

Introduction:

These questions will take you through Paul's epistle to the Philippians offering something to observe in many verses of each chapter.

The questions are meant to be straight forward taking answers from exactly the way the passage in your King James Bible is worded.

Finally, keep in mind what the apostle Paul writes concerning his writings:

2Timothy 2:7, 15 Consider what I say; and the Lord give thee understanding in all things...Study to shew thyself approved unto God, a workman that needeth not to be ashamed, rightly dividing the word of truth.

Ephesians 3:4 Whereby, when ye read, ye may understand my knowledge in the mystery of Christ)

Epistle to the Philippians:

1. To whom did Paul write in Philippi? Phil. 1:1
2. How often did Paul thank God for the believers at Philippi? Phil. 1:3-4
3. What was the focus of Paul's thanks to God for the [Philippian] believers? Phil. 1:5
4. Who is it that will perform "the good work"? Phil 1:6a
5. The "good work in you will be performed..." until? Phil. 1:6b
6. What was Paul's prayer request for the [Philippian] believers? Phil. 1:9-11
7. Their love was to abound in what two matters? Phil. 1:9
8. They were to be without offence till when? Phil. 1:10
9. With what were they to be "filled", by whom, and unto whose "glory and praise"?
10. What did Paul want the brethren to understand about the things which happened unto him? Phil. 1:12-14
11. What was Paul's reaction when "Christ is preached" (v.19) whether "of envy and strife", or "of good will"? Phil. 1:15-18
12. What was Paul's "earnest expectation" and "hope"? Phil. 1:20
13. What value did Paul say would it be for him to "die"? Phil. 1:21

14. What did Paul say would be for him “far better”, but for the Philippians “more needful”? Phil. 1:23-26
15. How did Paul want the [Philippians] believers to “stand”? Phil. 1:27b
16. For what were they to be “striving together”? Phil. 1:27c
17. That they were not be terrified by their adversaries would be to their adversaries a “token” of what? Phil. 1:28
18. What was given to them that “believed on him”? Phil. 1:29b
19. What was it that [Philippian] believers could do where Paul said, “Fulfil ye my joy...”? Phil. 2:2-3
20. Of what mind were they to be? Phil. 2:5
21. Jesus “took upon him” what “form”, “and was made in the likeness of _____”? Phil. 2:6-7
22. Jesus “humbled himself, and became obedient unto _____”? Phil. 2:8
23. What was God the Father’s response to Jesus’ humble obedience? Phil. 2:9-11
24. What was their level of “obedience” to be in Paul’s absence? Phil. 2:12
25. For what reason did Paul says to “do all things without murmurings and disputings...”? Phil. 2:14-15
26. Paul said the Philippian believers “...shine as lights in the world...” (v.15b) their “...holding forth the word of life”, what “day” then did Paul say he would rejoice. Phil. 2:15b-16 (See also Phil. 1:6, 10)
27. For what do “all seek” which are not whose things? Phil. 2:21
28. How does Paul describe Epaphroditus? Phil. 2:25
29. How does Paul describe the reason for Epaphroditus’ condition? Phil. 2:30
30. Of what were the Philippians to “Beware”? Phil. 3:2
31. In what were the Philippians not to have confidence? Phil. 3:3

32. For what reason might Paul have had confidence in his flesh? Phil. 3:4-6
33. Paul says he counts "...all things but loss for the excellency..." of what? Phil. 3:8a
34. The things Paul had once considered gain (Phil. 3:4-7) he would now "...count them but _____"; and for what reason? Phil. 3:8b
35. What does Paul decide to forget, "...reaching forth unto _____"? Phil. 3:13
36. To what did Paul "press toward"? Phil. 3:14
37. Who does Paul instruct the [Philippian] believers together to follow? Phil. 3:17
38. What will be the "end" of the many that "are the enemies of the cross of Christ"? Phil. 3:18-19.
39. Where does Paul direct the [Philippian] believer's "conversation" and for what reason? Phil. 3:20-21
40. What will happen to the believer's "vile body" and for what purpose? Phil. 3:21
41. What were the "dearly beloved and longed for" Philippian believers to Paul? Phil. 4:1b
42. For what reason did Paul "beseech Euodias and Syntyche"? Phil. 4:2
43. What was to be "known unto all men" concerning the Philippians? Phil. 4:5
44. Paul writes "Be careful for nothing..." which is to say we need not be anxious, but for what things should we pray? Phil. 4:6
45. What are the "things" Paul instructs the believer to "think"? Phil. 4:8
46. What does Paul tell the believer to "do", and for what reason? Phil. 4:9
47. What had Paul "learned"? Phil. 4:11
48. For what reason did Paul commend the Philippians? Phil. 4:14
49. What did Paul receive of Epaphroditus? Phil. 4:18