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Scriptural References and Comment Notes

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STANDING FIRM IN THE LORD (RSV)

:55 Philippians 4:1 Therefore, my brethren, whom I love and long for, my joy and crown, **stand firm** thus in the Lord, my beloved. Teaching – Paul had special affection for the Philippians. Reference Philippians 1:3-4,7 Paul is filled with thanksgiving and joy for them – he holds them in his heart because they share in the gospel. Reference Philippians 4:14-15. The Philippians supported Paul on many occasions.

Teaching on “Crown”. The Philippians are the validation of Paul’s ministry.

4:55 1 Corinthians 9:1-2 Paul tells the Corinthians that they are evidence (the seal) of his apostleship and workmanship in the Lord.

6:10 Philippians 4:1 “Stand firm in the Lord” The Philippians faced all sorts of attacks - false teaching, heresies...

Teaching on some ways that our relationship with God is expressed in scripture: Walk with God – Micah 6:8; Run the race set before you – Hebrews 12:1; Sit on his throne, those who overcome – Revelation 3:21; Seated in the heavenly places – Ephesians 1:20

Teaching on Standing firm. Reference Ephesians 6:10-13.

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9:35 1 John 3:8 ...The reason the Son of God appeared was to destroy the works of the devil. Terry asks the question – Did Jesus succeed or did he fail in that mission? Reference Hebrews 2:14-15 Jesus became incarnate so that in death he could destroy him who has the power of death and to set us free from the bondage of sin. Again Terry asks: Did Jesus succeed or fail? Reference John 17:4 Jesus tells the Father that he has completed the work he was sent to do. Reference John 19:30 It is finished.

Teaching on our battle with evil, in light of the victory already won in Jesus. Reference Ephesians 6:13-17 defensive armor. Verse 13 - "Having done all, "Stand".

15:15 Standing firm (fast) in the Lord also has application to our salvation. Reference Romans 5:1-2 We stand in the grace of his gift of salvation.

17:00 Philippians 1:27 Only let your manner of life be worthy of the gospel of Christ, so that whether I come and see you or am absent, I may hear of you that you **stand firm** in one spirit, with one mind striving side by side for the faith of the gospel,

18:00 John 17:11, 20-21 Jesus prays that all who believe in him shall be one as he and the Father are one. Teaching on the destructive nature of in fighting over non-essentials. At the foot of the cross, the ground is level for everyone.

21:40 Galatians 5:1 For freedom Christ has set us free; **stand fast** therefore, and do not submit again to a yoke of slavery. Teaching on legalism and licentiousness.

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24:15 1 Corinthians 16:13 Be watchful, **stand firm** in your faith, be courageous, be strong. Teaching – standing firm in your belief. It is not possible to be a mature Christian without understanding what the truth is. Reference 1 Peter 3:15 (NIV) But in your hearts set apart Christ as Lord. Always be prepared to give an answer to everyone who asks you to give the reason for the hope that you have. But do this with gentleness and respect,

Teaching – Faith in the scripture is warranted belief. You do not leave your brains at the door – you ponder, you learn, you study.

Phil. 4:1 Therefore, my brethren, whom I love and long for, my joy and crown, stand firm thus in the Lord, my beloved.

Phil. 1:3 I thank my God in all my remembrance of you, 4 always in every prayer of mine for you all making my prayer with joy,

Phil. 1:7 It is right for me to feel thus about you all, because I hold you in my heart, for you are all partakers with me of grace, both in my imprisonment and in the defense and confirmation of the gospel.

Phil. 4:14 Yet it was kind of you to share my trouble. 15 And you Philippians yourselves know that in the beginning of the gospel, when I left Macedonia, no church entered into partnership with me in giving and receiving except you only;

1Cor. 9:1 Am I not free? Am I not an apostle? Have I not seen Jesus our Lord? Are not you my workmanship in the Lord? 2 If to others I am not an apostle, at least I am to you; for you are the seal of my apostleship in the Lord.

Phil. 4:1 Therefore, my brethren, whom I love and long for, my joy and crown, stand firm thus in the Lord, my beloved.

Mic. 6:8 He has showed you, O man, what is good; and what does the LORD require of you but to do justice, and to love kindness, and to walk humbly with your God?

Heb. 12:1 Therefore, since we are surrounded by so great a cloud of witnesses, let us also lay aside every weight, and sin which clings so closely, and let us run with perseverance the race that is set before us,

Rev. 3:21 He who conquers, I will grant him to sit with me on my throne, as I myself conquered and sat down with my Father on his throne.

Eph. 1:20 which he accomplished in Christ when he raised him from the dead and made him sit at his right hand in the heavenly places,

Eph. 6:10 Finally, be strong in the Lord and in the strength of his might. 11 Put on the whole armor of God, that you may be able to stand against the wiles

of the devil. 12 For we are not contending against flesh and blood, but against the principalities, against the powers, against the world rulers of this present darkness, against the spiritual hosts of wickedness in the heavenly places. 13 Therefore take the whole armor of God, that you may be able to withstand in the evil day, and having done all, to stand.

1John 3:8 He who commits sin is of the devil; for the devil has sinned from the beginning. The reason the Son of God appeared was to destroy the works of the devil.

Heb. 2:14 Since therefore the children share in flesh and blood, he himself likewise partook of the same nature, that through death he might destroy him who has the power of death, that is, the devil, 15 and deliver all those who through fear of death were subject to lifelong bondage.

John 17:4 I glorified thee on earth, having accomplished the work which thou gavest me to do;

John 19:30 When Jesus had received the vinegar, he said, "It is finished"; and he bowed his head and gave up his spirit.

Eph. 6:13 Therefore take the whole armor of God, that you may be able to withstand in the evil day, and having done all, to stand. 14 Stand therefore, having girded your loins with truth, and having put on the breastplate of righteousness, 15 and having shod your feet with the equipment of the gospel of peace; 16 besides all these, taking the shield of faith, with which you can quench all the flaming darts of the evil one. 17 And take the helmet of salvation, and the sword of the Spirit, which is the word of God.

Rom. 5:1 Therefore, since we are justified by faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ. 2 Through him we have obtained access to this grace in which we stand, and we rejoice in our hope of sharing the glory of God.

Phil. 1:27 Only let your manner of life be worthy of the gospel of Christ, so that whether I come and see you or am absent, I may hear of you that you stand firm in one spirit, with one mind striving side by side for the faith of the gospel,

John 17:11 And now I am no more in the world, but they are in the world, and I am coming to thee. Holy Father, keep them in thy name, which thou hast given me, that they may be one, even as we are one.

John 17:20 “I do not pray for these only, but also for those who believe in me through their word, 21 that they may all be one; even as thou, Father, art in me, and I in thee, that they also may be in us, so that the world may believe that thou hast sent me.

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