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BIBLE

ENGLISH
STANDARD
VERSION

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## 12 Therefore, my beloved, as you have always obeyed, so now, not only as in my presence but much more in my absence,



## work out your own salvation with fear and trembling, <sup>13</sup> for it is God who works in you, both to will and to work for his good pleasure.



<sup>14</sup> Do all things without grumbling or disputing, <sup>15</sup> that you may be blameless and innocent, children of God without blemish in the midst of a crooked and twisted generation,



among whom you shine as lights in the world, <sup>16</sup> holding fast to the word of life, so that in the day of Christ I may be proud that I did not run in vain or labor in vain.



17 Even if I am to be poured out as a drink offering upon the sacrificial offering of your faith, I am glad and rejoice with you all. 18 Likewise you also should be glad and rejoice with me.





"Elementary nursing will greatly reduce mortality. Simple provision of food and water, for instance, will allow persons who are temporarily too weak to cope for themselves to recover instead of perishing miserably.





It is entirely plausible that Christian nursing reduced mortality by as much as two-thirds! The fact that most stricken Christians survived did not go unnoticed, lending immense credibility to Christian 'miracle working'."



William McNiel





# Our lives as followers of Jesus are to be marked by sacrifice and service.



# We are a mosaic striving to live like Jesus.

"The habits, dispositions, and actions that we see displayed in the life of Christ are precisely the habit, dispositions, and actions we are to display."



Ben Wetherington III



#### Philippians 2:5-11

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2:9 (Paul says)
Do what I do....

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2:13 Work out your salvation... to will and do work for His good pleasure.

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## To live like Jesus, we must...

Work out our salvation. (Phil 2:12)



### Therefore, my beloved,



Therefore, my beloved, as you have always obeyed, so now, not only as in my presence but much more in my absence, work out your own salvation with fear and trembling...





### To live like Jesus, we must...

- Work out our salvation.
- Do everything without grumbling or complaining.





#### Never argue, never complain, and never make excuses.



Eagle Sports



# Arguing and complaining douses your light.





## Blameless =

## Not causing others to stumble.





### ALL THINGS -

### DO EVERYTHING...



### To live like Jesus, we must...

- Work out our salvation.
- Do everything without grumbling or complaining.
- B Hold fast or hold out the Word of God.



# Hold fast to Jesus and at the same time hold Him out for others to see.



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