever disowns me before others,
I will disown before my Father in heaven.

REVELATION 3:20 (ESV)

Behold, I stand at the door and knock. If anyone hears my voice and opens the door, I will come in to him and eat with him, and he with me.

ROMANS 10:9 (ESV)

if you confess with your mouth that Jesus is Lord and believe in your heart that God raised him from the dead, you will be saved.

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