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Philippians 3:12-16 | One Thing Changes Everything: The Mindset That Makes All the Difference

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## Discussion Questions

*Community Groups meet throughout the week and play a crucial role in our response to the preaching of the word. These groups gather to discuss the following questions as we seek to apply the sermon in community with one another. Please visit [compassntx.org](http://compassntx.org) to join a small group near you.*

1. Read **Philippians 3:12** and **Romans 8:32**. Paul says he presses on because Christ has made him his own. Romans 8:32 reminds us of the depth of God's love in giving his Son. How does understanding Christ's love for you motivate you to pursue him more intensely this year? What specific steps could you take to fuel your love for Christ this week?

2. Read **Philippians 3:13-14** and **Hebrews 12:1-2**. Both passages encourage believers to run with focus. Are there any past events that are hindering your present pursuit of Christ? How might you resolve those things to better focus on Christ and the race he has set before you right now?

3. Read **Matthew 6:33** and **Colossians 3:1-3**. These verses call us to prioritize seeking God's kingdom and setting our mind on "things above." How does your daily schedule reflect this focus? What "one thing" could you add, change, or eliminate to give Christ your first and best this year?

4. Read **Philippians 3:16** and **2 Timothy 2:22**. Paul calls us to live up to what we've already attained and pursue holiness alongside others. Who are the people in your life that help you stay focused on Christ? How can you deepen those relationships and "run with the runners" this year?

5. Read **Psalms 90:12** and **Ephesians 5:15-17**. Both passages emphasize numbering our days and making the best use of time. What does it look like for you to align your time, energy, and resources around Christ this year? How might this shift in focus impact your family, work, or spiritual growth?