

CHAPTER 3.

Part III. Christ, object of the believer's faith, desire, and expectation (Phil. 3. 1-21).

(1) Warning against Judaizers

FINALLY, my brethren, **rejoice** in the Lord. To write the same things to you, to me indeed is not grievous, but for you it is safe. **2 Pet 1:12, 15** put always in remembrance **1 Thes 5:16** rejoice even more! **Rev 22:15** w/out are dogs **Gen 30:10-11** dogs not bark **Gen 12:3** circumcision **ESV** mutilate the flesh **Toh 4:24** worship in Spirit **Col 2:11** circ. w/out hands **Eph 6:19** be strong in Lord **2 Cor 3:5** sufficiency of God

(2) Warning against trusting in legal righteousness.

4 Though I might also have confidence in the flesh. If any other man thinketh that he hath whereof he might trust in the flesh, I more.

5 Circumcised the eighth day, of the stock of Israel, of the tribe of Benjamin, an Hebrew of the Hebrews; as touching the law, a Pharisee;

6 Concerning zeal, persecuting the church; touching the brightness which is in the law, blamer less. - he followed the law's rear, to receive forgiveness.

(3) Christ, object of the believer's faith for righteousness.

7 But what things were gain to me, those I counted loss for Christ. 8 Yea doubtless, and I count all things but loss for the excellency of the knowledge of Christ Jesus my Lord: for whom I have suffered the loss of all things, and do count them but dung, that I may win Christ, 9 And be found in him, not having mine own righteousness, which is of the law, but that which is through the faith of Christ, & the righteousness which is of God by faith.

Deu 13:1-4 If Jesus false - PEST
5-8 Put to death

Mat 26:41 spirit willing, but flesh is weak
Rom 6:19 infirmity of your flesh (change)

Rom 8:3 law-weak through the flesh

Jon 6:63 the flesh profiteth nothing

Rom 7:18 in my flesh dwelleth no good thing

Act 2:31 Christ - his flesh not see corse.

Rom 8:13 mortify the deeds-body-live

Gal 6:8 sow to flesh - reap corruption

1 Pet 1:24 all flesh is as grass - withereth

Righteousness
vs 6 in the law
vs 9 of the law
(what it makes a man outward)

vs 9 of God by faith
(through faith in CHRIST).

1 Tim 1:12-15 chief