

# STRIVING TOGETHER FOR THE FAITH OF THE GOSPEL

## How to Help Your Team Win The Victory

### Philippians 1:27-30

Paul tells the church, "You are on the same team. You are fighting and striving **together** (as a team) for the faith or the advancement of the gospel."

As a local assembly of believers, we are on the same team, and we must advance the gospel of Jesus Christ. How will we get the job done? It will take team players with each one doing his or her part.

#### **It will take consistency. vs. 27**

If your life is becoming to the gospel, it means that people are \_\_\_\_\_ to the gospel by the way you live life and conduct yourself.

*"Teaching us that, denying ungodliness and worldly lusts, we should live soberly, righteously, and godly, in this present world."* **Titus 2:12**

If the gospel is going to advance forward, it will take believers who \_\_\_\_\_ lives that are consistent with what they say they are.

We are to be \_\_\_\_\_, not blend in with the darkness.

## It will take camaraderie. vs. 27

Paul reminds them that teams work together if they are to \_\_\_\_\_ victories.

Satan's plan is to fracture the church with \_\_\_\_\_ divisions. Why is this his plan? Because if we are fighting each other, we won't have the energy or passion to fight him and to send out the gospel.

*"And be ye kind one to another, tenderhearted, forgiving one another, even as God for Christ's sake hath forgiven you."*

**Ephesians 4:32**

## It will take courage. vs. 28

As our church spreads the gospel of Christ, there are adversaries.

Not everyone will love you when you share Christ as the only way to heaven.

In fact, it very well could include a certain degree of \_\_\_\_\_.

*"Yea, and all that will live godly in Christ Jesus shall suffer persecution."*

**2 Timothy 3:12**

If we all work together as a team, we can \_\_\_\_\_ victories over Satan!