

The Upward Call of God

Philippians 3:10-21

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¹²Not that I have already obtained all this, or have already arrived at my goal, but I press on to take hold of that for which Christ Jesus took hold of me. ¹³Brothers and sisters, I do not consider myself yet to have taken hold of it.

Philippians 3:10-21

But one thing I do: Forgetting what is behind and straining toward what is ahead, ¹⁴ I press on toward the goal to win the prize for which God has called me heavenward in Christ Jesus.

Philippians 3:10-21

¹⁵ All of us, then, who are mature should take such a view of things. And if on some point you think differently, that too God will make clear to you. ¹⁶ Only let us live up to what we have already attained.

Philippians 3:10-21

¹⁷ Join together in following my example, brothers and sisters, and just as you have us as a model, keep your eyes on those who live as we do.

¹⁸ For, as I have often told you before and now tell you again even with tears, many live as enemies of the cross of Christ.

Philippians 3:10-21

¹⁹ Their destiny is destruction, their god is their stomach, and their glory is in their shame. Their mind is set on earthly things. ²⁰ But our citizenship is in heaven. And we eagerly await a Savior from there, the Lord Jesus Christ, ²¹ who, by the power that enables him to bring everything under his control, will transform our lowly bodies so that they will be like his glorious body.

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Your Aim

Philippians 3:14

I **press on** toward the **goal** to win the prize for which God has called me heavenward in Christ Jesus.



Dialed Games
3rd, 1st, 2nd Place Teams



Lucy Charles-Barclay
World Record
8:24:31



Kristian Blummenfelt
World Record
7:21:12



Ferreira Pinto brothers

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Your Maturity

Philippians 3:15-16

¹⁵ Therefore, let all of us who are **mature** think this way. And if you think differently about anything, God will reveal this also to you. ¹⁶ In any case, we should live up to whatever truth we have attained.



Petty Officer Scott Ruskan

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Your Hope

Philippians 3:20-21

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1. How can you tell what really matters to a person?

2. How have you seen God deal with your immaturity and grow your maturity over the years?

3. Where do you struggle to believe things can get better?