

SERMON NOTES

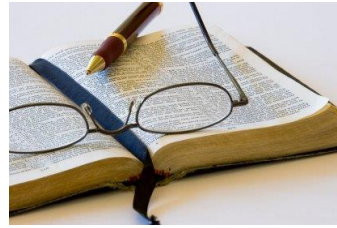
Series: Building Upon the Firm Foundation of God's Word

Title: By Developing Good Study Methods (IV)

Text: Philippians 2:19-30

Topic: How to Study the Bible

Teacher: Pastor Barry Time: 6/19/202



Review: Observation: What does it say? Interpretation: What does it mean? Godly men are caring, Godly men are consistent.

"I send back to you Epaphroditus, my brother, and my fellow worker and my fellow soldier." Philippians 2:25

Each of these three metaphors in this verse has something in common:_____.

3. A GODLY MAN IS_____.

Each of the terms, brother, fellow worker and soldier are _____ and descriptive of the _____.

We are a family. The phrase brother and sister is used about _____ times in the Bible to refer to Christians.

We are a fellowship; fellow workers. We have the same_____.

We are an army; soldiers fighting the same_____.

We need each other. You have strengths that_____, I have strengths that_____.

Godly men are not _____ to get along with.

They're_____. They know how to _____.

So a godly man is caring, consistent, cooperative and...

4. A GODLY MAN IS_____.

"For he [Epaphroditus] longs for all of you and is distressed because you heard he was ill." (26)

Delivering the offering to Paul Epaphroditus nearly dies. When word gets back to the home church, they all were concerned and worried.

What is E's reaction? He is _____ by their distress.

Considerate means you are concerned about how other people_____.

It can be _____ to just blurt out whatever comes to your mind without thinking about how it might affect others.

There's a time _____ things and a time to _____ things; a mature, considerate persons knows the difference.

"Husbands be considerate as you live with your wives." 1 Peter 3:7,

The number one cause of marriage problems is _____.

Men and women are different, because of that, they each have to _____ at being considerate.