

## Philippians

Bible Class 5  
Have this attitude in yourselves  
which was also in Christ Jesus  
Php 2:1-11

## Conduct yourselves in a manner worthy of the gospel of Christ

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## Introduction

- God not only wants to save us through Jesus, one by one as individuals, but He also desires that we be unified with Him and one another in Christ
- Unity in Christ provides great joy while division produces sorrow and grief
- This unity comes by no accident but is dependent on attitudes that we are to develop and practice in the gospel

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- Further, this unity can only be produced and maintained as we have the attitude of Christ within us
- Jesus perfectly demonstrated humility of mind, putting God's will first and lovingly sacrificially serving others to the point of death

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- If we continue to have the attitude of Christ, we will, as Jesus has been, be exalted to eternal glory
- Let us study to have the mind of Christ that leads to unity and eternal life

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## Have this attitude in yourselves which was also in Christ Jesus

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## Attitudes That Motivate Us To Be Unified

Php 2:1 Therefore if there is any encouragement in Christ, if there is any consolation of love, if there is any fellowship of the Spirit, if any affection and compassion,

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## Encouragement (Comfort) In Christ

Gal 3:26 For you are all sons of God through faith in Christ Jesus.

Gal 3:27 For all of you who were baptized into Christ have clothed yourselves with Christ.

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## Encouragement (Comfort) In Christ

2Co 1:3 Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of mercies and God of all comfort,

2Co 1:4 who comforts us in all our affliction so that we will be able to comfort those who are in any affliction with the comfort with which we ourselves are comforted by God.

2Co 1:5 For just as the sufferings of Christ are ours in abundance, so also our comfort is abundant through Christ.

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## Consolation of Love

1Jn 3:1 See how great a love the Father has bestowed on us, that we would be called children of God; and such we are. For this reason the world does not know us, because it did not know Him.

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## Consolation of Love

1Jn 3:2 Beloved, now we are children of God, and it has not appeared as yet what we will be. We know that when He appears, we will be like Him, because we will see Him just as He is.

1Jn 3:3 And everyone who has this hope fixed on Him purifies himself, just as He is pure.

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## Consolation of Love

2Th 2:16 Now may our Lord Jesus Christ Himself and God our Father, who has loved us and given us eternal comfort and good hope by grace,

2Th 2:17 comfort and strengthen your hearts in every good work and word.

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## Fellowship of The Spirit

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1Co 3:16 Do you not know that you are a temple of God and that the Spirit of God dwells in you?

1Co 3:17 If any man destroys the temple of God, God will destroy him, for the temple of God is holy, and that is what you are.

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## Fellowship of The Spirit

1Co 6:18 Flee immorality. Every other sin that a man commits is outside the body, but the immoral man sins against his own body.

1Co 6:19 Or do you not know that your body is a temple of the Holy Spirit who is in you, whom you have from God, and that you are not your own?

1Co 6:20 For you have been bought with a price: therefore glorify God in your body.

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## Affection and Compassion

Col 3:12 So, as those who have been chosen of God, holy and beloved, put on a heart of compassion, kindness, humility, gentleness and patience;

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## Unity That Leads To Joy

Php 2:2 make my joy complete by being of the same mind, maintaining the same love, united in spirit, intent on one purpose.

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## Unity That Leads To Joy

Joh 17:20 "I do not ask on behalf of these alone, but for those also who believe in Me through their word;

Joh 17:21 that they may all be one; even as You, Father, are in Me and I in You, that they also may be in Us, so that the world may believe that You sent Me.

Joh 17:22 "The glory which You have given Me I have given to them, that they may be one, just as We are one;

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Joh 17:23 I in them and You in Me, that they may be perfected in unity, so that the world may know that You sent Me, and loved them, even as You have loved Me.

Joh 17:24 "Father, I desire that they also, whom You have given Me, be with Me where I am, so that they may see My glory which You have given Me, for You loved Me before the foundation of the world.

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## Unity That Leads To Joy

Joh 17:25 "O righteous Father, although the world has not known You, yet I have known You; and these have known that You sent Me;

Joh 17:26 and I have made Your name known to them, and will make it known, so that the love with which You loved Me may be in them, and I in them."

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## Unity That Leads To Joy

1Pe 1:22 Since you have in obedience to the truth purified your souls for a sincere love of the brethren, fervently love one another from the heart,

1Pe 1:23 for you have been born again not of seed which is perishable but imperishable, that is, through the living and enduring word of God.

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## Unity That Leads To Joy

1Co 1:10 Now I exhort you, brethren, by the name of our Lord Jesus Christ, that you all agree and that there be no divisions among you, but that you be made complete in the same mind and in the same judgment.

1Co 1:11 For I have been informed concerning you, my brethren, by Chloe's people, that there are quarrels among you.

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## Unity That Leads To Joy

1Co 1:12 Now I mean this, that each one of you is saying, "I am of Paul," and "I of Apollos," and "I of Cephas," and "I of Christ."

1Co 1:13 Has Christ been divided? Paul was not crucified for you, was he? Or were you baptized in the name of Paul?

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## Attitudes Needed To Produce This Unity

Php 2:3 Do nothing from selfishness or empty conceit, but with humility of mind regard one another as more important than yourselves;

Php 2:4 do not merely look out for your own personal interests, but also for the interests of others.

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## No Selfishness

Rom 2:8 but to those who are selfishly ambitious and do not obey the truth, but obey unrighteousness, wrath and indignation.

Gal 5:20 idolatry, sorcery, enmities, strife, jealousy, outbursts of anger, disputes, dissensions, factions,

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## No Selfishness

Php 1:17 the former proclaim Christ out of selfish ambition rather than from pure motives, thinking to cause me distress in my imprisonment.

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## No Empty Conceit

1Co 1:26 For consider your calling, brethren, that there were not many wise according to the flesh, not many mighty, not many noble;

1Co 1:27 but God has chosen the foolish things of the world to shame the wise, and God has chosen the weak things of the world to shame the things which are strong,

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## No Empty Conceit

1Co 1:28 and the base things of the world and the despised God has chosen, the things that are not, so that He may nullify the things that are,

1Co 1:29 so that no man may boast before God.

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## No Empty Conceit

1Co 1:30 But by His doing you are in Christ Jesus, who became to us wisdom from God, and righteousness and sanctification, and redemption,

1Co 1:31 so that, just as it is written, "LET HIM WHO BOASTS, BOAST IN THE LORD."

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## Humility of Mind

Mat 18:2 And He called a child to Himself and set him before them,

Mat 18:3 and said, "Truly I say to you, unless you are converted and become like children, you will not enter the kingdom of heaven.

Mat 18:4 "Whoever then humbles himself as this child, he is the greatest in the kingdom of heaven.

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## Humility of Mind

Eph 4:1 Therefore I, the prisoner of the Lord, implore you to walk in a manner worthy of the calling with which you have been called,

Eph 4:2 with all humility and gentleness, with patience, showing tolerance for one another in love,

Eph 4:3 being diligent to preserve the unity of the Spirit in the bond of peace.

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## Look Out For The Interests of Others

Rom 15:1 Now we who are strong ought to bear the weaknesses of those without strength and not just please ourselves.

Rom 15:2 Each of us is to please his neighbor for his good, to his edification.

Rom 15:3 For even Christ did not please Himself; but as it is written, "THE REPROACHES OF THOSE WHO REPROACHED YOU FELL ON ME."

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## Look Out For The Interests of Others

Rom 12:10 Be devoted to one another in brotherly love; give preference to one another in honor;

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## Have The Attitude of Christ In Yourselves

Php 2:5 Have this attitude in yourselves which was also in Christ Jesus,

Php 2:6 who, although He existed in the form of God, did not regard equality with God a thing to be grasped,

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## Have The Attitude of Christ In Yourselves

Php 2:7 but emptied Himself, taking the form of a bond-servant, and being made in the likeness of men.

Php 2:8 Being found in appearance as a man, He humbled Himself by becoming obedient to the point of death, even death on a cross.

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## Have The Attitude of Christ In Yourselves

- As Jesus' disciples, we must become like Him transformed by the gospel
- Therefore, we will seek to have and practice the attitude or mind of Christ
- Jesus emptied Himself denying His glory and honor with the Father and the Holy Spirit, taking the form of a man

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## Have The Attitude of Christ In Yourselves

- While on earth, He possessed His Divine nature but limited Himself to doing the Father's will, not exercising His Divine powers for His own self interest
- He humbly obeyed the Father as a bond-servant to the point of death on a cross
- He always looked out for the interests of others whom He died for to save, change and give eternal life

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## We Must Be Transformed Into Jesus' Image By The Gospel

Luk 6:40 "A pupil is not above his teacher; but everyone, after he has been fully trained, will be like his teacher.

Luk 9:23 And He was saying to them all, "If anyone wishes to come after Me, he must deny himself, and take up his cross daily and follow Me.

Luk 9:24 "For whoever wishes to save his life will lose it, but whoever loses his life for My sake, he is the one who will save it.

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Rom 8:29 For those whom He foreknew, He also predestined to become conformed to the image of His Son, so that He would be the firstborn among many brethren;

2Co 3:18 But we all, with unveiled face, beholding as in a mirror the glory of the Lord, are being transformed into the same image from glory to glory, just as from the Lord, the Spirit.

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## Jesus Emptied Himself Leaving The Glory of Heaven and Taking The Form of Man

Joh 1:1 In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God.

Joh 1:2 He was in the beginning with God.

Joh 1:3 All things came into being through Him, and apart from Him nothing came into being that has come into being.

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Joh 1:14 And the Word became flesh, and dwelt among us, and we saw His glory, glory as of the only begotten from the Father, full of grace and truth.

Joh 1:18 No one has seen God at any time; the only begotten God who is in the bosom of the Father, He has explained Him.

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Joh 17:5 "Now, Father, glorify Me together with Yourself, with the glory which I had with You before the world was.

Isa 42:8 "I am the LORD, that is My name; I will not give My glory to another, Nor My praise to graven images.

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### Jesus Emptied Himself Leaving The Glory of Heaven and Taking The Form of Man

Heb 2:14 Therefore, since the children share in flesh and blood, He Himself likewise also partook of the same, that through death He might render powerless him who had the power of death, that is, the devil,  
Heb 2:15 and might free those who through fear of death were subject to slavery all their lives.

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### Jesus Emptied Himself Leaving The Glory of Heaven and Taking The Form of Man

Heb 2:16 For assuredly He does not give help to angels, but He gives help to the descendant of Abraham.  
Heb 2:17 Therefore, He had to be made like His brethren in all things, so that He might become a merciful and faithful high priest in things pertaining to God, to make propitiation for the sins of the people.

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Heb 2:18 For since He Himself was tempted in that which He has suffered, He is able to come to the aid of those who are tempted.

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### Jesus Emptied Himself Leaving The Glory of Heaven and Taking The Form of Man

Heb 4:14 Therefore, since we have a great high priest who has passed through the heavens, Jesus the Son of God, let us hold fast our confession.

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### Jesus Emptied Himself Leaving The Glory of Heaven and Taking The Form of Man

Heb 4:15 For we do not have a high priest who cannot sympathize with our weaknesses, but One who has been tempted in all things as we are, yet without sin.  
Heb 4:16 Therefore let us draw near with confidence to the throne of grace, so that we may receive mercy and find grace to help in time of need.

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### While On Earth Jesus Retained His Divine Nature

Joh 5:16 For this reason the Jews were persecuting Jesus, because He was doing these things on the Sabbath.  
Joh 5:17 But He answered them, "My Father is working until now, and I Myself am working."

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## While On Earth Jesus Retained His Divine Nature

Joh 5:18 For this reason therefore the Jews were seeking all the more to kill Him, because He not only was breaking the Sabbath, but also was calling God His own Father, making Himself equal with God.

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## While On Earth Jesus Retained His Divine Nature

Joh 8:56 "Your father Abraham rejoiced to see My day, and he saw it and was glad."  
Joh 8:57 So the Jews said to Him, "You are not yet fifty years old, and have You seen Abraham?"

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Joh 8:58 Jesus said to them, "Truly, truly, I say to you, before Abraham was born, I am."  
Joh 8:59 Therefore they picked up stones to throw at Him, but Jesus hid Himself and went out of the temple.

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Joh 9:35 Jesus heard that they had put him out, and finding him, He said, "Do you believe in the Son of Man?"  
Joh 9:36 He answered, "Who is He, Lord, that I may believe in Him?"

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Joh 9:37 Jesus said to him, "You have both seen Him, and He is the one who is talking with you."  
Joh 9:38 And he said, "Lord, I believe." And he worshiped Him.  
Joh 9:39 And Jesus said, "For judgment I came into this world, so that those who do not see may see, and that those who see may become blind."

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## While On Earth Jesus Retained His Divine Nature

Mar 2:1 When He had come back to Capernaum several days afterward, it was heard that He was at home.  
Mar 2:2 And many were gathered together, so that there was no longer room, not even near the door; and He was speaking the word to them.  
Mar 2:3 And they \*came, bringing to Him a paralytic, carried by four men.

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## While On Earth Jesus Retained His Divine Nature

Mar 2:4 Being unable to get to Him because of the crowd, they removed the roof above Him; and when they had dug an opening, they let down the pallet on which the paralytic was lying.

Mar 2:5 And Jesus seeing their faith \*said to the paralytic, "Son, your sins are forgiven."

Mar 2:6 But some of the scribes were sitting there and reasoning in their hearts,

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## While On Earth Jesus Retained His Divine Nature

Mar 2:7 "Why does this man speak that way? He is blaspheming; who can forgive sins but God alone?"

Mar 2:8 Immediately Jesus, aware in His spirit that they were reasoning that way within themselves, \*said to them, "Why are you reasoning about these things in your hearts?"

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## While On Earth Jesus Retained His Divine Nature

Mar 2:9 "Which is easier, to say to the paralytic, 'Your sins are forgiven'; or to say, 'Get up, and pick up your pallet and walk'?"

Mar 2:10 "But so that you may know that the Son of Man has authority on earth to forgive sins"--He \*said to the paralytic,

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## While On Earth Jesus Retained His Divine Nature

Mar 2:11 "I say to you, get up, pick up your pallet and go home."

Mar 2:12 And he got up and immediately picked up the pallet and went out in the sight of everyone, so that they were all amazed and were glorifying God, saying, "We have never seen anything like this."

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## While On Earth Jesus Retained His Divine Nature

Mat 26:51 And behold, one of those who were with Jesus reached and drew out his sword, and struck the slave of the high priest and cut off his ear.

Mat 26:52 Then Jesus \*said to him, "Put your sword back into its place; for all those who take up the sword shall perish by the sword.

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## While On Earth Jesus Retained His Divine Nature

Luk 22:50 And one of them struck the slave of the high priest and cut off his right ear.

Luk 22:51 But Jesus answered and said, "Stop! No more of this." And He touched his ear and healed him.

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## While On Earth Jesus Retained His Divine Nature

Mat 26:53 "Or do you think that I cannot appeal to My Father, and He will at once put at My disposal more than twelve legions of angels?"

Mat 26:54 "How then will the Scriptures be fulfilled, which say that it must happen this way?"

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## While On Earth Jesus Retained His Divine Nature

2Ti 2:11 It is a trustworthy statement: For if we died with Him, we will also live with Him;

2Ti 2:12 If we endure, we will also reign with Him; If we deny Him, He also will deny us;

2Ti 2:13 If we are faithless, He remains faithful, for He cannot deny Himself.

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## Jesus Humbly Obeyed God As A Bond-servant To The Point of Death On A Cross

Joh 4:34 Jesus \*said to them, "My food is to do the will of Him who sent Me and to accomplish His work.

Joh 6:38 "For I have come down from heaven, not to do My own will, but the will of Him who sent Me.

Joh 14:31 but so that the world may know that I love the Father, I do exactly as the Father commanded Me. Get up, let us go from here.

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Mar 14:34 And He \*said to them, "My soul is deeply grieved to the point of death; remain here and keep watch."

Mar 14:35 And He went a little beyond them, and fell to the ground and began to pray that if it were possible, the hour might pass Him by.

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Mar 14:36 And He was saying, "Abba! Father! All things are possible for You; remove this cup from Me; yet not what I will, but what You will."

Luk 22:41 And He withdrew from them about a stone's throw, and He knelt down and began to pray,

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Luk 22:42 saying, "Father, if You are willing, remove this cup from Me; yet not My will, but Yours be done."

Luk 22:43 Now an angel from heaven appeared to Him, strengthening Him.

Luk 22:44 And being in agony He was praying very fervently; and His sweat became like drops of blood, falling down upon the ground.

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Heb 5:7 In the days of His flesh, He offered up both prayers and supplications with loud crying and tears to the One able to save Him from death, and He was heard because of His piety.

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Joh 12:27 "Now My soul has become troubled; and what shall I say, 'Father, save Me from this hour'? But for this purpose I came to this hour.

Joh 12:28 "Father, glorify Your name." Then a voice came out of heaven: "I have both glorified it, and will glorify it again."

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Joh 18:10 Simon Peter then, having a sword, drew it and struck the high priest's slave, and cut off his right ear; and the slave's name was Malchus.

Joh 18:11 So Jesus said to Peter, "Put the sword into the sheath; the cup which the Father has given Me, shall I not drink it?"

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Mat 27:46 About the ninth hour Jesus cried out with a loud voice, saying, "ELI, ELI, LAMA SABACHTHANI?" that is, "MY GOD, MY GOD, WHY HAVE YOU FORSAKEN ME?"

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Jesus Humbly Obeyed God So That We Might Be Saved and Changed

Isa 53:4 Surely our griefs He Himself bore, And our sorrows He carried; Yet we ourselves esteemed Him stricken, Smitten of God, and afflicted.

Isa 53:5 But He was pierced through for our transgressions, He was crushed for our iniquities; The chastening for our well-being fell upon Him, And by His scourging we are healed.

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Isa 53:6 All of us like sheep have gone astray, Each of us has turned to his own way; But the LORD has caused the iniquity of us all To fall on Him.

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Rom 5:8 But God demonstrates His own love toward us, in that while we were yet sinners, Christ died for us.

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Heb 5:8 Although He was a Son, He learned obedience from the things which He suffered.

Heb 5:9 And having been made perfect, He became to all those who obey Him the source of eternal salvation,

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Act 2:36 "Therefore let all the house of Israel know for certain that God has made Him both Lord and Christ--this Jesus whom you crucified."

Act 2:37 Now when they heard this, they were pierced to the heart, and said to Peter and the rest of the apostles, "Brethren, what shall we do?"

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Heb 4:12 For the word of God is living and active and sharper than any two-edged sword, and piercing as far as the division of soul and spirit, of both joints and marrow, and able to judge the thoughts and intentions of the heart.

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Rom 12:1 Therefore I urge you, brethren, by the mercies of God, to present your bodies a living and holy sacrifice, acceptable to God, which is your spiritual service of worship.

Rom 12:2 And do not be conformed to this world, but be transformed by the renewing of your mind, so that you may prove what the will of God is, that which is good and acceptable and perfect.

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## Jesus Humbly Obeyed God So That We Might Be Saved and Changed

2Pe 1:3 seeing that His divine power has granted to us everything pertaining to life and godliness, through the true knowledge of Him who called us by His own glory and excellence.

2Pe 1:4 For by these He has granted to us His precious and magnificent promises, so that by them you may become partakers of the divine nature, having escaped the corruption that is in the world by lust.

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Eph 3:16 that He would grant you, according to the riches of His glory, to be strengthened with power through His Spirit in the inner man,

Eph 3:17 so that Christ may dwell in your hearts through faith; and that you, being rooted and grounded in love,

Eph 3:18 may be able to comprehend with all the saints what is the breadth and length and height and depth,

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## Jesus Humbly Obeyed God So That We Might Be Saved and Changed

Eph 3:19 and to know the love of Christ which surpasses knowledge, that you may be filled up to all the fullness of God.

Eph 3:20 Now to Him who is able to do far more abundantly beyond all that we ask or think, according to the power that works within us,

Eph 3:21 to Him be the glory in the church and in Christ Jesus to all generations forever and ever. Amen.

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## Jesus Showed Compassion For Sinners

Luk 7:36 Now one of the Pharisees was requesting Him to dine with him, and He entered the Pharisee's house and reclined at the table.

Luk 7:37 And there was a woman in the city who was a sinner; and when she learned that He was reclining at the table in the Pharisee's house, she brought an alabaster vial of perfume,

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Luk 7:38 and standing behind Him at His feet, weeping, she began to wet His feet with her tears, and kept wiping them with the hair of her head, and kissing His feet and anointing them with the perfume.

Luk 7:39 Now when the Pharisee who had invited Him saw this, he said to himself, "If this man were a prophet He would know who and what sort of person this woman is who is touching Him, that she is a sinner." 85

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Luk 7:40 And Jesus answered him, "Simon, I have something to say to you." And he replied, "Say it, Teacher."

Luk 7:41 "A moneylender had two debtors: one owed five hundred denarii, and the other fifty.

Luk 7:42 "When they were unable to repay, he graciously forgave them both. So which of them will love him more?" 86

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Luk 7:43 Simon answered and said, "I suppose the one whom he forgave more." And He said to him, "You have judged correctly."

Luk 7:44 Turning toward the woman, He said to Simon, "Do you see this woman? I entered your house; you gave Me no water for My feet, but she has wet My feet with her tears and wiped them with her hair." 87

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Luk 7:45 "You gave Me no kiss; but she, since the time I came in, has not ceased to kiss My feet.

Luk 7:46 "You did not anoint My head with oil, but she anointed My feet with perfume.

Luk 7:47 "For this reason I say to you, her sins, which are many, have been forgiven, for she loved much; but he who is forgiven little, loves little." 88

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Luk 7:48 Then He said to her, "Your sins have been forgiven."

Luk 7:49 Those who were reclining at the table with Him began to say to themselves, "Who is this man who even forgives sins?"

Luk 7:50 And He said to the woman, "Your faith has saved you; go in peace." 89

## We Should Show Compassion For Sinners

Act 10:34 Opening his mouth, Peter said: "I most certainly understand now that God is not one to show partiality,

Act 10:35 but in every nation the man who fears Him and does what is right is welcome to Him." 90

## We Should Show Compassion For Sinners

Gal 6:1 Brethren, even if anyone is caught in any trespass, you who are spiritual, restore such a one in a spirit of gentleness; each one looking to yourself, so that you too will not be tempted.

Gal 6:2 Bear one another's burdens, and thereby fulfill the law of Christ.

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## We Should Show Compassion For Sinners

Gal 6:3 For if anyone thinks he is something when he is nothing, he deceives himself.

Gal 6:4 But each one must examine his own work, and then he will have reason for boasting in regard to himself alone, and not in regard to another.

Gal 6:5 For each one will bear his own load.

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## Jesus Lovingly Sacrificially Served Others

Luk 22:21 "But behold, the hand of the one betraying Me is with Mine on the table.

Luk 22:22 "For indeed, the Son of Man is going as it has been determined; but woe to that man by whom He is betrayed!"

Luk 22:23 And they began to discuss among themselves which one of them it might be who was going to do this thing.

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## Jesus Lovingly Sacrificially Served Others

Luk 22:24 And there arose also a dispute among them *as to* which one of them was regarded to be greatest.

Luk 22:25 And He said to them, "The kings of the Gentiles lord it over them; and those who have authority over them are called 'Benefactors.'

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## Jesus Lovingly Sacrificially Served Others

Luk 22:26 "But *it is* not this way with you, but the one who is the greatest among you must become like the youngest, and the leader like the servant.

Luk 22:27 "For who is greater, the one who reclines *at the table* or the one who serves? Is it not the one who reclines *at the table*? But I am among you as the one who serves.

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## Jesus Lovingly Sacrificially Served Others

Joh 13:3 Jesus, knowing that the Father had given all things into His hands, and that He had come forth from God and was going back to God,

Joh 13:4 \*got up from supper, and \*laid aside His garments; and taking a towel, He girded Himself.

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## Jesus Lovingly Sacrificially Served Others

Joh 13:5 Then He \*poured water into the basin, and began to wash the disciples' feet and to wipe them with the towel with which He was girded.

Joh 13:6 So He \*came to Simon Peter. He \*said to Him, "Lord, do You wash my feet?"

Joh 13:7 Jesus answered and said to him, "What I do you do not realize now, but you will understand hereafter."

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## Jesus Lovingly Sacrificially Served Others

Joh 13:8 Peter \*said to Him, "Never shall You wash my feet!" Jesus answered him, "If I do not wash you, you have no part with Me."

Joh 13:9 Simon Peter \*said to Him, "Lord, then wash not only my feet, but also my hands and my head."

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## Jesus Lovingly Sacrificially Served Others

Joh 13:10 Jesus \*said to him, "He who has bathed needs only to wash his feet, but is completely clean; and you are clean, but not all of you."

Joh 13:11 For He knew the one who was betraying Him; for this reason He said, "Not all of you are clean."

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## Jesus Lovingly Sacrificially Served Others

Joh 13:12 So when He had washed their feet, and taken His garments and reclined at the table again, He said to them, "Do you know what I have done to you?"

Joh 13:13 "You call Me Teacher and Lord; and you are right, for so I am.

Joh 13:14 "If I then, the Lord and the Teacher, washed your feet, you also ought to wash one another's feet.

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## Jesus Lovingly Sacrificially Served Others

Joh 13:15 "For I gave you an example that you also should do as I did to you.

Joh 13:16 "Truly, truly, I say to you, a slave is not greater than his master, nor is one who is sent greater than the one who sent him.

Joh 13:17 "If you know these things, you are blessed if you do them.

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## We Should Lovingly Sacrificially Serve Others

Joh 13:34 "A new commandment I give to you, that you love one another, even as I have loved you, that you also love one another.

Joh 13:35 "By this all men will know that you are My disciples, if you have love for one another."

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## We Should Lovingly Sacrificially Serve Others

1Jn 3:16 We know love by this, that He laid down His life for us; and we ought to lay down our lives for the brethren.

1Jn 3:17 But whoever has the world's goods, and sees his brother in need and closes his heart against him, how does the love of God abide in him?

1Jn 3:18 Little children, let us not love with word or with tongue, but in deed and truth.

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## Jesus Showed Forgiving Love Toward Others

Luk 23:34 But Jesus was saying, "Father, forgive them; for they do not know what they are doing." And they cast lots, dividing up His garments among themselves.

Luk 23:39 One of the criminals who were hanged there was hurling abuse at Him, saying, "Are You not the Christ? Save Yourself and us!"

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## Jesus Showed Forgiving Love Toward Others

Luk 23:40 But the other answered, and rebuking him said, "Do you not even fear God, since you are under the same sentence of condemnation?"

Luk 23:41 "And we indeed are suffering justly, for we are receiving what we deserve for our deeds; but this man has done nothing wrong."

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## Jesus Showed Forgiving Love Toward Others

Luk 23:42 And he was saying, "Jesus, remember me when You come in Your kingdom!"

Luk 23:43 And He said to him, "Truly I say to you, today you shall be with Me in Paradise."

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## We Should Show Forgiving Love Toward Others

Luk 17:3 "Be on your guard! If your brother sins, rebuke him; and if he repents, forgive him.

Luk 17:4 "And if he sins against you seven times a day, and returns to you seven times, saying, 'I repent,' forgive him."

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## We Should Show Forgiving Love Toward Others

Eph 4:31 Let all bitterness and wrath and anger and clamor and slander be put away from you, along with all malice.

Eph 4:32 Be kind to one another, tender-hearted, forgiving each other, just as God in Christ also has forgiven you.

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## Have The Attitude of Christ In Yourselves

1. Jesus emptied himself leaving the glory of heaven and taking the form of man
2. While on earth Jesus retained His Divine nature
3. Jesus humbly obeyed God as a bond-servant to the point of death on a cross
4. Jesus humbly obeyed God so that we might be saved and changed

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## Have The Attitude of Christ In Yourselves

5. Jesus showed compassion for sinners
6. Jesus lovingly sacrificially served others
7. We should lovingly sacrificially serve others
8. Jesus showed forgiving love toward others

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## Jesus Exalted By God

Php 2:9 For this reason also, God highly exalted Him, and bestowed on Him the name which is above every name,

Php 2:10 so that at the name of Jesus EVERY KNEE WILL BOW, of those who are in heaven and on earth and under the earth,  
Php 2:11 and that every tongue will confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father.

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## Jesus Exalted By God

Act 4:11 "He is the STONE WHICH WAS REJECTED by you, THE BUILDERS, but WHICH BECAME THE CHIEF CORNER stone.

Act 4:12 "And there is salvation in no one else; for there is no other name under heaven that has been given among men by which we must be saved."

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## Jesus Exalted By God

Eph 1:20 which He brought about in Christ, when He raised Him from the dead and seated Him at His right hand in the heavenly places,

Eph 1:21 far above all rule and authority and power and dominion, and every name that is named, not only in this age but also in the one to come.

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## Jesus Exalted By God

Eph 1:22 And He put all things in subjection under His feet, and gave Him as head over all things to the church,

Eph 1:23 which is His body, the fullness of Him who fills all in all.

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## Jesus Exalted By God

Rev 5:11 Then I looked, and I heard the voice of many angels around the throne and the living creatures and the elders; and the number of them was myriads of myriads, and thousands of thousands,

Rev 5:12 saying with a loud voice, "Worthy is the Lamb that was slain to receive power and riches and wisdom and might and honor and glory and blessing."

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## Jesus Exalted By God

Rev 5:13 And every created thing which is in heaven and on the earth and under the earth and on the sea, and all things in them, I heard saying, "To Him who sits on the throne, and to the Lamb, be blessing and honor and glory and dominion forever and ever."

Rev 5:14 And the four living creatures kept saying, "Amen." And the elders fell down and worshiped.

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## We Will Be Exalted By God

Rom 8:16 The Spirit Himself testifies with our spirit that we are children of God,

Rom 8:17 and if children, heirs also, heirs of God and fellow heirs with Christ, if indeed we suffer with Him so that we may also be glorified with Him.

Rom 8:18 For I consider that the sufferings of this present time are not worthy to be compared with the glory that is to be revealed to us.

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## We Will Be Exalted By God

Luk 14:7 And He began speaking a parable to the invited guests when He noticed how they had been picking out the places of honor at the table, saying to them,

Luk 14:8 "When you are invited by someone to a wedding feast, do not take the place of honor, for someone more distinguished than you may have been invited by him,

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## We Will Be Exalted By God

Luk 14:9 and he who invited you both will come and say to you, 'Give your place to this man,' and then in disgrace you proceed to occupy the last place.

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## We Will Be Exalted By God

Luk 14:10 "But when you are invited, go and recline at the last place, so that when the one who has invited you comes, he may say to you, 'Friend, move up higher'; then you will have honor in the sight of all who are at the table with you.

Luk 14:11 "For everyone who exalts himself will be humbled, and he who humbles himself will be exalted."

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## We Will Be Exalted By God

2Th 1:10 when He comes to be glorified in His saints on that day, and to be marveled at among all who have believed--for our testimony to you was believed.

2Th 1:11 To this end also we pray for you always, that our God will count you worthy of your calling, and fulfill every desire for goodness and the work of faith with power,

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## We Will Be Exalted By God

2Th 1:12 so that the name of our Lord Jesus will be glorified in you, and you in Him, according to the grace of our God and the Lord Jesus Christ.

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## Have this attitude in yourselves which was also in Christ Jesus

1. Unity that leads to joy Php 2:1-4
2. Have the attitude of Christ in yourselves Php 2:5-8
3. Jesus exalted by God Php 2:9-11

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