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MEANT FOR MORE: PASSION

Philippians 3:4-16

Passion (for what)? Phil. 3:4-6

- Passion for **seeking** things of the world. Phil. 3:4; 2 Tim. 4:10; Luke 12:13-21; 18:18-23; 19:1-2; Matt. 4:18-22; 9:9; Luke 5:11; Eccl. 2:1-11
- Passion for achievement and **success** in the world. Phil. 3:4-6; Luke 18:11-14; 12:13-21; Acts 8:1-3; 9:1-2; John 12:3-6; Eccl. 2:1-11

Passion (for who)? Phil. 3:7-11

- What am I willing to **give**? Phil. 3:4-8; Luke 9:23-24; Matt. 4:18-22; 9:9; Luke 5:11; 14:26
- What I give up I will **gain** much more. Phil. 3:7-11
 - Gain a personal **relationship** with Jesus Christ. Phil. 3:7-9; Acts 9:1-9; Rom. 6:4-5; John 17:3; 10:4; 1 John 5:20; John 1:12
 - Gain the power of **Christ**. Phil. 3:10; Gal. 2:20; Phil. 4:13; 1 John 4:4; 1 Cor. 10:13; 2 Cor. 12:9-10; Rom. 12:1-2; 8:29
 - Gain the opportunity to **suffer** for Christ. Phil. 3:10-11; 2 Cor. 11:23-28; 1 Pet. 2:20-21; 3:14; 4:12-16; John 15:18-22

Passion (how to keep it going). Phil. 3:12-16

- I will not be **satisfied** with where I am with Christ. Phil. 3:12; 2 Pet. 3:18; Rom. 8:29
- I will not let my past dictate, **define**, or defeat me. Phil. 3:13-14
- I will have a disciplined **attitude** that affects all I do for Christ. Phil. 3:15-16; 1 Cor. 9:24-27; 2 Tim. 2:15; 3:11-16

PASSION KILLERS

1. An unclear purpose
2. An unused talent
3. An out of balance schedule
4. An unconfessed sin
5. An unresolved conflict
6. An unsupported lifestyle
7. An undernourished spirit