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WHERE THE DARK MEETS THE LIGHT

PHILIPPIANS

LIFE LESSON #1 Life Appears to be Tragically Ironic.

An old man turned ninety-eight He won the lottery and died the next day It's a black fly in your Chardonnay It's a death row pardon two minutes too late And isn't it ironic, don't you think? -Ironic, Alanis Morissette

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Ravi Zacharias 1946-2020

Why God?

Philippians 1:12-14

¹² Now I want you to know, brothers and sisters, that what has happened to me has actually served to advance the gospel. ¹³ As a result, it has become clear throughout the whole palace guard and to everyone else that I am in chains for Christ.

Philippians 1:12-14

¹⁴ And because of my chains, most of the brothers and sisters have become confident in the Lord and dare all the more to proclaim the gospel without fear.

LIFE LESSON #2 When your Life is in God's Hands, He will Always have Plans.

Philippians 4:22 All God's people here send you greetings, especially those who belong to Caesar's household.

"Paul is claiming that God is the only alchemist." -Matthew Henry

"We don't know what the future will hold, we know who holds the future." -Corrie ten Boom

The longest period of Paul's incarceration was the GREATEST period of Paul's impact.

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Philippians 1:20-21 ²⁰ I eagerly expect and hope that I will in no way be ashamed, but will have sufficient courage so that now as always Christ will be exalted in my body, whether by life or by death. ²¹ For to me, to LIVE IS CHRIST and to die is gain.

LIFE LESSON #3 Life with Jesus is Worth Everything.

Epicurean Definition of Life

"For me, to live is Happiness."

Stoic Definition of Life "For me, to live is Self-Control."

Moralist Definition of Life "For me, to live is Goodness."

Workaholic Definition of Life

"For me, to live is Productivity."

People-Pleaser **Definition of Life** "For me, to live is being liked or needed."

John 1:4 In him was LIFE, and that LIFE was the light of all mankind.

John 5:39-40 You search the Scriptures diligently because you think that in them you have ETERNAL LIFE. These are the very Scriptures that testify about me, yet you refuse to come to me to have LIFE.

John 6:48 I am the bread of LIFE.

John 10:10 I have come that they may have abundant LIFE.

John 20:31 But these things are written that you may believe that Jesus is the Messiah, the Son of God, and that by believing you may have LIFE in his name.

What GLOWS at the center of your life?

In the Gospel, Jesus says "for me, to live is YOU and to die is GAIN."

Monday 10 A.M.





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