

BEING THE "LIGHT" GOD WANTS US TO BE
(Philippians 2:12-16) pt. 3

I. LIVE _____ AS YOU WORK OUT YOUR OWN SALVATION (2:12-13)

II. LIVE _____ AS CHILDREN OF GOD (2:14-16)

**A. By Heeding His Command To.... "Do all things without _____ &
_____"**

B. By Becoming _____ "Children of God" (2:14-16)

1. By letting the _____ of the Lord Jesus Christ be _____ (2:2-8)

2. By an attitude of _____ dependence & faith via the _____ in what
God has stated & provided in Christ.

3. By demonstrating: (2:15)

a. _____

b. living _____ as _____ children

c. Being _____ as God's children

C. By Shinning as _____ in a Dark World (2:15c)

a. **Where** is this to take place? (2:15)

* The scriptural history of God's light in this world:

1) God's declaration that He is _____ (1 John 1:5; Psa. 27:1; 36:9)

2) God as light is portrayed even in _____ . (Genesis 1:1-5,
14-19, 26-27; 2:15-17)

3) These results can be seen in the epistles (Ephesians 4:17-19; 5:8-14; Rom. 1:18-32; Acts 26:18; 1 Peter 2:9; 2 Cor. 4:3-6)

4) In the call of _____ . (Isaiah 42:6-7; Deuteronomy 32:5)

5) Who is the light in the NT? (John 1:1-9; 3:17-21; 8:12; 9:5; 12:35-36; Mt 5:13-16; Eph 5:8-14; 1 John 1:7; 2:8-11)

b. **How** will this will manifest it self? (2:16) in 2 ways:

1) You will need to _____ to the word of life.

* Remember, it is God's word that _____ & _____ us in life!

2) You will _____ the word of life to others.

c. What is the **goal** in all this?

d. What do we need to **not forget**? (1 Corinthians 15:58)