

# Living Courageously

## 25-Day Devotional on Philippians

### DAY 5

Praise (Reflect on what you're grateful for from DAY 4 with the Lord)

Read the text: Philippians 1:15-18a (Jot down key or repeated words and phrases)

Ask questions & interpret the context:

- What motivates you to share the truth of God's love?
- Why do you suppose the Lemon Squeezer is more important than the lemons or the lemonade?
- What do you see is the greater joy from these verses?

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. Here are some extra questions to consider:

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?

### DIGGING DEEPER

- Thinking that there was no way anyone could find Jesus, describe a situation that you actually saw God change a life...yours or someone else's.
- What do these verses tell you about God? (See Genesis 50:20)
- Reflect on what it is in your life that holds the gospel from being seen and heard from you. (Consider John 16:24; James 1:5-8)
- To produce sheer joy, what help, resources and training do you desire to pursue to become more confident in working with God in His cause?
- How is the Lord speaking to you as a result of reflecting on this passage today?