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WOW – Word on Wednesday
***PREPARED FOR HEAVEN,
BUT PURPOSED ON EARTH***
Philippians 2

Philippians 1:21 “For me to live is Christ, and to die is gain”

Philippians 2:2 “Fulfil ye my joy, that ye be likeminded, having the same love, being of one accord, of one mind”

The challenge from Paul, he desires the Church to strive for humanity and humility.

1. The Essentials in Humility (vs 1-4)

- Unity in love (vs 1) Galatians 3:28
- Unity of spirit and purpose (vs 2) 2 Corinthians 13:11
- Unity of the same mindset Romans 12:2
- Unity of mercy Psalm 25:6

2. The Example of Humility (vs 5-11)

- Paul highlights two examples of humility – *Pain and Gain*

a. Pain

- He laid aside His glory Isaiah 40:5
- There was no competition between Him and His Father
- He took upon Himself the nature of a human servant.
- He humbled himself. Proverbs 22:4
- He became obedient and died on the cross. John 1:11

b. Gain

- God exalted Him to the highest glory.
- He has given Him a name above all names. John 1:12
- Someday all people will acknowledge that He is Lord.

3. The Exhortation to Humility

- Let God perfect in you His salvation (vs 13)
- Don't complain (vs 14)
- Shine as beacons of light in a dark world (vs 15) Matthew 5:16
- Hold to God's Word (vs 16) Psalm 119:11