Working on your Shine Philippians 2:14-18 August 8, 2010

Sanctification by Parenting

A Specific Example of Working out your Salvation v 14

Do all things without grumbling

Familiarity breeds contempt.

The Present Goal of our Salvation v 15

Paul wants Christians to shine

Paul wants our lives to be our witness.

Blameless, Innocent, Children of God above reproach

Shine in a dark place

How does your life reflect the glory of God?

Do you have a legitimate complaint about God?

What does it mean to shine?

Where does the battle between light and darkness rage within you?

What are the obvious areas of disobedience in your life that you are ignoring?

Holding fast, or holding forth the word of life v 16

We must hold it fast if we are to hold it forth.

Paul's Encouragement v 17-18

Running in vain

Paul's willing sacrifice (Num 15)

Even if I were to die in order to serve and fortify your faith, I rejoice.