

POURED OUT...

THE PHILIPPIAN SECRET TO JOY-FILLED LIVING ◦

PART ONE: PHILIPPIANS 1:1-11

THE SECRET OF DEEP FRIENDSHIPS

“17 But even if I am being poured out like a drink offering on the sacrifice and service coming from your faith, I am glad and rejoice with all of you. 18 So you too should be glad and rejoice with me.”

Philippians 2:17-18

Deep friendships help encourage, align, remind and grow us in our orthopraxy and orthodoxy, the way we live flows from what we believe. As we enter into relationships that are authentic, honest, safe and intimate, we find hope in God's incarnational presence. The community of faith has been designed by God for us to experience deep friendships that release the very presence of Christ in our midst.

~Pastor Monty

Philippians 1:1-11 (ESV)

Paul and Timothy, servants of Christ Jesus, To all the saints in Christ Jesus who are at Philippi, with the overseers and deacons: Grace to you and peace from God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ.

I thank my God in all my remembrance of you, always in every prayer of mine for you all making my prayer with joy, because of your partnership in the gospel from the first day until now. And I am sure of this, that he who began a good work in you will bring it to completion at the day of Jesus Christ. It is right for me to feel this way about you all, because I hold you in my heart, for you are all partakers with me of grace, both in my imprisonment and in the defense and confirmation of the gospel. For God is my witness, how I yearn for you all with the affection of Christ Jesus. And it is my prayer that your love may abound more and more, with knowledge and all discernment, so that you may approve what is excellent, and so be pure and blameless for the day of Christ, filled with the fruit of righteousness that comes through Jesus Christ, to the glory and praise of God.