

Bible Study

Chapter 3

The Book of Philippians

Objectives:

- To see the error of placing confidence in the flesh.
 - To understand the need to strive towards completion in Christ.
 - To be reminded of the believer's citizenship in heaven.
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Outline

- I. Warnings against Judaism.** (Jewish religion based on Old Testament) **Phil. 3:1-11**
- II. Warnings not to frustrate grace.** (Released from the law by grace.) **Phil 3: 12-21**

Questions

- A. What 3 groups does Paul warn believers not to associate with? (2)
- B. What is the difference between the concision and circumcision?
- C. What are the characteristics of those who have received circumcision of the heart? (3)
- D. What in Paul's background would have caused him to have confidence in the flesh? (4-6)
- E. How did Paul view his Jewish background? (7-8)
- F. What was Paul's earnest desire? (9-11)
- G. Had Paul attained full Christian maturity? (12)
- H. What had Paul accomplished? (13-14)
- I. What is the attitude of maturing Christians? (14-15)
- J. Describe the Christian walk. (16)
- K. Whose example were the Philippians to follow? (17)
- L. How do we recognize the enemies of the cross? (18-19)
- M. Where is the Christian's citizenship? (20)
- N. What will Christ do when He returns? (21)