

Christ Pattern of Humiliation and Exaltation
Philippians

	GLORY	HUMILITY	SUFFERING	EXALTATION	
<i>Philippians</i>			³ I thank my God in all my remembrance of you ... ⁵ because of your partnership in the gospel ... for you are all partakers with me ... both in my imprisonment and in the defense ... of the gospel.	⁶ And I am sure of this, that he who began a good work in you will bring it to completion at the day of Jesus Christ ... and so be pure and blameless for the day of Christ.	1:3-11
<i>Paul</i>			what has happened to me has really served to advance the gospel ... my imprisonment is for Christ ... Christ will be honored in my body, whether by life or by death.	²¹ For to me to live is Christ, and to die is gain ... My desire is to depart and be with Christ, for that is far better.	1:12-26
<i>Philippians</i>		³ Do nothing from selfish ambition or conceit, but in humility count others more significant than yourselves	²⁹ For it has been granted to you that for the sake of Christ you should not only believe in him but also suffer for his sake	²⁸ and not frightened ... by your opponents. This is a clear sign to them of their destruction, but of your salvation	1:27—2:5
<i>Jesus</i>	⁶ who, though he was in the form of God	did not count equality with God a thing to be grasped, ⁷ but emptied himself, by taking the form of a servant, being born in the likeness of men.	⁸ And being found in human form, he humbled himself by becoming obedient to the point of death, even death on a cross.	⁹ Therefore God has highly exalted him ... ¹⁰ so that at the name of Jesus every knee should bow	2:6-11
<i>Philippians</i>			¹⁴ Do all things without grumbling or disputing ... ¹⁶ 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	2:12-18

Paul's Friends		Timothy ... will be genuinely concerned for your welfare. ²¹ For they all seek their own interests, not those of Jesus Christ.	Epaphroditus ... was ill, near to death ... ³⁰ for he nearly died for the work of Christ, risking his life	But God had mercy on him ... that you may rejoice at seeing him again ... ²⁹ So receive him in the Lord with all joy, and honor such men	2:19-30
	Paul	⁴ though I myself have reason for confidence in the flesh ... a Hebrew of Hebrews; as to the law, a Pharisee; ⁶ as to zeal, a persecutor of the church; as to righteousness under the law, blameless. ⁷ But whatever gain I had, I counted as loss ... not having a righteousness of my own that comes from the law	⁸ Indeed, I count everything as loss because of the surpassing worth of knowing Christ Jesus my Lord. For his sake I have suffered the loss of all things and count them as rubbish, in order that I may gain Christ	¹¹ that by any means possible I may attain the resurrection from the dead ... But one thing I do: forgetting what lies behind and straining forward to what lies ahead, ¹⁴ I press on toward the goal for the prize of the upward call of God in Christ Jesus.	
Philippians		² I entreat Euodia and I entreat Syntyche to agree in the Lord.	⁶ do not be anxious about anything, but in everything by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving let your requests be made known to God	⁷ And the peace of God, which surpasses all understanding, will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus.	4:2-9
Paul			I have learned in whatever situation I am to be content. ¹² I know how to be brought low and hunger, and need. ¹³ I can do all things through him who strengthens me.	and I know how to abound ... I have learned the secret of facing plenty abundance	4:10-20