

## His Good Work Within Us

## NOTES

### Paul (with Timothy) greets his beloved church in Philippi

<sup>1</sup> Paul and Timothy, servants of Christ Jesus,

To all the saints in Christ Jesus at Philippi,  
together with the overseers and deacons:

<sup>2</sup> Grace and peace to you from God our Father  
and the Lord Jesus Christ.

### He joyfully remembers how they joined him in the Gospel

<sup>3</sup> I thank my God every time I remember you.

<sup>4</sup> In all my prayers for all of you, I always pray with joy

<sup>5</sup> because of your partnership in the gospel  
from the first day until now,

### Paul has no doubt that God will finish what he started

<sup>6</sup> being confident of this, that he who began a good work in you  
will carry it on to completion until the day of Christ Jesus.

### Even chained in prison, Paul knew they shared God's grace

<sup>7</sup> It is right for me to feel this way about all of you, since I have you  
in my heart and, whether I am in chains or defending and  
confirming the gospel, all of you share in God's grace with me.

<sup>8</sup> God can testify how I long for all of you  
with the affection of Christ Jesus.

### And he prays they will flourish in faith till Jesus returns

<sup>9</sup> And this is my prayer: that your love may abound  
more and more in knowledge and depth of insight,

<sup>10</sup> so that you may be able to discern what is best  
and may be pure and blameless for the day of Christ,

<sup>11</sup> filled with the fruit of righteousness that comes  
through Jesus Christ—to the glory and praise of God.

Philippians 1:1-11



Philippians 1:6 King James Version



### God will complete his good work in us

We can be confident that he will do it  
In all circumstances, through Christ we have joy  
He began his work in each of us; he will finish it

### For our part, we seek maturity in faith

God honors our generous giving to gospel missions  
Humble unity in worship & service is our strength  
Compassionate love and confession keep us pure

Whatever happens, conduct yourselves  
in a manner worthy of the gospel of Christ.

Philippians 1:27a

### The Commands of Jesus

Love the Lord your God with all your heart, soul  
and mind. And love your neighbor as yourself.

Portions of Matthew 22:37-38



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