

## Philippians: Chapter 2

Summary:

Outline: The Humiliation and Exaltation of Christ (vs. 1-11)

God's Work in You (vs. 12-18)

Paul's Business Concerning Timothy and Epaphroditus (vs. 19-30)

"It is important to ask why he does it. If he works only where he finds a promising response, or if only where there is evidence of progress, or if only when we really desire him to do so, then none of us can entertain any hope of reaching the great goal. But it is not like that. He does it because he wants to. It is of *free, divine choice: for his good pleasure*. Nothing, then, can stop the ongoing divine work" (J.A. Motyer, *The Message of Philippians*, 129).