

# Paul's Letter of Joy

***We Must Follow  
Timothy's Example***

***Philippians 2:19 -24***



***Why are  
we so  
different?***

***We Are Evil At Birth***





**We Were  
Spiritually  
Dead  
People**

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***Father  
Sent  
Christ  
To  
Rescue  
Us!***

***Salvation is:***

***Grace Alone***  
***Through***  
***Faith Alone***  
***In***  
***Christ Alone***



## ***We become:***

- ***New self***
- ***New Creation***
- ***New Creature***

***Train up a child in the way  
he should go.***

***Even when he is old he  
will not depart from it.***

***Prov. 22:6***



***Train up a child in the  
mouth of his way.***

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***We Work  
Out Our  
Salvation &  
The Father  
Is Working  
In Us.***

***Some  
Christians  
Are More  
Immature***

***Others Are  
More Mature***



***Are We Different?***

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***Answer: Some are  
more serious!***

# ***Illustration of Sacrificial Service***

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***I hope to . . . send Timothy to you shortly . . .***



***tacheos*** = ***“refers to a future point in time after some point”***

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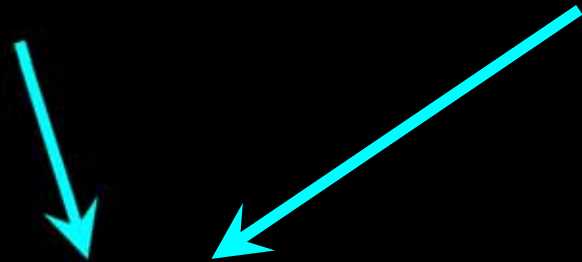
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- Phil. 1:3-5*** - ***Paul prayed for them.***
- Phil. 1:8*** - ***Paul loved them.***
- Phil. 1:9-10*** - ***Paul urged them to mature.***
- Phil. 1:28*** - ***Paul encouraged them.***
- Phil. 1:29-30*** - ***Paul was honest.***

# *Why Paul Is Sending Timothy*

Philippians 2:21

*All seek their own interests, not those of Christ.*



**ta = "things"**

# *Why Paul Is Sending Timothy*

Philippians 2:22

*You know of his proven worth . . .*



*dokime* = “proof of testing”

*Paul appeals . . .*

***Not what Timothy claimed,  
But what Timothy did!***

# ***This Is Paul's Plan***

**Philippians 2:23 - 24**

***Paul would send Timothy.***

***Paul will come to Philippi too!***