

**The Life of The Church Matters**  
**Phil. 2:14-16**  
**Part 1**

**Intro: Corporately—Collectively**

1 Tim. 3:15; 1 Cor. 12; Eph. 4:11-16; Heb. 10:19-25  
Acts 2:42-47; Romans 12; Romans 15:1-6; Matt. 5:13-16

- **In the midst**

Deut. 32:5; Acts 2:40; Matthew 17:17; Proverbs 2:11-15  
Phil. 1:28-30; 3:2; Romans 1:18-32; John 17:13-19

- **Do all things without grumbling or disputing vs. 14**  
Phil. 1:27-2:13

- **Grumbling—is essentially emotional**

- Carries the idea of complaining

- **Disputing—is essentially intellectual**

- Carries the idea of questioning, doubting or disputing God's truth of the matter.

- **So that: you should be becoming innocent, blameless, above reproach children of God vs. 15a.**

Jude 24; 1 Thess. 5:23-24; Titus 2:10-14; Eph. 5:1  
2 Peter 3:10-11, 14; 1 Thess. 3:13; 2 Cor. 3:18

- **Among whom you appear as lights in the world vs. 15b**

Daniel 12:3; Isaiah 42:6; 49:6; Eph. 5:8; Matt. 5:14-16

- **Holding forth the word of life vs. 16a**

Acts 5:20; 1 John 1:1-3, 5-7; 5:20  
John 6:63, 68; 1 Cor. 1:9

**Conclusion**

Phil. 2:12-13