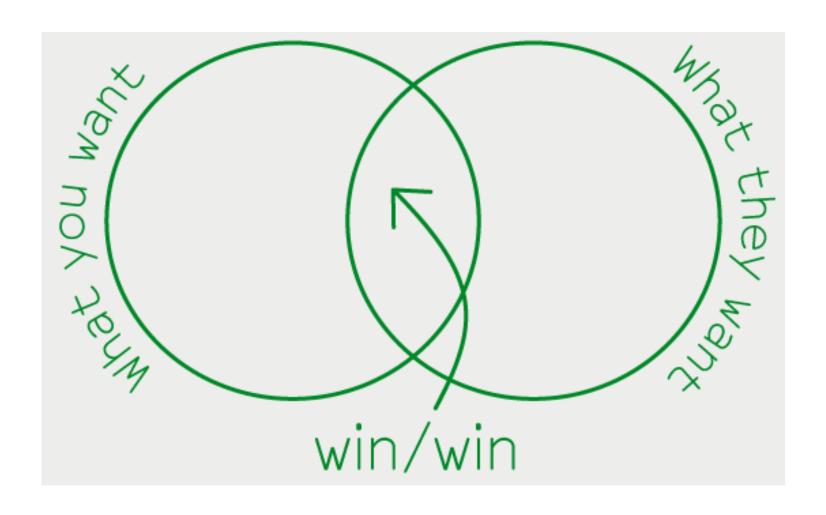




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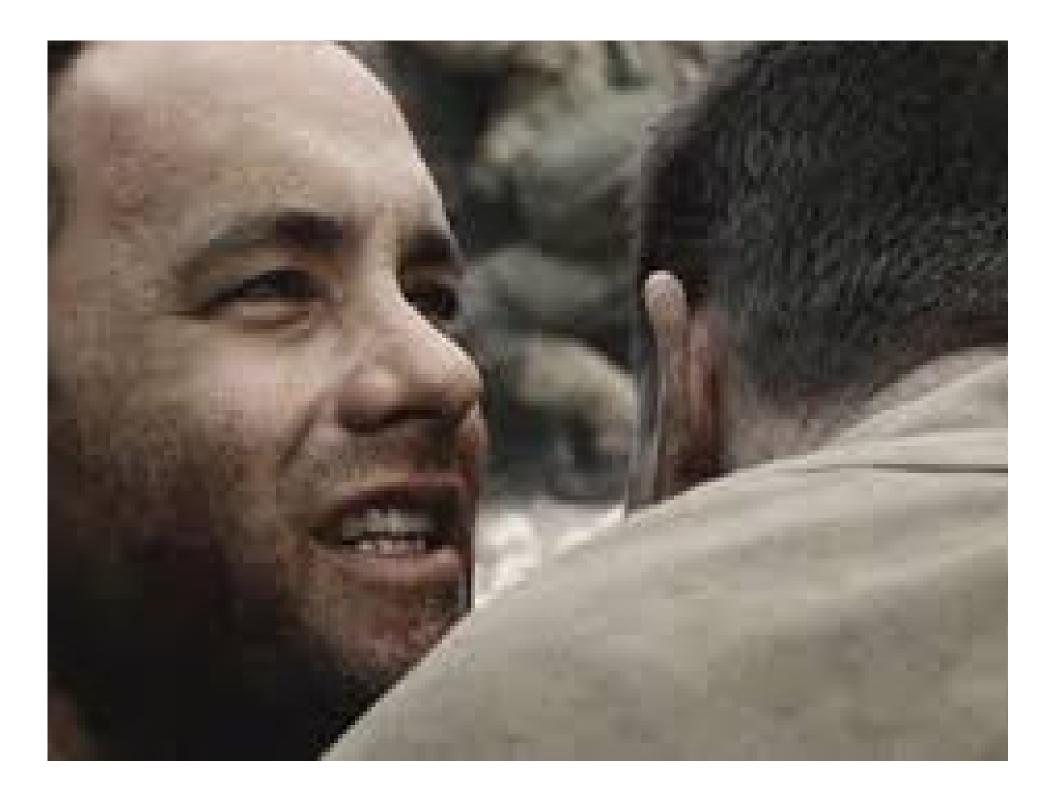


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# Philippians

Find Your Joy in Living Worthy of the Gospel Philippians 1:27-30

### Walk Worthy

Ephesians 4:1 I, therefore, the prisoner of the Lord, beseech you to walk worthy of the calling with which you were called...

Colossians 1:10 that you may walk worthy of the Lord, fully pleasing Him, being fruitful in every good work and increasing in the knowledge of God;

1 Thessalonians 2:12 that you would walk worthy of God who calls you into His own kingdom and glory.

### What people are looking for:

- Unconditional Love
- A true and lasting Peace
- Purpose in life
- Making sense of their struggles
- Hope after death

### Walking Worthy of Unconditional Love

Eph. 2:1-5

And you He made alive, who were dead in trespasses and sins, in which you once walked according to the course of this world, according to the prince of the power of the air, the spirit who now works in the sons of disobedience, among whom also we all once conducted ourselves in the lusts of our flesh, fulfilling the desires of the flesh and of the mind, and were by nature children of wrath, just as the others. But God, who is rich in mercy, because of His great love with which He loved us, even when we were dead in trespasses, made us alive together with Christ by grace you have been saved...

### Walking Worthy of Unconditional Love

1 John 4:7-12

Beloved, **let us love one another**, for love is of God; and everyone who loves is born of God and knows God. He who does not love does not know God, for God is love.

In this the love of God was manifested toward us, that God has sent His only begotten Son into the world, that we might live through Him.

In this is love, not that we loved God, but that He loved us and sent His Son *to be* the propitiation for our sins.

Beloved, if God so loved us, we also ought to love one another.

No one has seen God at any time.

If we love one another, God abides in us, and His love has been perfected in us.

#### Walking Worthy of Having True Peace

John 14:27

Peace I leave with you,

My peace I give to you;

not as the world gives do I give to you.

Let not your heart be troubled,

neither let it be afraid.

#### Walking Worthy of Having True Peace

Phil. 4:6-7

Be anxious for nothing,

but in everything by prayer and supplication,

with thanksgiving,

let your requests be made known to God;

and the peace of God,

which surpasses all understanding,

will guard your hearts and minds through Christ Jesus.

# Walking Worthy of Real Purpose

Phil 3:7-12

But what things were gain to me, these I have counted loss for Christ. Yet indeed I also count all things loss for the excellence of the knowledge of Christ Jesus my Lord, for whom I have suffered the loss of all things, and count them as rubbish, that I may gain Christ and be found in Him, not having my own righteousness, which is from the law, but that which is through faith in Christ, the righteousness which is from God by faith; that I may know Him and the power of His resurrection, and the fellowship of His sufferings, being conformed to His death, if, by any means, I may attain to the resurrection from the dead. Not that I have already attained, or am already perfected; but I press on, that I may lay hold of that for which Christ Jesus has also laid hold of me.

#### Walking Worthy of Making Sense of Struggles

Romans 5:1-5

Therefore, having been justified by faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ, through whom also we have access by faith into this grace in which we stand, and rejoice in hope of the glory of God.

And not only that, but we also glory in tribulations, and rejoice that tribulation produces person access to the produces person a

And not only that, but we also glory in tribulations, knowing that tribulation produces perseverance; and perseverance, character; and character, hope.

Now hope does not disappoint, because the love of God has been poured out in our hearts by the Holy Spirit who was given to us.

#### Walking Worthy of Making Sense of Struggles

Phil 1:12-18

But I want you to know, brethren,
that the things which happened to me have actually turned out for
the furtherance of the gospel,
so that it has become evident to the whole palace guard, and to all
the rest, that my chains are in Christ;
and most of the brethren in the Lord,
having become confident by my chains,
are much more bold to speak the word without fear.
Some indeed preach Christ even from envy and strife,

The former preach Christ from selfish ambition, not sincerely, supposing to add affliction to my chains; but the latter out of love, knowing that I am appointed for the defense of the gospel.

and some also from goodwill:

What then? Only that in every way, whether in pretense or in truth, Christ is preached;

and in this I rejoice, yes, and will rejoice.

#### Walking Worthy of a Better Life After Death

Rom. 8:35-39

Who shall separate us from the love of Christ?
Shall tribulation, or distress, or persecution,
or famine, or nakedness, or peril, or sword?
As it is written:

"For Your sake we are killed all day long;
We are accounted as sheep for the slaughter."
Yet in all these things we are more than conquerors
through Him who loved us.

For I am persuaded that neither death nor life, nor angels nor principalities nor powers, nor things present nor things to come, nor height nor depth, nor any other created thing, shall be able to separate us from the love of God which is in Christ Jesus our Lord.

## Walking Worthy of Persecution

2 Tim. 3:10-12

But you have carefully followed my doctrine, manner of life, purpose, faith, longsuffering, love, perseverance, persecutions, afflictions, which happened to me at Antioch, at Iconium, at Lystra—what persecutions I endured.

And out of *them* all the Lord delivered me.

Yes, and all who desire to live godly in Christ Jesus will suffer persecution.