

Bible Reading: Philipians 1:1-6

Devotional Thought:

Friend, rest in God's sovereignty.

The amazing work He started in you, He will finish. Life might not be happening the way you expected. Circumstances might not be what you envisioned when you pictured your life years ago, but trust Him in the process.

He is working, even when you don't see Him or feel Him. He will complete what He began in you. He will equip you for the task and see you through. Your job is to abide in Him and leave the results in His hands.

The same hands that crafted the evening sunsets and budding flowers are also at work in your life. Don't disappear when the "work" of your life isn't turning out as you had expected. God's not done with you yet!

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Bible Reading: Philippians 1:7-11

Devotional Thought:

“One day” is coming. Until the day when every soul will confess that Jesus Christ is Lord and every knee in every language will bow - from every nation and all corners of the world - until that glorious day, we have a job to do.

We are to live like Christ.

In previous verses (5-8) we see that Christ came as a humble servant to a world that did not know Him. He took on the attitude of humility and emptied Himself as he served those around Him.

Sweet friends, until that glorious day when every knee will bow, we have work to do.

May it begin with us... here and now.

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Questions for Reflection:

What feelings does Paul express for those he's addressing?

How does his relationship with them affect what he prays and how he prays it?

For whom do you feel such affection? Offer thanks to God and pray for them.

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