

Living Courageously  
25 day devotional in Philippians

Week 1

**Day 2**

Praise (Reflect on what you're grateful for from DAY 1 with the Lord)

Read the text: Philippians 1:6-8 (Jot down key or repeated words and phrases)

Ask questions & interpret the context:

- Develop a Biblical perspective on *hope* from verse 6 and from the following references (1:14, 25; 2:13, 24; 3:3,4; Isaiah 40:31; Jeremiah 29:11; Romans 5:5; 8:24-25; 15:13; Colossians 3:1-2; I Peter 5:10; Hebrews 11:11)
- List any roadblocks you are experiencing, which have slowed down God's *good works* in and through you. (Read and pray out of 4:6-7 and I Peter 5:7)
- In what ways do you see Paul's joy-filled love being fueled?
- In what ways and with whom do you desire to situate yourself to become more faithful, joyful, hopeful and lovable?
- How is the Lord speaking to you as a result of reflecting on this passage today?

Summarize: Now take a moment to go back and pour over your observations as well as your responses to the questions.

Engage with God: Bring your thoughts, questions, and desire for change to the Lord for his forgiveness, wisdom, correction, guidance, and direction.

1. What is the Lord saying to you personally?
2. What do you need to pray about?
3. With whom does the Lord want you to share this devotional?
4. Who has the Lord placed on your heart to pray for and invite to church?