

# Gaining Christ

*Philippians 3*



# Paul's Former Life (1-6)

- ◆ Don't put any confidence in the flesh (1-3)
- ◆ Paul's Resume' (4-6)
- ◆ Don't put your confidence in fleshly accomplishments



# The Greatness of Christ (7-11)

- ◆ Paul's attitude towards former accomplishments (7-8a)
- ◆ Gaining Christ is of surpassing value (8b-10)
- ◆ Gaining Christ offers heavenly reward (11)



# Paul's Mindset Going Forward (12-17)

- ◆ I have not attained it yet (12-13a)
- ◆ Forget what lies behind and reach forward to what lies ahead (13b-14)
- ◆ Maintain this attitude (15-17)



# Enemies of the Cross (18-21)

- ◆ Their end is destruction
- ◆ Their god is their own appetite
- ◆ Their glory is their shame
- ◆ They set their minds on earthly things



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