

GROWTH GROUP

Study Guide

Conduct Suited for Conflict – Philippians 1:27-30

My Story

1. When have you seen a bad situation in your life used for good by God?

Digging Deeper

2. In verse 27, why does Paul emphasize consistency in living out our faith, whether he is present or absent? How does living in a manner worthy of the Gospel impact both believers and non-believers?
3. Why does Paul encourage believers not to be intimidated by those who oppose the Gospel (v.28)? How can this be a testimony to both the opponents of the Gospel and to fellow believers?

4. Why is suffering to be considered a benefit granted by God (v.29)? What does this tell you about the nature of the Christian life?

Reflection

5. How does sharing in the struggles of other believers strengthen our faith? How can we support one another when we face challenges for the sake of the Gospel?
6. How do you respond to suffering or hardship in your life? How can you rely on God's strength to face opposition with confidence?

SERMON NOTES

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Taking the Next Step

Seek to be aware of others in your life this week who may be facing struggles, especially with their faith. Ask God to help you see how you can be a support and encouragement to them.

Praises / Prayer Requests

