

As someone in a state of
y becoming obedient
death on a cross
with the Father and the
Holy Spirit, who
together are God,
and who are
jointly glorified
and together worshiped,
you know that
nothing is so natural
for God as to
share His glory
with others. The
Father glorifies the
Son, and the Son
glorifies the Father,
and the Holy Spirit
glorifies both the
Father and the Son.
And you, who are
children of God,
should also share
in this glory. For
as the Father has
loved the Son,
and has given
all things into
His hand, so He
will love you, and
will give you
all things, if you
love Him, and
keep His commandments.
And this is the love
that the Father has
set before the world:
that they should
believe in the Son
whom He has sent,
and love Him who
has sent the Son.

that I may gain Christ
I count all things as loss
because of the surpassing
excellence of His knowledge
of Christ Jesus my Lord,
for whom I have
sacrificed all things,
and I count them as
trash, in order that I
may gain Christ,
and may be found
in Him, not having
any righteousness of
my own, but that I
may obtain His
righteousness,
which is by faith,
that I may know
Him and the power
of His resurrection,
and may share
His sufferings, as He
suffered for me,
that I may bring
forth the fruit of
righteousness
for God.

Philippians

Letting Jesus Overwhelm You

Have the Mind of Christ // Philippians 2:5-11

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Discussion Questions

1. Have you ever been made to do something you didn't want to do? What happened and how did you feel about it?
2. Read John 13:1-15 & Philippians 2:5-11. Draw out some parallels between these two passages.
3. Can you think of steps toward developing a mind of humility? What would be some practical ways to "go and do likewise" in regard to humble acts of service?
4. Have you willingly bowed to Jesus, receiving Him as your Savior and Lord? Share your salvation story. If you haven't, ask those in your group to lead you into this life-changing relationship.
5. Some say Philippians 2:6-11 is one of the earliest Christian hymns. In this spirit, sing a song of praise to Jesus as you close your time together.

Memorize Philippians 2:5 this week!

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Philippians: Work Out Your Salvation, Philippians 2:12-16, Ryan Fair