

# The Book of Philippians

Paul's Conclusion to the Philippians (4:4-23) (Part 7)

Paul Commanded the Philippians (4:4-9) (Part G)

Practicing the Presence of the Lord (Part 7)

Parenthesis: Decision Making and the Will of God

- I. God Has a Will and Exercises It (Capability)
- II. God has a Purpose for His Will (Intention)
- III. God's Will is Morally Definitive (Result)
- IV. The Perfect Will of God Explained
- V. The Perfect Will of God Evaluated
  - A. The Problems with It
  - B. The Connection of It to Divination
  - C. The Lack of Biblical Primacy
- VI. Living in the Will of God
  - A. Follow the Prescriptions of God
  - B. Isolate and Apply Biblical Wisdom
  - C. Seek out and Implement Godly Counsel
  - D. Plan and Trust the Providence of God