

Paul's Letter of Joy

The Secret of Being Content

Philippians 4:10 - 19

We Will Not Be Content

We will not be content if keeping rather than giving becomes our objective. We too often love things and use people, when we should be using things and loving people. We are most content when we're grateful for what we own, satisfied with what we make, and generous to those in need.

Offer of Free Property

A Quaker offered free property to anyone who considered himself contented. When a man came to claim the property, he asked, “If you’re contented, why do you want my property?”

H. A. Ironside. Timothy, Titus and Philemon.

The Good Life

The good life exists only when we stop wanting a better one. The itch for things is a virus draining the soul of contentment.



5 Pounds To Be Perfectly Content

I Rejoiced Greatly

Philippians 4:10

I rejoiced in the Lord greatly that now at last you have revived . . .



anathallow = “to bloom again”





Paul Is Content

Philippians 4:11

Not that I speak from want . . .

husteresis = "need, poverty"

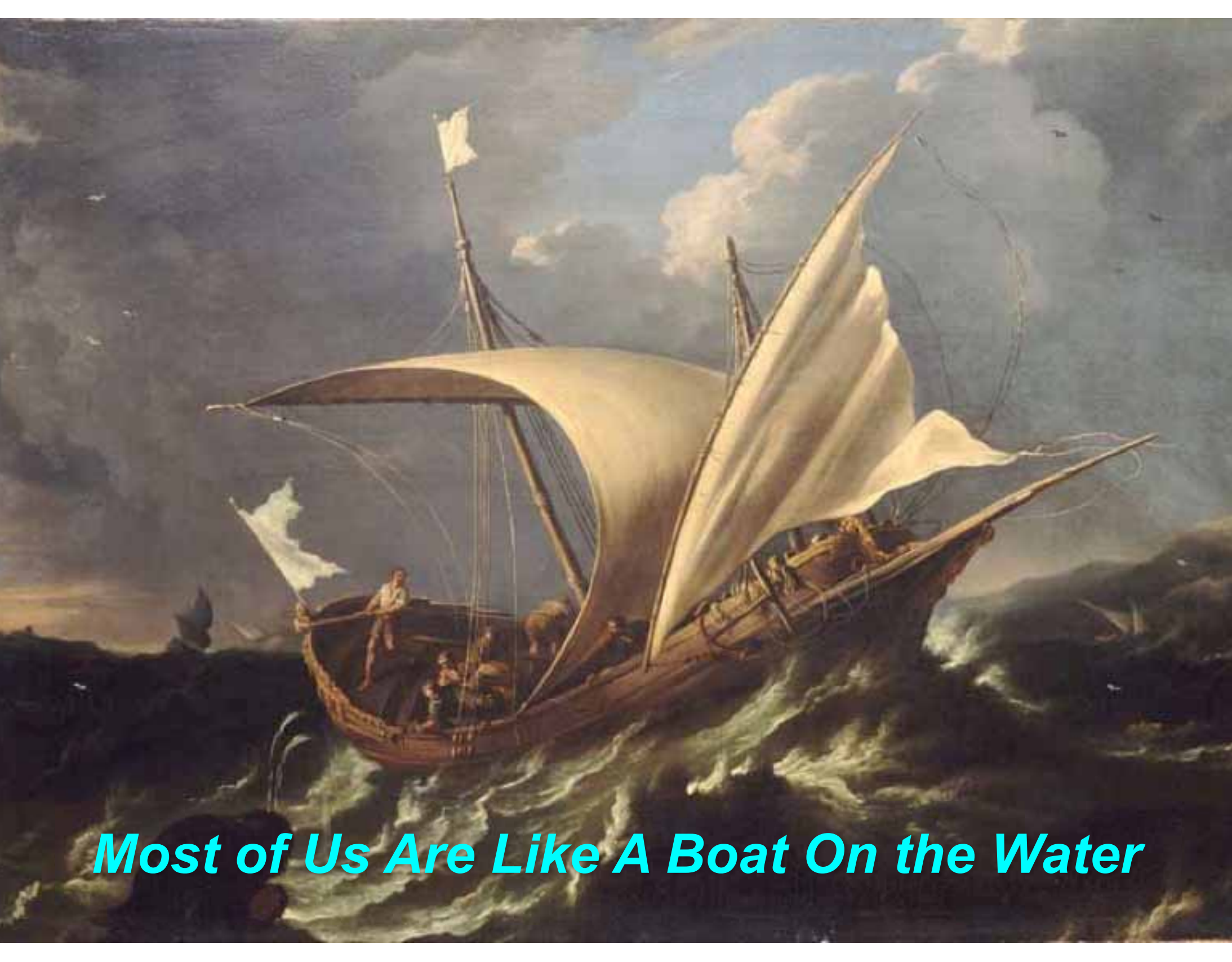


Paul Is Content

Philippians 4:11

I have learned to be content . . .

autarkes = "independent of circumstances"



Most of Us Are Like A Boat On the Water

Paul Is Content

Philippians 4:12



I know how to get along with . . .

Wealth



Little

Paul Is Content

Philippians 4:12

*He learned the
secret . . .*





I can do
ALL
things through
CHRIST
who strengthens me.

- Philippians 4:13

The Super Chief



A background of autumn leaves in shades of yellow, orange, and red, scattered on a rustic wooden surface. The leaves are primarily concentrated in the upper left and top center areas.

I can do

all
things in
Christ

that He has planned for me
in His will.

Philippians 4:13

You Have Done Well

Philippians 4:14

... You have done well to share ...



History About The Philippians

Philippians 4:15 - 16



You Have Done Well

Philippians 4:17 - 19

***. . . I seek for the profit which
increases to your account . . .***



Three Spiritual Principles

Philippians 4:10 - 19

1. The secret of being content is to **want** to live according to the will of Christ **and** know He will enable you.
2. Look out for the interests of others.
3. Know that God will supply all of your needs.