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A Good Journey

Philippians 3:12-21

Summary – Scripture would agree with the idea that life is a journey not a destination. Often we get robbed of joy on the journey because we are focused on a mirage of a destination. Paul gives us traveling instructions on how to enjoy the ride of life as we focus on the real destination for the follow of Jesus Christ.

Scripture – Philippians 3:12-21; Ephesians 2:10; Psalm 107:34; 2 Peter 1:3; Jeremiah 17:6; John 14:1-2

Community Group Questions: (There is no obligation to discuss every question)

Move Forward (3:12-16)

- 1. How can even the good things in our past paralyze and keep us from pressing on?
- 2. "Yesterday's home runs don't win today's games." Discuss
- 3. Why do we tend to look at life through the rear view mirror rather than the windshield?

Follow Good Leaders (3:17-19)

- 1. "We are always being mentored." Discuss
- 2. What are the qualities to look for in a righteous mentor?
- 3. The world follows a secular mindset that focuses on the here and now. How does the Bible challenge that mindset?

Eternal Mindset (3:20-21)

- 1. "When Heaven is your goal, earth becomes golden." Discuss
- 2. What happens when you try to live your life at a rest stop?
- 3. "Earth cannot take the weight of life." Discuss