# **Philippians**

EUANGELLION "Good News" Phil. 1:5,7,12,16,27; 2:22; 4:3,15 euaggel I ion

**Greeting 1:1-11** 

Paul's Viewpoint toward His Circumstances 1:12-26 Paul's Viewpoint toward Philippian Circumstances 1:27-3:21

An Appeal to Gospel Mentality in face of Opposition 1:27-30
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#### Paul's Exhortation to Philippian Believers 3&4

Exhortation toward MA 3:1-4a

Paul's Past MA 3:4b-6

Paul's Present MA 3:7-11

Phil. 3:10a ... that I may know Him

tou gnwnai auton

that

the state/condition of realizing/knowing

HO GINWSKW to know/realize



Normal Christian life is ongoing mental (faith) pursuit to know Jesus Christ

#### To Know Him

John 14:7; 2Cor. 2:14; 5:16; Eph. 3:14-19; Phil. 3:8,10;

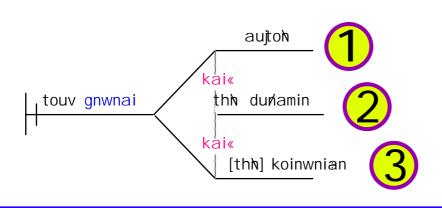
"familiarity leads to personal acquaintance"

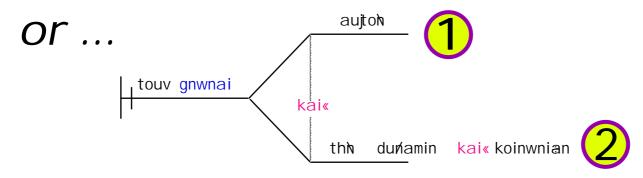
to know H im is to have a personal relationship

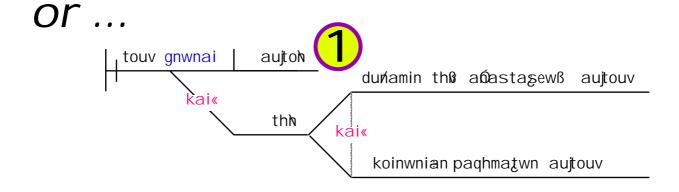
Knowing Christ is the ultimate goal in right relationship with God

"I have told of my ways, and You have answered me; Teach me Your statutes. Make me understand the way of Your precepts, So I will meditate on Your wonders.

(Psa. 119:26-27, NAS95S)







## Phil 3:10b that I may know ... and the power of His resurrection

tou gnwnai .... kai thn dunamin thß anastasewß autou

kai
KAI
continuation of thoughts from verb

the
HJ
the \_\_\_\_\_ & \_\_\_\_

power
DUNAMIS
power

of the resurrection

HJ ANASTASIS

the resurrection

(of) Him KAI m.s. prn he, i.e. JC

Picture of God's Power in the NT is the Resurrection Acts 4:33; Rom. 1:4; Phil. 3:10 Picture of God's Power in the OT is the Exodus

Picture of God's Power in the Bible is the creation of the world

# That I may know ... and the fellowship of His sufferings,

kai [thn] koinwnian [twn] paqhmatwn autou,

and KAI continuation



of sufferings/quality, PATHJMA to suffer

(of) Him AUTOS m.s. prn he, i.e. JC

## Phil 3:10d ... being conformed to His death;

summorfizomenoß tw qanatw autou,

being conformed

SUMMORPHIZW - SUN + MORPH + IZW

participle, pass n.s. helps verb \_\_

Rom. 8:29; Phil. 3:10,21

Dan 3:19; Matt. 17:2; Mark 9:2; 16:12; Rom. 2:20; 8:29; 12:2; 2Cor. 3:18; Gal. 4:19; Phil. 2:6-7; 3:10,21; 2Tim. 3:5

participle è

Condition or circumstances while 'knowing'

present tense è

Conforming is current action with 'knowing' Him

passive voice è

God is conforming Paul. This is not Paul's action.

the death

Why death? Why not resurrection? Life? John 11:13; Rom. 6:3,5; Phil. 3:10; Rev. 13:3,12

"the (physical) significance"

"the (spiritual) significance"

(of) Him

AUTOS m.s. prn he, i.e. JC

### mil 3:11a ... in order that I may attain to the resurrection from the dead

ei pwß katanthsw eiß thn exanastasin thn ek nekrwn.

if if 2Sam. 14:15; 16:12; 1Kings ΕI if how 20:31; 2Kings 19:4; Job if somehow 20:23; Jer. 51:8; Acts 27:12; Rom. 1:10: 11:14: Phil. 3:11 if however how how **PWS** *l arrive* 1s aor subj. to stand + fully, to attain, arrive **KATANTJW** Acts 27:12 into into, towards, goal, direction toward EIS the resurrection EX + ANA + STASIS the resurrection that (one) <sup>н</sup>J out of as a source the dead/quality **EK NEKROS** 

Paul's death, not JC

Change of topic, means new paragraph...

**Review Maturity Map**