

**PHILIPPIANS**  
**Earthly and Heavenly**  
**Philippians 3:18-20a**

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**1. It is crucial that believers live their life according to the gospel pattern of Paul and others, because there is much temptation to \_\_\_\_\_ from that path.**

- a. Christians must take seriously the warnings about those who \_\_\_\_\_ the way of the gospel.

*“The enemy never sees the heavenly seed sown by the Lord but he immediately endeavors to scatter his \_\_\_\_\_.” - Jean Daille*

- b. It is \_\_\_\_\_ and sobering when people who know the truth come to reject it.

**2. Those who turn aside from the gospel dangerously make themselves to be \_\_\_\_\_ of the cross of Christ.**

- a. When the cross of Christ is rejected, the \_\_\_\_\_ result is eternal destruction.

*“Then I saw that there was a Way to \_\_\_\_\_, even from the Gates of Heaven, as well as from the City of Destruction.” - John Bunyan in Pilgrim’s Progress*

- b. When the cross of Christ is rejected, a person’s appetite becomes their \_\_\_\_\_.

- c. When the cross of Christ is rejected, a person will \_\_\_\_\_ of things of which they should be ashamed.

- d. When the cross of Christ is rejected, a person’s worldview will be shaped by the things of \_\_\_\_\_ instead of the things of heaven.

**3. Believers are to live their life on earth knowing that their citizenship is in \_\_\_\_\_.**