



Pastor Jeff's Daily Devotion

Day 19

January 29, 2010

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Philippians 1:1-6

¹Paul and Timothy, servants of Christ Jesus, To all the saints in Christ Jesus at Philippi, together with the overseers and deacons: ²Grace and peace to you from God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ. ³I thank my God every time I remember you. ⁴In all my prayers for all of you, I always pray with joy ⁵because of your partnership in the gospel from the first day until now, ⁶being confident of this, that He who began a good work in you will carry it on to completion until the day of Christ Jesus.

Another important part of our family is to pray for one another. I pray all the time for our family here at church. That He will make us one. We also have a partnership. This is a word that denotes a task that we have been given. Yes, we have been given it individually, but it is in concert with the rest of our family. It is a partnership in the Gospel. His message that has changed us and that we must share with the world.

It is most important to understand that it is God's work in us. He is at work in us and the promise we have is that if He began the work, He will carry it on to completion. It is a comfort to know that it is not all up to me. "He is the potter, I am the clay, mold me and make me this I pray."

O Lord, we long to be made for the purpose You have for us.