

The Apostle Paul, Servant of Christ

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**SESSION 76:
CAPTIVITY AND DEATH**

What the study is about tonight:

8.1.4 House Arrest in Rome

8.1.4.5 Snapshot Glimpses into Ministry at Rome

8.1.4.5.2 Plans for Timothy and Apaphroditus (part 1)



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Unit II: Paul the Missionary

Chapter 8: Captivity and Death

8.1.4 House arrest in Rome (61-62 AD)

8.1.4.5 Snapshot glimpses at Rome

8.1.4.5.2 Plans for Timothy and Epaphroditus, part 2

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An Overview Survey of the Contributions of This Christian Leader



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- **Session Seventy-six**
 - Taken from chapter eight of the book
 - Emphasis on ministry Rome
- **Learning Goals:**
 - 1. Learning about doing missions from the scripture text
 - 2. Understanding how this information has been interpreted



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8.1.4 House Arrest in Rome

8.1.4.1 Minimum Detention

Acts 28:16

8.1.4.2 Meeting with Jewish leaders

Acts 28:17-22

8.1.4.3 Paul's ministry at Rome

Acts 28:23-28

8.1.4.4 Luke's summary

Acts 28:30-31

8.1.4.5 Snapshot Glimpses at Rome

Philippians

8.1.4.5.1 Opposition from within

Phil. 1:12-26

8.1.4.5.2 Plans for Timothy & Epaphroditus

Phi. 2:19-30

8.1.4.5.3 Ministry to Philippians from Rome

Phil. 4:1-3

8.1.4.5.4 Acknowledgement of Gift

Phil. 4:10-20



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8.1.4.5 Snapshot glimpses at Rome, Philipplians

8.1.4.5.2 Plans for Timothy & Epaphroditus, Phil. 2:19-30, pt. 1, v. 25

25 Ἀναγκαῖον δὲ ἠγησάμην Ἐπαφρόδιτον τὸν ἀδελφὸν καὶ συνεργὸν καὶ συστρατιώτην μου, ὑμῶν δὲ ἀπόστολον καὶ λειτουργὸν τῆς χρείας μου, πέμψαι πρὸς ὑμᾶς,

25 Still, I think it necessary to send to you Epaphroditus — my brother and co-worker and fellow soldier, your messenger and minister to my need;



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8.1.4.5 Snapshot glimpses at Rome, Philipplians

8.1.4.5.2 Plans for Timothy & Epaphroditus, Phil. 2:19-30, pt. 2, v. 26

26 ἐπειδὴ ἐπιποθῶν ἦν
πάντας ὑμᾶς καὶ
ἀδημονῶν, διότι
ἠκούσατε ὅτι
ἠσθένησεν.

26 for he has been
longing for all of you,
and has been
distressed because you
heard that he was ill.



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8.1.4.5 Snapshot glimpses at Rome, Philipplians

8.1.4.5.2 Plans for Timothy & Epaphroditus, Phil. 2:19-30, pt. 3, v. 27

27 καὶ γὰρ ἡσθένησεν παραπλήσιον θανάτῳ· ἀλλ' ὁ θεὸς ἠλέησεν αὐτόν, οὐκ αὐτόν δὲ μόνον ἀλλὰ καὶ ἐμέ, ἵνα μὴ λύπην ἐπὶ λύπην σχῶ.

27 He was indeed so ill that he nearly died. But God had mercy on him, and not only on him but on me also, so that I would not have one sorrow after another.



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8.1.4.5.2 Plans for Timothy & Epaphroditus, Phil. 2:19-30, pt. 4, v. 28

28 σπουδαιότερως οὖν
ἔπεμψα αὐτόν, ἵνα
ιδόντες αὐτόν πάλιν
χαρῆτε κάγω
ἀλυπότερος ᾶ.

28 I am the more eager
to send him, therefore,
in order that you may
rejoice at seeing him
again, and that I may be
less anxious.



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8.1.4.5 Snapshot glimpses at Rome, Phillipians

8.1.4.5.2 Plans for Timothy & Epaphroditus, Phil. 2:19-30, pt. 5, v. 29

29 προσδέχεσθε οὖν αὐτὸν ἐν κυρίῳ μετὰ πάσης χαρᾶς καὶ τοὺς τοιούτους ἐντίμους ἔχετε,

29 Welcome him then in the Lord with all joy, and honor such people,



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8.1.4.5 Snapshot glimpses at Rome, Philipplians

8.1.4.5.2 Plans for Timothy & Epaphroditus, Phil. 2:19-30, pt. 6, v. 30

30 ὅτι διὰ τὸ ἔργον
Χριστοῦ μέχρι θανάτου
ἤγγισεν
παραβολευσάμενος τῇ
ψυχῇ, ἵνα ἀναπληρώσῃ τὸ
ὑμῶν ὑστέρημα τῆς πρὸς
με λειτουργίας.

30 because he came
close to death for the
work of Christ, risking
his life to make up for
those services that you
could not give me.



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- **What can we learn from Paul's experience in Rome?**
 - ✓ 1. Paul treated those working with him with great respect
 - ✓ 2. Epaphroditus maintained his roots
 - ✓ 3. His illness was a concern to everyone
 - ✓ 4. Paul was anxious to relieve the concern of the Philippians
 - ✓ 5. Risk taking service typified Epaphroditus' commitment



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- **NEXT Session:**
- **8.1.4.5 Snapshot glimpses at Rome**
- **8.1.4.5.3 Ministry to the Philippians from Rome**



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Thank You for Coming!
Gracias por venir esta noche!
Until Next Week!
Hasta la próxima semana!
Have a safe trip home!
Tener un viaje seguro a casa!



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