

Philippians

TO LIVE IS CHRIST

Lesson Seven: Working Out

Philippians 2:12-13

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¹²Therefore, 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, ¹³for it is God who works in you, both to will and to work for his good pleasure.

Discussion Questions:

1. Why is Paul putting *Jesus' glory* side-by-side w/what we need to do?
2. **Is this justification by grace & sanctification by works?** Do we co-operate w/God here – God does *His part* & - *We need to do our part*?
3. What are we to work out? Which gym are you working out in?
4. When we work out in the gym of the gospel what does God work in to us?
5. What is true growth in the Christian life? Reflect & discuss 2Cor.3:18 & 4:6
6. When we bite & devour one another – Who's image are we reflecting?
7. What's the difference between working out in the gym of self-effort vs the gym of the gospel?



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