

# **BIBLICAL**

A STUDY THROUGH THE SCROLLS OF SCRIPTURE

# **REVIEW**

## **Philippians**



Paul and Timothy, servants of Christ Jesus, To all the  
saints in Christ Jesus who are at Philippi, with the  
overseers and deacons:

Grace to you and peace from God our Father and the  
Lord Jesus Christ.

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Philippians 1:1-2

# Philippians Outline

Chapter	Sections	Theme
1	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• The advance of the Gospel</li><li>• To live is Christ</li></ul>	<p>Persevere in <b>DUTY</b></p> <p>Advance in <b>JOY</b></p>
2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Christ's example of humility</li><li>• Paul's example of humility</li><li>• T &amp; E example of humility</li></ul>	
3	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Righteousness through faith in Christ</li><li>• Strain toward the goal</li></ul>	
4	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Final exhortation and prayer</li><li>• Rejoice in God's provision</li></ul>	

# BOOKS OF THE NEW TESTAMENT, IN ORDER OF DATE WRITTEN

First Missionary Journey

Second Missionary Journey

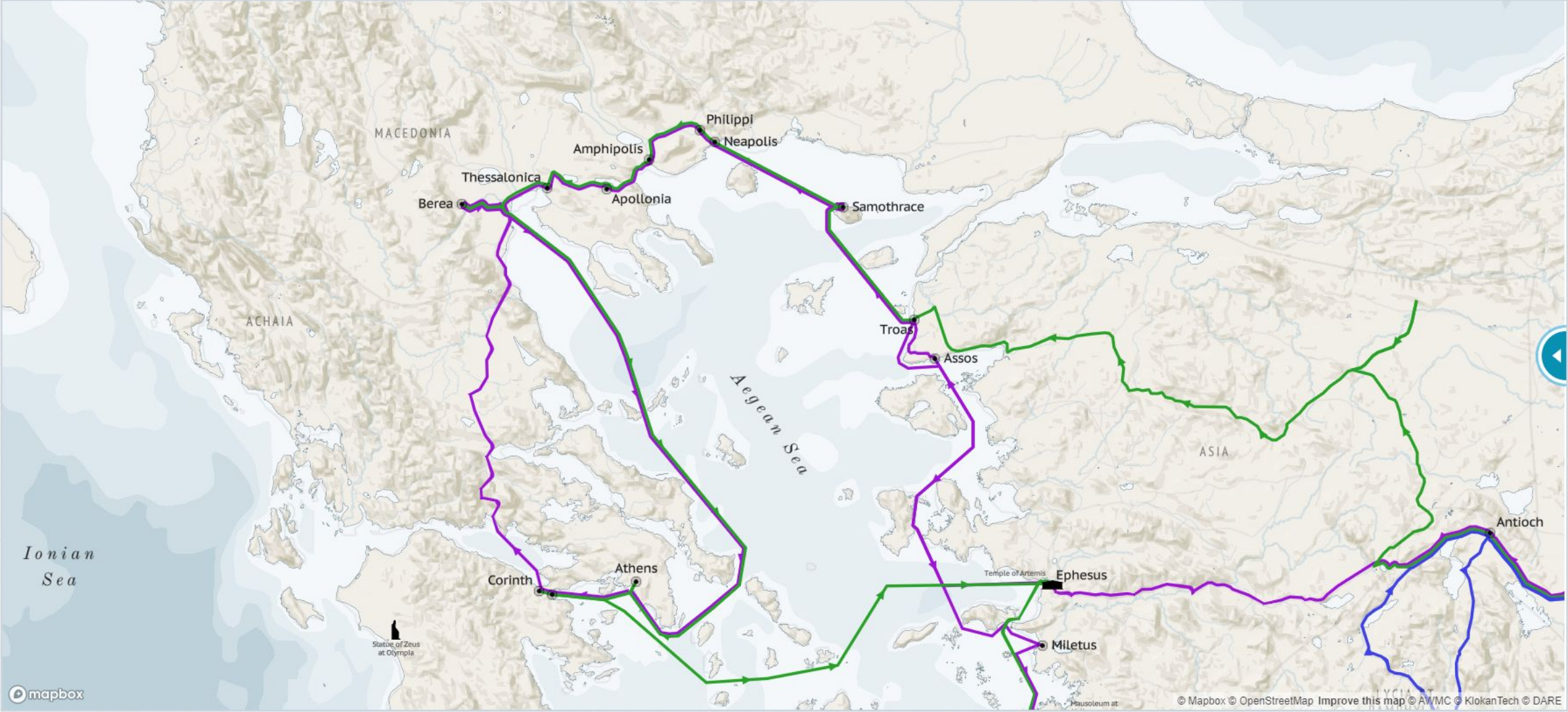
Third Missionary Journey

In Rome

Year Written	Order	Book	Author
44-49 AD	20	James	<i>James, half-brother of Jesus</i>
49-50 AD	9	Galatians	<i>Apostle Paul</i>
50-60 AD	2	Mark	<i>Mark, friend of the apostles</i>
50-60 AD	1	Matthew	<i>Apostle Matthew</i>
51 AD	13	1 Thessalonians	<i>Apostle Paul</i>
51-52 AD	14	2 Thessalonians	<i>Apostle Paul</i>
55 AD	7	1 Corinthians	<i>Apostle Paul</i>
55-56 AD	8	2 Corinthians	<i>Apostle Paul</i>
56 AD	6	Romans	<i>Apostle Paul</i>
60-61 AD	3	Luke	<i>Luke the Physician</i>
60-62 AD	10	Ephesians	<i>Apostle Paul</i>
60-62 AD	11	Philippians	<i>Apostle Paul</i>
60-62 AD	12	Colossians	<i>Apostle Paul</i>
60-62 AD	18	Philemon	<i>Apostle Paul</i>
62 AD	5	Acts	<i>Luke the Physician</i>
62-64 AD	15	1 Timothy	<i>Apostle Paul</i>
62-64 AD	17	Titus	<i>Apostle Paul</i>
64 AD	21	1 Peter	<i>Apostle Peter</i>
66-67 AD	16	2 Timothy	<i>Apostle Paul</i>
67 AD	22	2 Peter	<i>Apostle Peter</i>
67-69 AD	19	Hebrews	<i>Unknown</i>
75 AD	26	Jude	<i>Jude, half-brother of Jesus</i>
80-90 AD	4	John	<i>Apostle John</i>
90-95 AD	23-25	1, 2, 3 John	<i>Apostle John</i>
95 AD	27	Revelation	<i>Apostle John</i>

# Paul's Missionary Journeys

FIRST SECOND THIRD ROME ALL



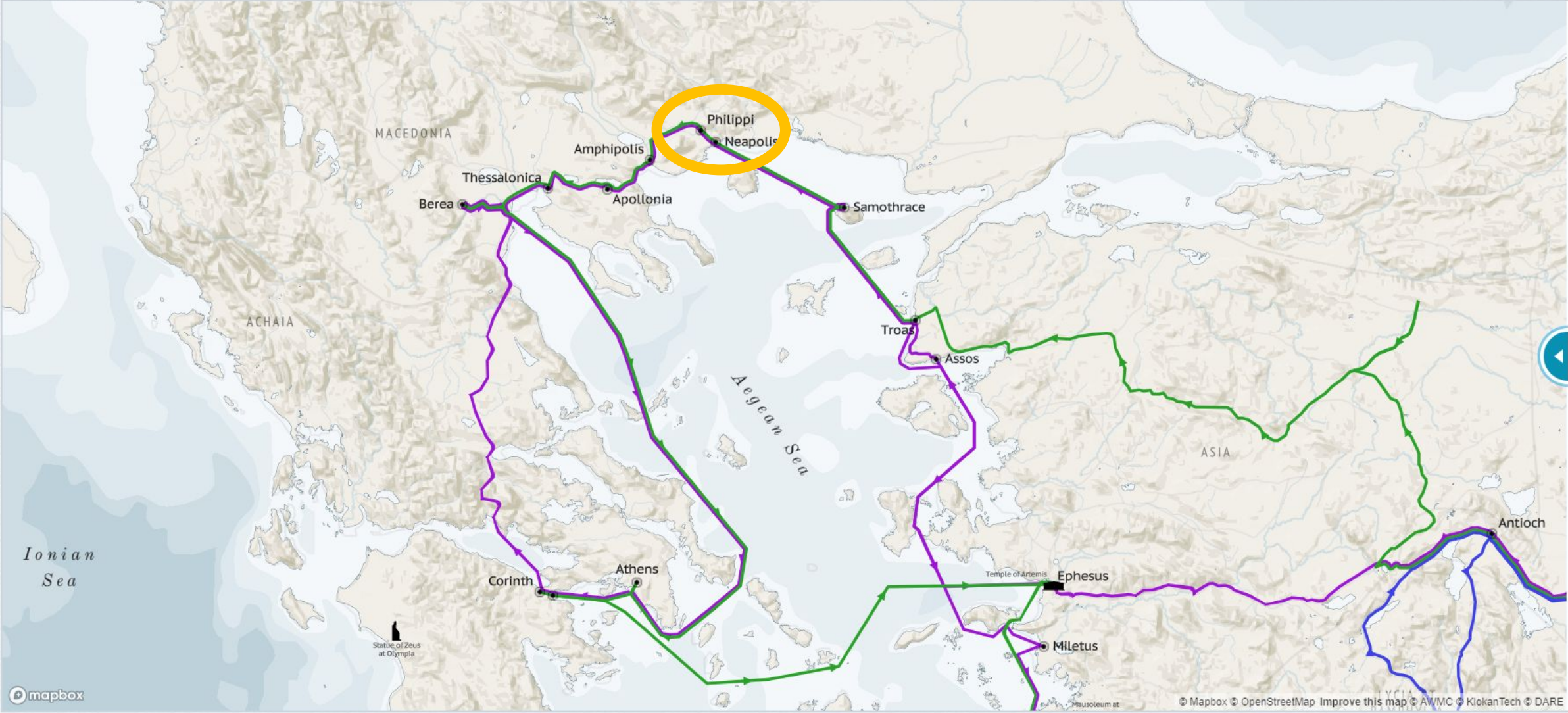
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Paul's Missionary Journeys

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I thank my God in all my remembrance of you,  
always in every prayer of mine for you all making my  
prayer with joy, because of your partnership in the  
gospel from the first day until now. Convinced of this, I  
know that I will remain and continue with you all, for  
your progress and joy in the faith,

Philippians 1:3-5

The Advance of the Gospel

(Phil 1:12-18)

I want you to know, brothers, that what has happened to me has really served to advance the gospel, so that it has become known throughout the whole imperial guard and to all the rest that my imprisonment is for Christ.

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Philippians 1:12-13

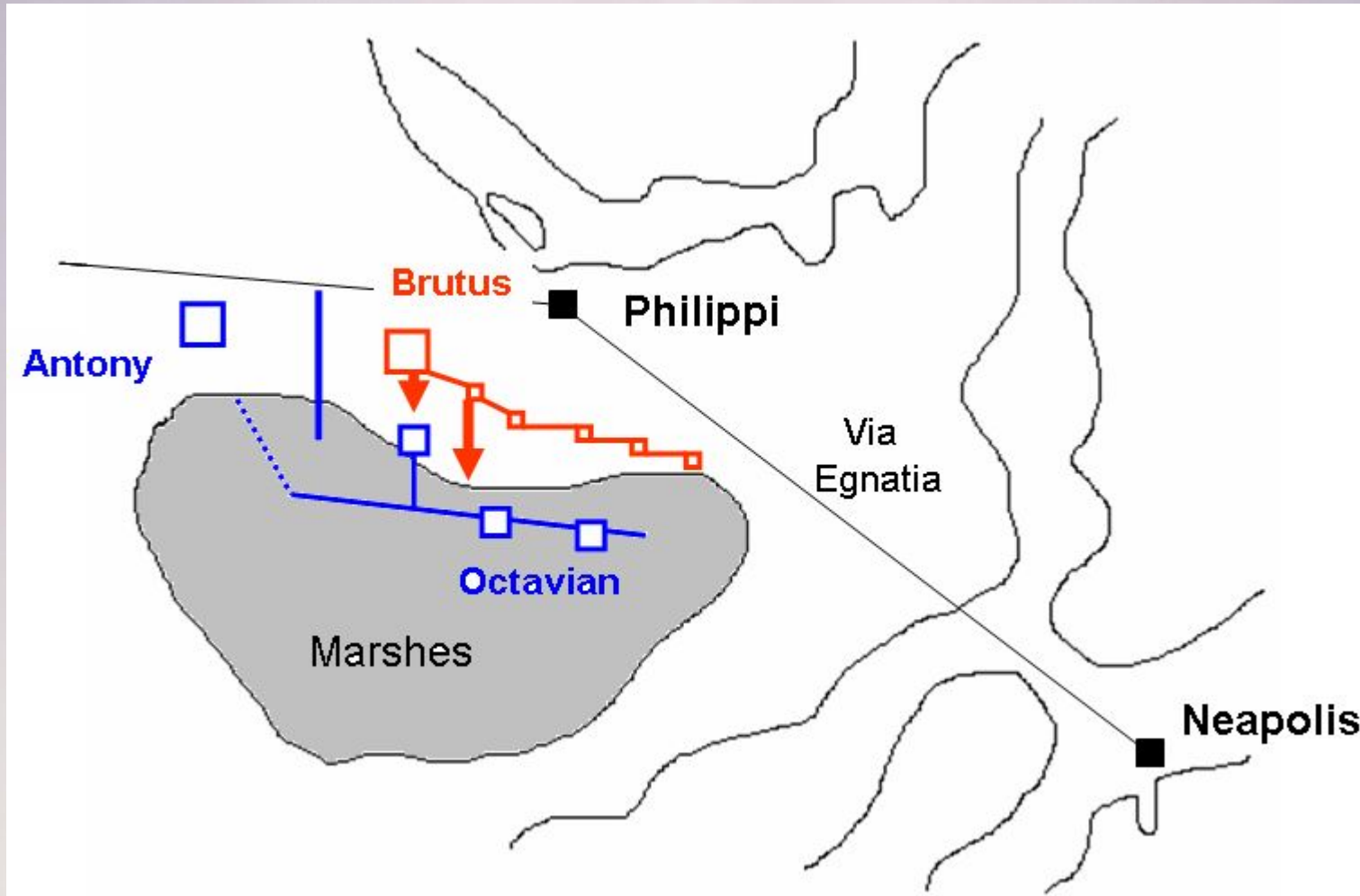


# Bonus Lesson #1

History of antiquity



# Battle of Philippi



# Roman Soldier



<https://jmvh.org/article/roman-warfare-ships-and-medicine/>



<https://imperiumromanum.pl/en/roman-army/roman-army-march/>

# Roman Testudo



# Audience context

- Large military presence
  - Active & Retired
  - Esteemed not because of size but identity
- Had a soldier's mindset of duty
  - Service
  - Humility
  - Sacrifice

The Advance of the Gospel

(Phil 1:12-18)

Some indeed **preach Christ** from envy and rivalry,  
but others from good will.

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Philippians 1:15

The Advance of the Gospel

(Phil 1:12-18)

What then? **Only that in every way,**  
whether in pretense or in truth,  
**Christ is proclaimed,**  
and in that I rejoice.  
Yes, and I will rejoice,



Philippians 1:18

# Philippians: Chapter 1

- The advance of the Gospel
  - Minimum (Duty): Preach Christ
  - Ideal (Joy): From good will



To live is Christ

(Phil 1:19-30)

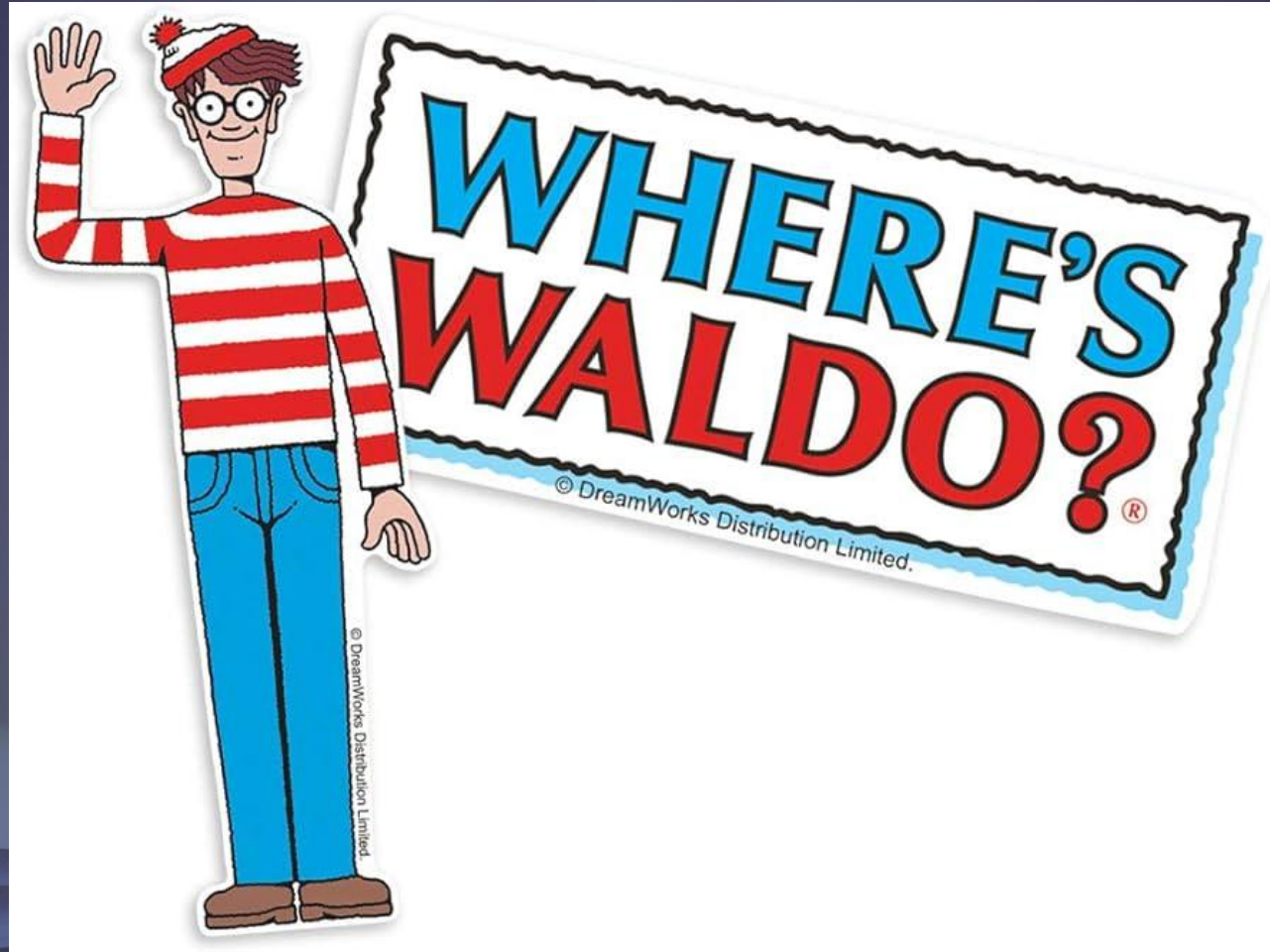
for I know that through your prayers and the help of the Spirit of Jesus Christ **this will turn out for my deliverance**, as it is my eager expectation and hope that I will not be at all ashamed, but that with full courage now as always **Christ will be honored in my body**, whether by life or by death.



Philippians 1:19-20

To live is Christ

(Phil 1:19-30)



To live is Christ

(Phil 1:19-30)



To live is Christ

(Phil 1:19-30)



# Bonus Lesson #2

## Neurology 101



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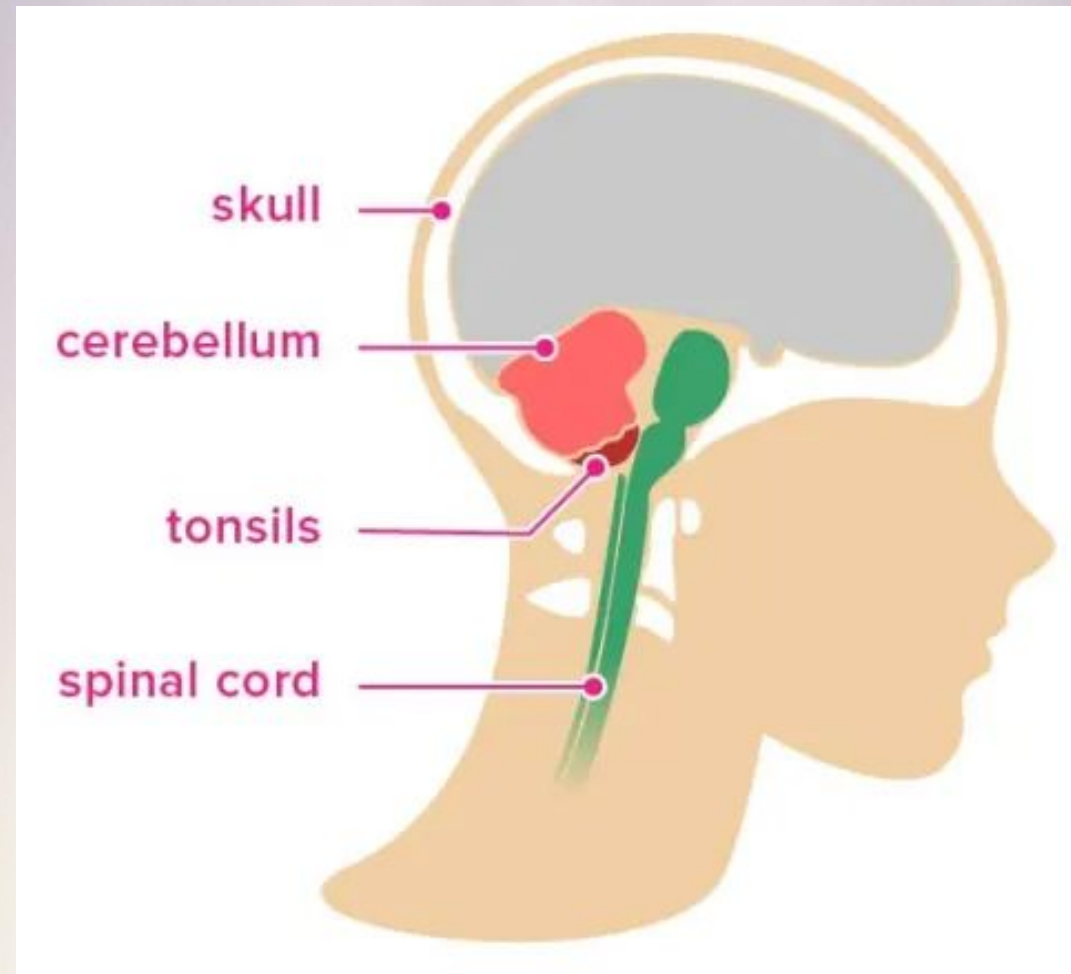
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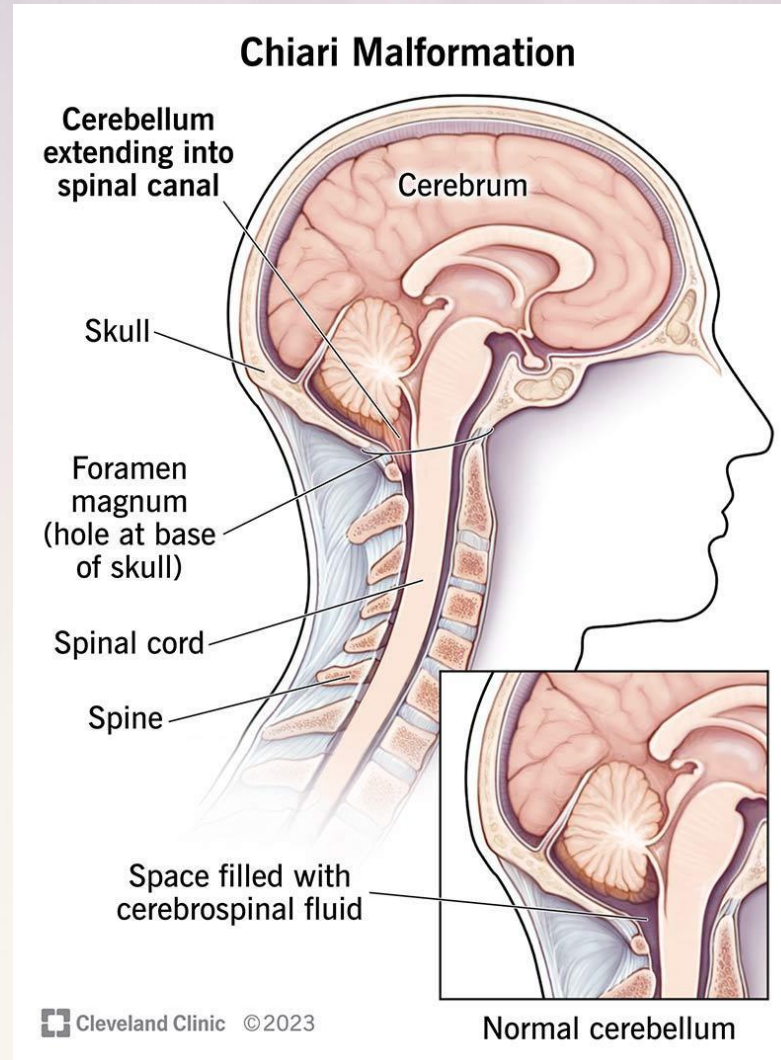


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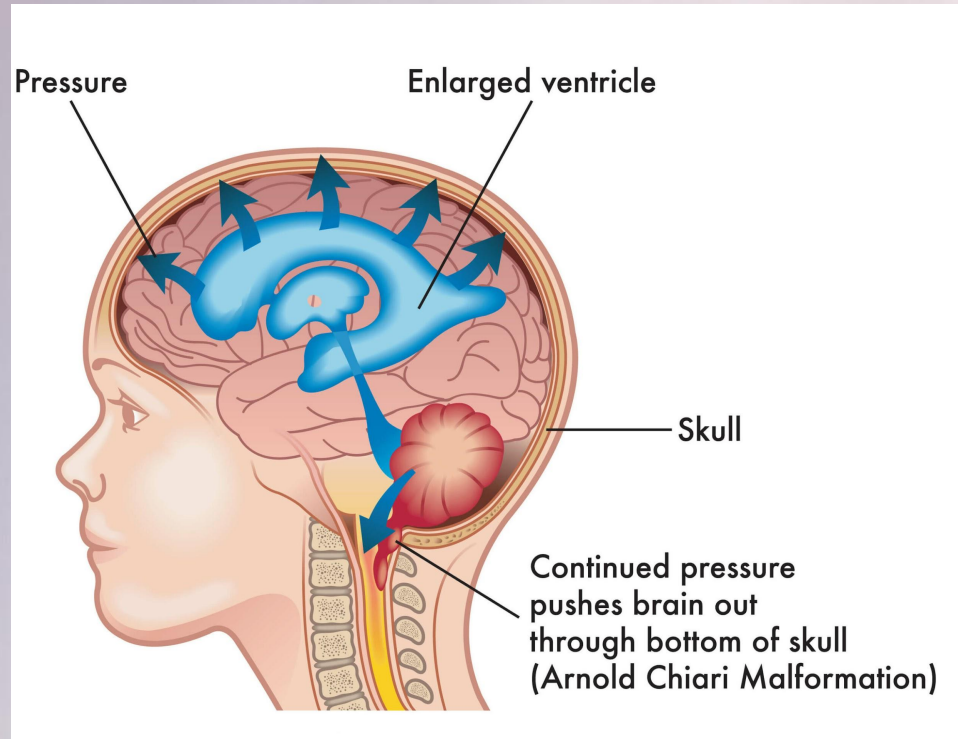
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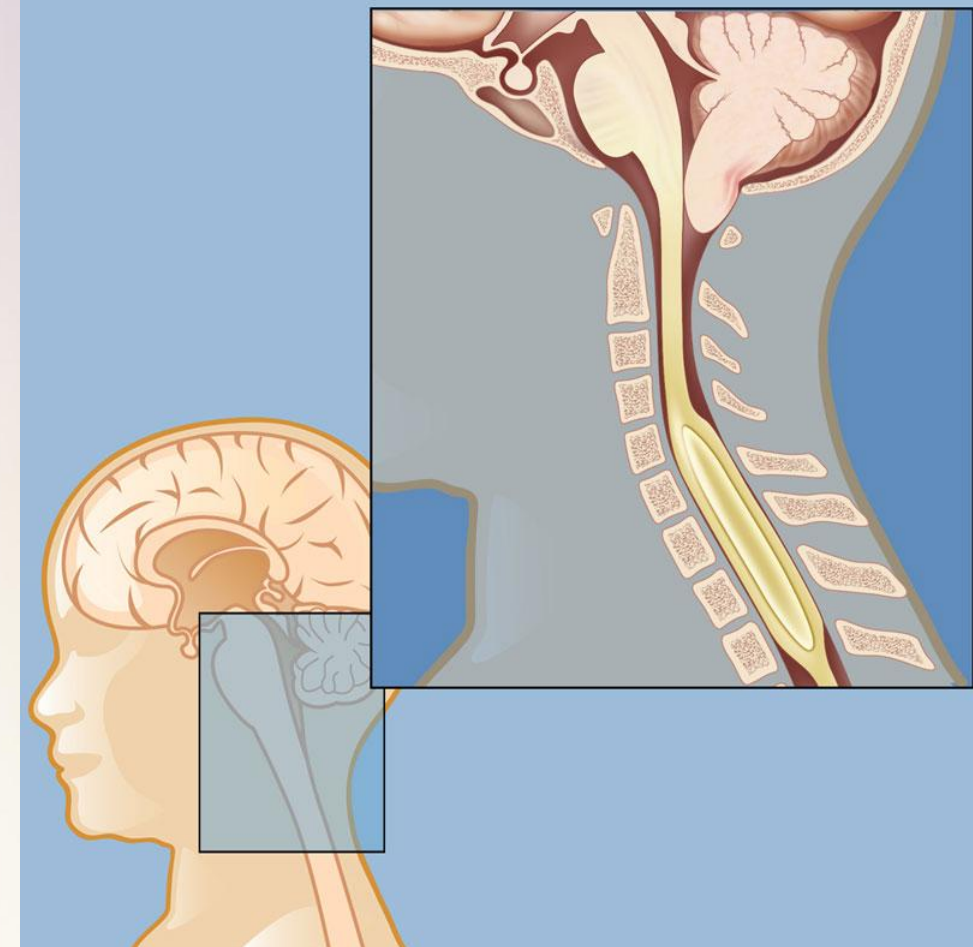
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**Hydrocephalus  
Pressure on the brain**

<https://spine-practice.com/wp-content/uploads/2022/07/chiari-malformation-scaled.jpg>

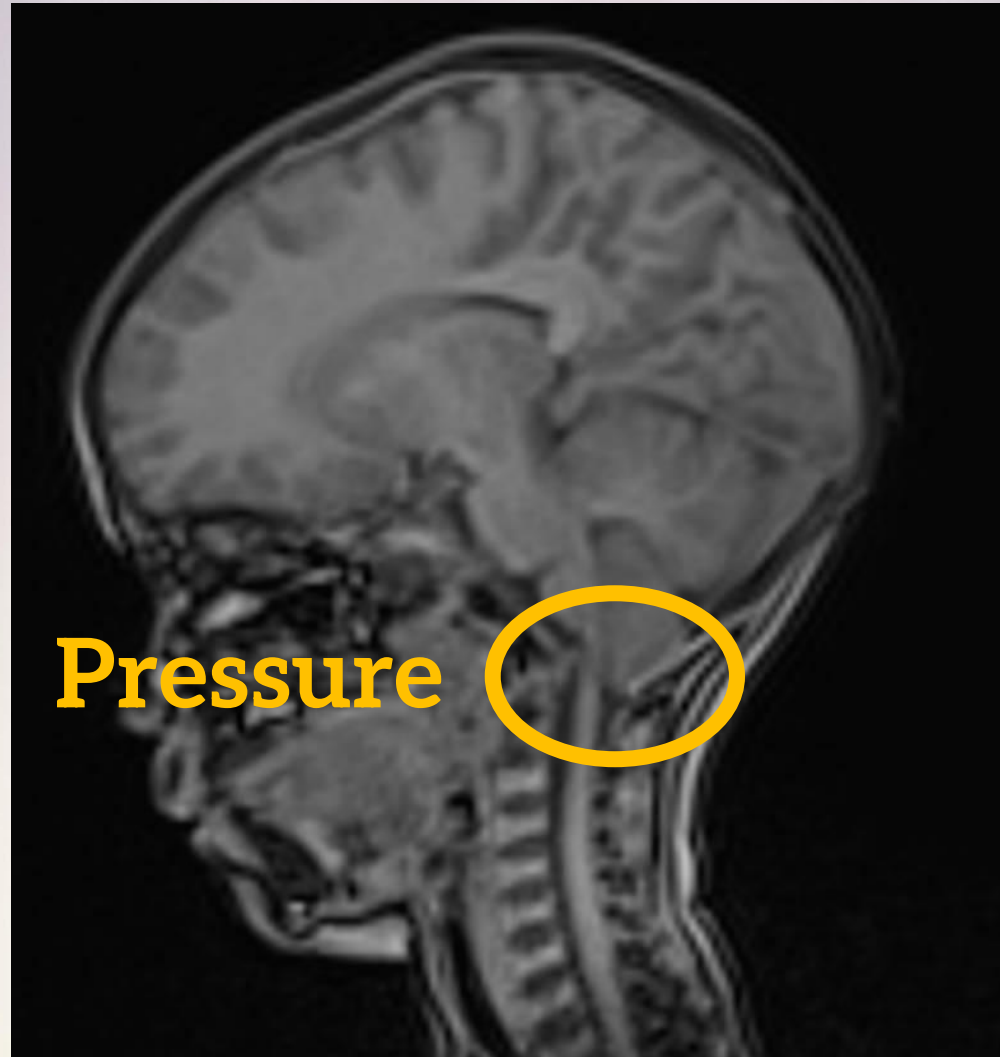


**Chiari malformation  
Pressure on the spinal cord**

<https://neurosurgery.weillcornell.org/condition/chiari-malformation>

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# Neurology 101\*



# Author context

- Trials are to be assumed
  - Not necessarily doing anything wrong
  - Have a purpose: to bring glory to Christ
- Share from empathy
  - Not meant for pride or focus
  - Bonding, comradery, and passion

To live is Christ

(Phil 1:19-30)

I am hard pressed between the two.  
My desire is to depart and be with Christ,  
for that is far better.

But to remain in the flesh is  
**more necessary on your account.**



Philippians 1:23-24

To live is Christ

(Phil 1:19-30)

Convinced of this,  
I know that I will remain  
and continue with you all,  
for your progress and joy in the faith,



Philippians 1:25

# Philippians: Chapter 1

- The advance of the Gospel
  - Minimum (Duty): Preach Christ
  - Ideal (Joy): From good will
- To live is Christ
  - Minimum (Duty): Christ will be honored in my body
  - Ideal (Joy): Help others progress and joy in faith

Christ's example of humility

(Hint- 2:8)

Homework:

Christ's example of humility

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Philippians 2:1-11

Paul's example of humility

(Phil 2:12-18)

For it is God who works in you,  
both to will and to work for His good pleasure.

Do all things without grumbling or disputing,



Philippians 2:13-14



Paul's example of humility

(Phil 2:12-18)

Even if I am to be poured out as a drink offering upon  
the sacrificial offering of your faith,  
I am glad and rejoice with you all.

Likewise you also should be glad and rejoice with me.



Philippians 2:17-18

## Philippians: Chapter 2

- Paul's example of humility
  - Minimum (Duty): Do all things without grumbling or disputing
  - Ideal (Joy): Be glad and rejoice with others

T & E's example of humility

(Phil 2:19-30)

I hope in the Lord Jesus to send Timothy to you soon,  
so that I too may be cheered by news of you.

I have thought it necessary to send to you

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Epaphroditus my brother and fellow worker and  
fellow soldier, and your messenger and minister to my  
need,

Philippians 2:19 & 25

T & E's example of humility

(Phil 2:19-30)

For I have no one like him, who will be genuinely concerned for your welfare.

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For he nearly died for the work of Christ, risking his life to complete what was lacking in your service to me.

Philippians 2:20 & 30

## Philippians: Chapter 2

- Paul's example of humility
  - Minimum (Duty): Do all things without grumbling or disputing
  - Ideal (Joy): Be glad and rejoice with others
- Timothy and Epaphroditus example of humility
  - Minimum (Duty): Go where sent
  - Ideal (Joy): Be of genuine concern & service

Righteousness through faith in Christ

(Phil 3:1-11)

Though I myself have reason for confidence in the  
flesh also. If anyone else thinks he has reason for  
confidence in the flesh,  
I have more:



Philippians 3:4

Righteousness through faith in Christ

(Phil 3:1-11)

But whatever gain I had, I  
counted as loss for the sake of Christ.

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Philippians 3:7

Righteousness through faith in Christ

(Phil 3:1-11)

that I may know Him and the power of His  
resurrection, and **may share His sufferings,**  
becoming like Him in his death,



Philippians 3:10



## Philippians: Chapter 3

- Righteousness through faith in Christ
  - Minimum (Duty): Count it all as lost for the sake of Christ
  - Ideal (Joy): Share in His suffering

Strain toward the goal

(Phil 3:12-21)

Brothers, I do not consider that I have made it my own.

But one thing I do: forgetting what lies behind and  
**straining forward** to what lies ahead,

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Philippians 3:13

Strain toward the goal

(Phil 3:12-21)

I press on toward the goal for the prize of the upward  
call of God in Christ Jesus.

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Philippians 3:14

Strain toward the goal

(Phil 3:12-21)

Brothers, join in imitating me, and keep your eyes on those who walk according to the example you have in us.



Philippians 3:17

## Philippians: Chapter 3

- Righteousness through faith in Christ
  - Minimum (Duty): Count it all as lost for the sake of Christ
  - Ideal (Joy): Share in His suffering
- Strain toward the goal
  - Minimum (Duty): Strain forward
  - Ideal (Joy): Be an example

Final exhortation and prayer  
Rejoice in the God's provision

(Phil 4:2-9)

(Phil 4:10-20)

Rejoice in the Lord always;  
again I will say, rejoice.

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Philippians 4:6-7

Final exhortation and prayer  
Rejoice in the God's provision

(Phil 4:2-9)

(Phil 4:10-20)

Rejoice in the Lord always;  
again I will say, \_\_\_\_\_.



Philippians 4:6-7

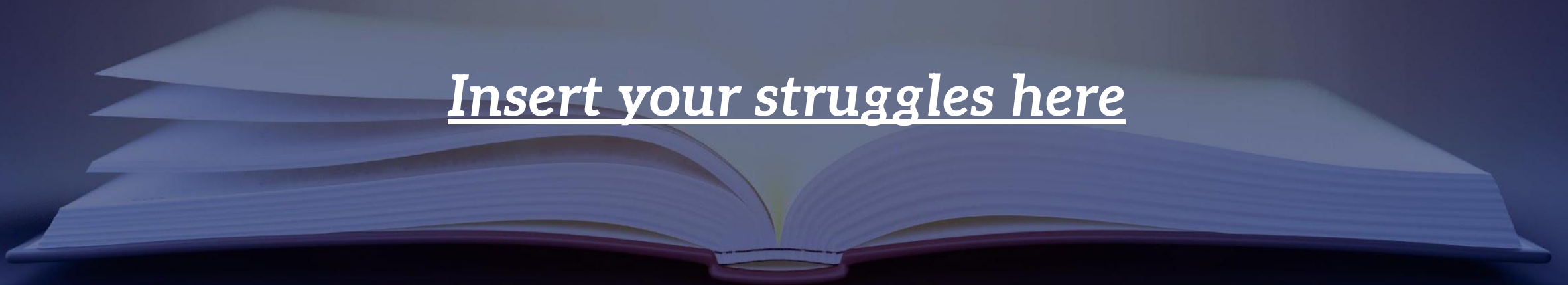
# What are you serving God through?

Prison Sentence

Chiari Malformation

Multiple Systems Atrophy

*Insert your struggles here*





## Persevere in DUTY

Not that I am speaking of being in need, for I have learned  
in whatever situation I am to be content.

I know how to be brought low, and I know how to abound.

In any and every circumstance, I have learned the secret  
of facing plenty and hunger, abundance and need.

Philippians 4:11-12

## Advance in JOY

And my God will supply every need of yours according to His riches in glory in Christ Jesus.

To our God and Father be glory forever and ever. Amen.

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Philippians 4:19-20