



Being salt and light wherever He leads

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Joy in the Gospel

Philippians 1:12-18a

Where we live

Many people lose their joy because they always _____ themselves to others.

Where the text lives

Under house arrest, Paul is writing a letter to his Christian brothers and sisters in Philippi.

What the text says

True joy helps us focus on the gospel rather than our _____.

True joy leads us to rejoice when others do our _____ when we cannot.

True joy helps us _____ when the gospel is proclaimed regardless of the motive.

Our response

God, help us to know more fully the importance of the

_____ so that we might _____ it and _____

whenever it is proclaimed.

Discussion Questions for August 16

1. When is the last time you shared the gospel?
2. When is the last time you prayed for someone's salvation?
3. When is the last time someone said he or she has noticed a positive difference in you and you attributed it to Christ's work in your life?
4. Do you find true joy when you hear someone has become a Christian or someone has shared the gospel? If not, what do you feel?