

**Bible Study Questions**  
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***Joy Ride: With Friends***  
**Philippians 2:19-30**

Tell us about someone in your life whom you trust. Why do you trust him or her?

Read Philippians 2:19-30.

**ANALYZE**

Start with: What are your initial thoughts, ideas and questions that come to mind after hearing the sermon and reading the passage.

- Why do you think Paul singles out his two friends, Timothy and Epaphroditus, in this letter?
- What do we see, in this passage, about Timothy's character?
- Why does Paul say God spared Epaphroditus? What does that teach us about God's character and the way He relates to us in our humanity?
- What is the significance of Paul calling Epaphroditus a "brother, fellow worker and fellow soldier"?

**APPLICATION**

- How is your heart? How are your friendships?
- Are you connected? If not, why not?
- How are you being nurtured in the faith by someone? How are you nurturing anyone personally? Why or why not?
- Where do you need to experience God's mercy?
- God is calling for allegiance in every area of our lives. What do you need to surrender to Him?