

**CHOOSING TO SMILE – A Study of Philippians
Lesson Four: “Being More by Being Less”**

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Philippians 2:1-16 - In Tribute to “doulos”

FIRST POINT: The motivation for a servant’s attitude is _____.

1 John 4:19; 1 Peter 2:21; Col. 3:13

- Count your blessings from being _____ with Christ.
- Count your blessings from being _____ by Jesus.
- Count your blessings from having the _____ in you.
- Count the blessings of experiencing _____
and _____.

SECOND POINT: If you really believe God takes care of you, then the most important thing left for you to do is take care of _____.

Two Lessons:

We are never more like Jesus than when we give ourselves up for _____.

Godly sacrifice for _____ never goes unrewarded.

*LIFE GROUP Discussion Guide
Week of March 4, 2007
Philippians 2:1-18*

1. Describe what a servant's attitude looks like today?
2. What is the hardest part about maintaining a servant's attitude for you personally?
3. Can a true servant survive in our competitive self-oriented business world? Explain.
4. Why is humility such a key characteristic in the life of a Christian?
5. How does humility relate to congregational unity?
6. Philippians 2:14 says we should do everything without complaining or arguing...How do most Christians do with this command? How do you do?
7. "Working out your own salvation" refers to how each Christian has to grow into learning how to apply Christian principles to daily life. It is one thing to know something is right...It is often another thing to be able to live what is right. What about servanthood, humility and sacrificial living still challenges you in daily life?
8. How does thinking about the selfless journey of Jesus from heaven to the cross motivate us toward a servant's attitude?
9. How can Dalton Garden's like-mindedness, spirit and purpose be strengthened?
10. Is there anything else about Philippians 2:1-18 that strikes you personally?

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