



Sermon Discussion Guide

Jan. 17, 2021

“Living a Christ Centered Life”

Gather



... with your family

... with friends or your 3G Group on a Phone Conference or video call (eg. Zoom, Hangouts, House Party, FaceBook Watch Party)

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Processing today's message...

- **Aha!** – What did you learn? What challenged you?
- **Uh-oh!** – What concerns did it raise?
- **Hmmm!** – What do you need to think about some more?

- **Dig a little deeper...**

- **Your Joy Journey:** Taking time to meditate further upon this idea, write down two ways in which Paul's statement (verse 21) could affect your life.
 - **Think About It:** *Death had no terrors for Paul. It simply meant, “departing.” [See Philippians 1:23,24] Soldiers used this word; it meant, “to take down your tent and move on.” What a picture of Christian death! The “tent” we live in is taken down at death, and the spirit goes home to be with Christ in heaven. (Read 2 Corinthians 5:1-8.) The sailors also used this word; it meant, “to loosen a ship and set sail.” ... But departure was also a political term; it described the setting free of a prisoner. God's people are in bondage because of the limitations of the body and the temptations of the flesh, but death will free them. Or they will be freed at the return of Christ (Romans 8:18-23) if that should come first. (Warren Wiersbe, Be Joyful, p. 45-46)*
- **Your Joy Journey:** Read [Hebrews 10:24, 25](#). What are some of the ways in which you currently help those around you to grow and have joy in their faith? Share your answers with your group in order to consider, encourage, and stimulate one another to love and good deeds.

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- What is your main take away from today?
- What can you do this week to apply something you learned today?