

# ***“Glory to God in the Highest”***

*When There is No Good Will Towards You*  
Acts 25:1-12

Intro.

What the the Angels say when they announced Jesus Coming? Yes, but what does it mean to Glorify God?  
How can we do it?

**Wherefore** in Philippians 2:12 refers back to  
verses 9- 11 which talks about:

- ❖ Confessing Jesus as Lord
- ❖ Glorifying God the Father

***We Glorify God by being:***

**I. Consistent** – “which they could not prove” (vs. 5-7)

- *Being someone who lives consistent with their faith*
- Philippians 2:12  
Work out your salvation = Don’t play games with God

**II. Confident** - “he answered for himself” (vs. 8-9)

- *Being someone who rests in the sovereign power of God:*
- Philippians 2:13  
To Will and to Do of His good pleasure = God has a plan

**III. Content** - “where I ought to be judged” (v. 10)

- *Being someone who trust God to provide :*
- Philippians 2:14  
*With murmuring or disputing = doubting God’s goodness*
- *Paul said he learned to be content in want and in abundance*
- *Contentment says that God has not failed in providing for me and will not fail to provide for my needs, I must be sure to not misappropriate what I have been given*

**IV. Conscientious** - “as thou very well knowest” (vs. 10b-11a)

- *Being someone who has genuine and sincere relationships:*
- Philippians 2:15  
*Blameless and Harmless = Harboring no evil whatsoever*

**V. Consecrated** - “no man may deliver me” (vs. 11b-12)

Consecrated = sanctified = holiness = blessed = glorify = brighten

Lets talk about Flash lights for a second:

Why they don’t work

Why they don’t work well

What they are for

- *Being someone who is committed to God’s Plan :*
- Philippians 2:15b-16  
*Holding forth the Word of Life = Presenting Jesus to the World*