



## Session 32: A Better Brand of Happiness

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Philippians 4:6a

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### Philippians 4:4-9 (NIV)

4 Rejoice in the Lord always. I will say it again: Rejoice!

5 Let your gentleness be evident to all. The Lord is near.

6 Do not be anxious about anything, but in every situation, by prayer and petition, with thanksgiving, present your requests to God.

7 And the peace of God, which transcends all understanding, will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus.

8 Finally, brothers and sisters, whatever is true, whatever is noble, whatever is right, whatever is pure, whatever is lovely, whatever is admirable—if anything is excellent or praiseworthy—think about such things.

9 Whatever you have learned or received or heard from me, or seen in me—put it into practice. And the God of peace will be with you.

### **Review & Passage Analysis**

This session began with a brief review of sessions 30 & 31.

*Big Idea: When you rejoice in the Lord, it will make you gentle, prayerful when anxious, intentional in your thinking, and obedient to God's word.*

This session contains several minutes where Pastor Brian analyzes the passage & compares it in three translations.

This session begins looking at the compound command in Philippians 4:6.

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**The first part of this compound \_\_\_\_\_ is, “Do not be anxious.”**

The word, “anxious” means “to \_\_\_\_\_.”

Philippians 2:19-20: “I hope in the Lord Jesus to send Timothy to you soon, that I also may be cheered when I receive news about you. 20 I have no one else like him, who will show genuine concern for your welfare.”

Anxiety (aka “worry”) is a strong negative emotional response about something bad that \_\_\_\_\_ happen but has not happened.

*Anxiety is a high level of \_\_\_\_\_.*

*Anxiety happens when we think about the \_\_\_\_\_.*

*Anxiety is \_\_\_\_\_.*

*Anxiety is \_\_\_\_\_.*

**The second part of this compound command gives us the godly \_\_\_\_\_ to anxiety which is, “...present your requests to God.”**

