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Joy in the Struggle

Philippians 1:12-18

I. Real Joy

- II. Joy in the **Struggle** (Philippians 1:12-18)
 - A. Joy in the Pain

I want you to know, brothers, that **what has happened to me** has really served to advance the gospel,

Philippians 1:12

B. Joy in the **Progress**

so that **it has become known** throughout the whole imperial guard and to all the rest that my imprisonment is for Christ. And most of the brothers, having become confident in the Lord by my imprisonment, are much more bold to speak the word without fear.

Philippians 1:13-14

C. Joy in the Panorama of Partners

Some indeed preach Christ from envy and **rivalry**, but others from **good will**. The latter do it out of love, knowing that I am put here for the defense of the gospel. The former proclaim Christ out of selfish ambition, not sincerely but thinking to afflict me in my imprisonment.

Philippians 1:15-17

D. Joy in the **Proclamation**

What then? Only that in every way, whether in pretense or in truth, **Christ is proclaimed**, and in that I rejoice. Philippians 1:18

III. Our Response

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