

Philippians Complete Amplified Outline

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 - A. The servants and the saints (1:1)
 - B. The salutation (1:2)
- II. Joy in the furtherance of the Gospel (1:3-30)
 - A. Paul's praise and prayer for the believers (1:3-11)
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 - a. For their participation in the Gospel (1:3-5)
 - b. For the confidence of a completed salvation (1:6)
 - c. For his affection (1:7-8)
 - 2. His prayer (1:9-11)
 - a. For abounding love (1:9)
 - b. For approving the excellent and for blamelessness (1:10)
 - c. For fruit (1:11)
 - B. Paul's attitude toward afflictions (1:12-26)
 - 1. Afflictions promote the Gospel (1:12-18)
 - a. Provides new opportunities for ministry (1:12-13)
 - b. Causes the weak to witness (1:14)
 - c. Causes many to preach (1:15-18)
 - 2. Afflictions promote the exaltation of Christ (1:19-26)
 - a. His resolution (1:19-21)
 - b. His resignation (1:22-26)
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 - b. Humility (2:3)
 - c. Other awareness (2:4)
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 - 1. The explanation of the submission (2:5-8)
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 - a. The exaltation (2:9)
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 - 3. The application to the believers (2:12-16)
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 - 1. The example of Paul (2:17-18)
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 - b. His service (2:30)
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