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A Letter of Joy and Partnership

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⁵ Your attitude should be the same as that of Jesus Christ:

The Best Attitude Ever
Philippians 2:1-11



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Putting “The Best Attitude Ever” into Practice:

- Work it Out!
- God Is Working It In!
- Do Everything...
- Be Glad and Rejoice...

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Jesus modeled the attitude. Now...**Work It Out!**

- Respect as a lifestyle – “...**as you have always obeyed...**”
- Integrity & follow-up – “...**much more in his absence**”
- Lifelong growth, dedication – “...**work out your salvation**”
- Self-awareness & reverence – “**with fear and trembling**”

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We can work it out because God works it in.

- God started it – “...it is God who works in you...”
- God inspires the motivation – “...to will and to act...”
- God is intentional – “...according to his good purpose”
- Question: Is the “you” above singular or plural?

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- “My dear **friends**, as **you** have always obeyed...”
- Not only in Paul’s presence but more in his absence
- Continue to “work out **your** salvation”
- Work it out “with fear and trembling”



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Philippians 2:14 (NIV1984)

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⁶ Let your conversation be always full of grace, seasoned with salt, so that you may know how to answer everyone. Colossians 4:6 (NIV1984)

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**29 Do not let any unwholesome talk come out of your mouths,
but only what is helpful for building others up
according to their needs,
that it may benefit those who listen.
Ephesians 4:6 (NIV1984)**

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Do Everything...

- Amazing Command! – ...without complaining or arguing
- Astounding Purpose – ...blameless...pure...children of God without fault
- Aggressive Environment – ...crooked, depraved generation
- Awesome Opportunity – ...shine like stars, hold out the word of life

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In the midst of all the challenges, here's the theme: Be glad and rejoice with me!

- Keen Awareness – “But even if I am being poured out...”
- Great Attitude – “I am glad and rejoice with all of you.”
- Invitation to Partner – “So you too should be glad and rejoice with me.”



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