

Philippians Chapter 1 Material

Greeting

¹ Paul and Timothy, servants^[a] of Christ Jesus,

To all the saints in Christ Jesus who are at Philippi, with the overseers^[b] and deacons:^[c]

² Grace to you and peace from God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ.

Thanksgiving and Prayer

³ I thank my God in all my remembrance of you,

⁴ always in every prayer of mine for you all making my prayer with joy,

⁵ because of your partnership in the gospel from the first day until now.

⁶ And I am sure of this, that he who began a good work in you will bring it to completion at the day of Jesus Christ.

⁷ It is right for me to feel this way about you all, because I hold you in my heart, for you are all partakers with me of grace,^[d] both in my imprisonment and in the defense and confirmation of the gospel.

⁸ For God is my witness, how I yearn for you all with the affection of Christ Jesus.

⁹ And it is my prayer that your love may abound more and more, with knowledge and all discernment,

¹⁰ so that you may approve what is excellent, and so be pure and blameless for the day of Christ,

¹¹ filled with the fruit of righteousness that comes through Jesus Christ, to the glory and praise of God.

The Advance of the Gospel

¹² I want you to know, brothers,^[e] that what has happened to me has really served to advance the gospel,

¹³ so that it has become known throughout the whole imperial guard^[f] and to all the rest that my imprisonment is for Christ.

¹⁴ And most of the brothers, having become confident in the Lord by my imprisonment, are much more bold to speak the word^[g] without fear.

¹⁵ Some indeed preach Christ from envy and rivalry, but others from good will.

¹⁶ The latter do it out of love, knowing that I am put here for the defense of the gospel.

¹⁷ The former proclaim Christ out of selfish ambition, not sincerely but thinking to afflict me in my imprisonment.

¹⁸ What then? Only that in every way, whether in pretense or in truth, Christ is proclaimed, and in that I rejoice.

To Live Is Christ

Yes, and I will rejoice,

¹⁹ for I know that through your prayers and the help of the Spirit of Jesus Christ this will turn out for my deliverance,

²⁰ as it is my eager expectation and hope that I will not be at all ashamed, but that with full courage now as always Christ will be honored in my body, whether by life or by death.

²¹ For to me to live is Christ, and to die is gain.

²² If I am to live in the flesh, that means fruitful labor for me. Yet which I shall choose I cannot tell.

²³ I am hard pressed between the two. My desire is to depart and be with Christ, for that is far better.

²⁴ But to remain in the flesh is more necessary on your account.

²⁵ Convinced of this, I know that I will remain and continue with you all, for your progress and joy in the faith,

²⁶ so that in me you may have ample cause to glory in Christ Jesus, because of my coming to you again.

²⁷ Only let your manner of life be worthy^(b) of the gospel of Christ, so that whether I come and see you or am absent, I may hear of you that you are standing firm in one spirit, with one mind striving side by side for the faith of the gospel,

²⁸ and not frightened in anything by your opponents. This is a clear sign to them of their destruction, but of your salvation, and that from God.

²⁹ For it has been granted to you that for the sake of Christ you should not only believe in him but also suffer for his sake,

³⁰ engaged in the same conflict that you saw I had and now hear that I still have.

Philippians 1 Questions

Philippians 1:1 Who are at Philippi? The saints in Christ Jesus

Philippians 1:1 At where are the saints in Christ Jesus? Philippi

Philippians 1:3 Whom do I thank? My God

Philippians 1:3 In what do I thank my God? All my remembrance of you

Philippians 1:6 What am I? Sure

Philippians 1:6 Of what am I sure? (This, that) He who began a good work in you will bring it to completion at the day of Jesus Christ

Philippians 1:6 Who will bring it to completion? He who began a good work in you

Philippians 1:6 To what will he who began a good work in you bring it? Completion

Philippians 1:6 At when will he who began a good work in you bring it to completion? The day of Jesus Christ

Philippians 1:7 What is it? Right for me to feel this way

Philippians 1:7 How is it right for me to feel? This way

Philippians 1:7 About whom is it right for me to feel this way [**OR** Who are partakers]? You all

Philippians 1:7 Why is it right for me to feel this way about you all? Because I hold you in my heart, for you are all partakers with me of grace, both in my imprisonment and in the defense and confirmation of the gospel

Philippians 1:7 In what do I hold you? My heart

Philippians 1:7 What are you (all)? Partakers (in my heart)

Philippians 1:7 Of what are you partakers (with me)? Grace

Philippians 1:7 In what are you partakers (with me)? My imprisonment and (in) the defense and confirmation of the gospel

Philippians 1:8 Who is my witness? God

Philippians 1:8 What is God? My witness

Philippians 1:8 For whom do I yearn? You all

Philippians 1:8 With what do I yearn? The affection of Christ Jesus

Philippians 1:9 What is my prayer? (It, that) Your love may abound more and more with knowledge and all discernment

Philippians 1:9 What may abound? Your love

Philippians 1:9 How may your love abound? More and more

Philippians 1:9 With what may your love abound? Knowledge and all discernment

Philippians 1:10 What may you approve? What is excellent

Philippians 1:10 What may you be? Pure and blameless

Philippians 1:10 For when may you be pure and blameless? The day of Christ

Philippians 1:12 What do I want you to know? (That what) Has happened to me has really served to advance the gospel

Philippians 1:12 Whom do I want to know? (You) Brothers

Philippians 1:12 What has served to advance the gospel (really)? What has happened to me

Philippians 1:12 How has what has happened to me served to advance the gospel? Really

Philippians 1:13 What has it become? Known

Philippians 1:13 Throughout whom has it become known? The whole imperial guard (and to all the rest)

Philippians 1:13 What is for Christ? My imprisonment

Philippians 1:13 For whom is my imprisonment? Christ

Philippians 1:14 Who are much more bold? Most of the brothers

Philippians 1:14 Having become what are most of the brothers much more bold? Confident in the Lord by my imprisonment

Philippians 1:14 How are most of the brothers [OR What are most of the brothers]? Much more bold OR Without fear

Philippians 1:14 What are most of the brothers much more bold to speak? The word

Philippians 1:15 Who preach Christ? Some OR Others

Philippians 1:15 From what do some preach Christ? Envy and rivalry

Philippians 1:15 From what do others preach Christ? Good will

Philippians 1:16 Who do it (out of love)? The latter

Philippians 1:16 Out of what do the latter do it? Love

Philippians 1:16 Knowing what do the latter do it (out of love)? (That) I am put here for the defense of the gospel

Philippians 1:16 For what am I put here [OR Why am I put here]? (For) The defense of the gospel

Philippians 1:17 Who proclaim (out of selfish ambition)? The former

Philippians 1:17 Whom do the former proclaim (out of selfish ambition)? Christ

Philippians 1:17 Out of what do the former proclaim Christ? Selfish ambition

Philippians 1:17 How do the former not proclaim Christ? Sincerely

Philippians 1:17 Thinking what do the former proclaim Christ out of selfish ambition? To afflict me in my imprisonment

Philippians 1:18 How is Christ proclaimed? In every way OR Whether in pretense or (in) truth

Philippians 1:18 Who is proclaimed? Christ

Philippians 1:18 What is Christ? Proclaimed

Philippians 1:18 In what do I rejoice [OR In what will I rejoice]? (That) In every way, whether in pretense or in truth, Christ is proclaimed

Philippians 1:19 What do I know? (That) Through your prayers and the help of the Spirit of Jesus Christ this will turn out for my deliverance

Philippians 1:19 Through what will this turn out for my deliverance? Your prayers and the help of the Spirit of Jesus Christ

Philippians 1:19 For what will this turn out? My deliverance

Philippians 1:20 What is my eager expectation and hope? (That) I will not be at all ashamed, but (that) with full courage now as always Christ will be honored in my body whether by life or by death

Philippians 1:21 What is Christ? For me to live

Philippians 1:21 What is gain? For me to die

Philippians 1:22 If what does that mean fruitful labor for me? I am to live in the flesh

Philippians 1:22 What does that mean if I am to live in the flesh? Fruitful labor

Philippians 1:23 Between what am I hard pressed? The two

Philippians 1:23 What is my desire [OR What is far better]? To depart and be with Christ

Philippians 1:24 What is more necessary on your account? To remain in the flesh

Philippians 1:25 What do I know? (That) I will remain and continue with you all

Philippians 1:25 With whom do I know that I will remain and continue? You all

Philippians 1:25 Why do I know that I will remain and continue? For your progress and joy in the faith

Philippians 1:26 In whom may you have ample cause to glory? Christ Jesus

Philippians 1:26 What may you have? Ample cause to glory in Christ Jesus

Philippians 1:26 Why may you have ample cause to glory in Christ Jesus? Because of my coming to you again

Philippians 1:27 Let what be worthy? Your manner of life

Philippians 1:27 Of what let your manner of life be worthy? The gospel of Christ

Philippians 1:27 Why let your manner of life be worthy of the gospel of Christ? So that whether I come and see you or am absent, I may hear of you that you are standing firm in one spirit with one mind striving side by side for the faith of the gospel

Philippians 1:27 What may I hear (of you)? (That) You are standing firm in one spirit with one mind striving side by side for the faith of the gospel

Philippians 1:27 In what may I hear you are standing firm? One spirit

- Philippians 1:28 What is this? A clear sign to them of their destruction but of your salvation (and that from God)
- Philippians 1:28 Of what is this a clear sign? Their destruction **OR** Your salvation (and that from God)
- Philippians 1:29 What has it been granted to you? (That) You should not only believe in him (Christ) but also suffer for his sake
- Philippians 1:29 Why should you not only believe in him but also suffer (believe in Christ but also suffer)? For the sake of Christ (him) **OR** For his sake
- Philippians 1:30 What did you see I had and hear that I still have [**OR** What did I have and do I still have]? The same conflict
- Philippians 1:30 When do I have the same conflict? Still