

Triumphant Joy

Philippians

Philippians is a great book to which it is impossible to do justice! It's overlying theme is... **TRIUMPHANT JOY!** In this amazing letter, Paul reminds us we have joy in Jesus... and the Joy of Jesus triumphs over all our circumstances!

In the opening verses of this letter Paul gives us four pairs of things that strengthen us for our spiritual journeys:

- 1) _____ and _____ 1:2
- 2) _____ and _____ 1:3-4
- 3) The _____ and _____ 1:5
- 4) _____ and _____ 1:6

Paul makes his final point as he closes chapter 3 (verse 20-21) and then transitions to his conclusion in chapter 4 with a wonderful exhortation...
_____!

In this short letter, Paul used the word "joy" 19 times! May I remind you, Paul is writing from a prison cell!

Paul says... *joy conquers circumstances*... (4:12-13)

when circumstances are _____ by _____!
instead of letting our circumstances conquer us!

And... *joy conquers circumstances*... (4:14)

when circumstances are _____ by _____ who _____!

What I will do with this message: _____
