

Philippians – Christ Brings Contentment in Every Circumstance  
(Part 12) Thankful Reflections and Final Thoughts

Throughout his letter to the Philippians, Paul has encouraged them toward the peace, grace, and joy of the Lord

Like a concerned father and \_\_\_\_\_, he has responded to what he has heard about his friends

He now thanks them for their role in encouraging him in times of hardship

(Philippians 4:10-20) Paul's gratefulness for the \_\_\_\_\_ showed to him by the Philippians

(v.10-18) Paul's genuine thankfulness for their concern for him

(v.10-13) Recognition for continued care and concern

(v.11-13) Complete contentment regardless of \_\_\_\_\_ circumstances

Something that all of us naturally need and long for, and yet lack more than anything else today.

Christ is the \_\_\_\_\_, the ultimate source of fulfillment

(v.14-17) Commendation for continued faithful support

Paul's one desire is for this church he started to be blessed

(v.18-20) Needs met and blessings all around from God

(v.21-22) Tell everyone hello and that they are wished God's grace

True contentment comes, ultimately, from what kind of \_\_\_\_\_ we have with Jesus Christ.

If you are in a close relationship with Jesus Christ, you can praise God—even in the prison-like circumstances this world throws at you.