

LIFE GROUP QUESTIONS

WEEK OF NOVEMBER 22, 2015

CURRENT SERIES: CHURCH ON FIRE
PHILIPPIANS 2:12-18

I want to be used by Jesus. How can I be sure that I am in a place to make that happen? (Read Philippians 1:12-18.)

1. **Be Serious.** (v. 12b) Too often we are serious about the wrong things. We are serious about our vacations. We are serious about our feelings. We are serious about . . . you name it. *How does the severity of our call affect the way we live? What does it mean to walk in “fear and trembling”? Can you think of any “big God” passages of scripture? Share them with the group.*

2. **Be Devoted.** (v. 13) We have a role to play in our own growth. *What is one way that God is working in you right now? What are you doing to grow in that area?*

3. **Be Trusting.** (v. 14-15a) It is hard to trust the Lord’s plan from time to time. When we lose sight of Him, we grumble and dispute. *In what areas of your life are you prone to grumbling and disputing? How can you learn to trust God in these areas?*

4. **Be Illuminating.** (v. 15b) “This little light of mine, I’m gonna let it shine.” *Where are you going to shine your light this week? How are you going to add to the collective light we shine at Harvest?*

5. **Be Secure.** (v. 16) The more we know God, the more secure we become in Him. *What does the use of your time tell you about your security? How are you anchoring yourself to the unchanging God who is in control of everything? Could you spot a counterfeit word?*

6. **Be Second.** (v. 17a) The image of the drink offering is a powerful reminder that we must not put ourselves first, but gladly be second. *Think of one person you can serve and encourage. Write their name down and “just do it”.*

7. **Be Joyful.** (v. 17b-18) Joy is the supernatural delight in the person, people, and purposes of God. *How are you demonstrating joy in your life right now? What does a lack of joy say about your walk with the Lord?*