

Check Your Attitude

Philippians 2:1-5

Over and over again, the emphasis in this epistle is not on how we feel, but on how we think.

Proverbs 23:7 ASV *For as he thinketh within himself, so is he:*

What thoughts did Jesus pursue?

What attitudes did Jesus cultivate?

I. HE WAS HUMBLE AND GENTLE AT HEART

Matthew 11:29 *humble and gentle at heart,*

Jesus did not lack self-esteem, was not weak

He could have called on 72,000 angels.

He was Unpretentious; Unassuming; Selfless and Meek.

II. HE WAS HONORABLE, PURE AND ADMIRABLE

1 Peter 2:22

Philippines 4:8

III. HE WAS RESOLUTE IN FULLFILLING HIS MISSION

Matthew 26:39

Luke 23:34

Hebrews 12:1-4

Think of the hostility he endured for you.

Then you won't give up!

IV. HE WAS DRIVEN BY LOVE

Ephesians 5:2

John 13:34, 35

What thoughts did Jesus pursue?

What thoughts am I pursuing?

What attitudes did Jesus cultivate?

What attitudes am I cultivating?

Philippians 2:5

You must have the same attitude that Christ Jesus had.

NLT New Living Translation

Have this mind in you, which was also in Christ Jesus:

ASV American Standard Version

Have this same attitude in yourselves which was in Christ Jesus

[look to Him as your example in selfless humility],

AMP Amplified Bible

Let this same attitude and purpose and [humble] mind be in you which was in Christ Jesus: [Let Him be your example in humility:]

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