

Sunday, May 15, 2016 - Hope Fellowship Church
Sermon Notes, Pastor Peter Slofstra

In this series of six sermons on the letter of Paul to the Philippians, we will focus on his “My” phrases. These include “my prayer,” “my chains,” “my needs,” “my example,” “my fellow workers,” and “my Lord.”

“My Chains”

[Philippians 1:12-14](#)

Paul thanked God for his _____ because

1. it made _____
2. it inspired _____

All followers of Jesus are, in some fashion, _____

Paul’s _____ symbolize every _____ that limits our freedom while letting the Good News spread.

We can give thanks and even rejoice in and for difficult chains/challenges when we

1. learn _____

[Philippians 4:12,13](#)

2. understand that God _____ to advance the good news of Christ’s resurrection and love.

“Now I want you to know, brothers and sisters, that what has happened to me has actually served to advance the gospel.”

Philippians 1:12