

**Finding Joy:
Yield to God's plan for your life
Philippians 2:12-18**

¹² So then,
my beloved,
just as you have always obeyed,
not as in my presence only,
but
now much more in my absence,

work out your salvation
with fear
and
trembling;

¹³ for it is God who is at work
in you,
both to will
and
to work
for *His* good pleasure.

¹⁴ Do all things without grumbling
or
disputing;
¹⁵ so that you will prove yourselves
to be blameless
and
innocent,
children of God
above reproach
in the midst of a crooked
and
perverse generation,

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among whom you appear as lights
in the world,
¹⁶ holding fast the word
of life,

so that

in the day
of Christ
I will have reason
to glory
because I did not run
in vain
nor
toil
in vain.

¹⁷ But

even if I am being poured out
as a drink offering
upon the sacrifice
and
service
of your faith,

I rejoice
and
share my joy
with you all.

¹⁸ **You too, I urge you, rejoice**

in the same way
and
share your joy
with me.