

"WHAT ARE YOU ALL ABOUT" (MY LIFE FOCUS)

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Philippians 1:20 - "I eagerly expect and hope that I will in no way be ashamed, but will have sufficient courage so that now as always Christ will be exalted in my body, whether by life or by death. NIV

For I fully expect and hope that I will never be ashamed, but that I will continue to be bold for Christ, as I have been in the past. And I trust that my life will bring honor to Christ, whether I live or die. NLT

It is my own eager expectation and hope, that [looking toward the future] I will not disgrace myself *nor* be ashamed in anything, but that with courage *and* the utmost freedom of speech, even now as always, Christ will be magnified *and* exalted in my body, whether by life or by death. AMP

1. **RUGGED ANTICIPATION** - "*I eagerly expect and hope*"

- EAGER - excited, focused, leaning in, fully ready, "let's Go!!!"
- EXPECT - Assuming something
- HOPE - Looking forward to it, confident, belief in a desired future

2. **STRONG CLARIFICATION** - "*I will in no way be ashamed*"

- Everything I do in public would honour Him
- Everything I do in private would honour Him
- NO WAY - Nothing I do would cause me to feel ashamed
- ASHAMED - embarrassed, regretful, humiliated,

3. **BOLD DETERMINATION** - "*but will have sufficient courage*"

- Radical commitment
- Fearless follow-through
- Won't be a whussy - Push through my fears
- STAY IN MY LANE - control what I can control
- No holding back.
- Bravely do what I know I need to do

4. **CLEAR CONTINUATION** - "*so that now as always*"

- Today, tomorrow, the Next Day - the Same Thing
- 1000 day club
- Consistency - reliable
- Finish Strong

5. **LIFE EXULTATION** - "*Christ will be exalted in my body, whether by life or by death.*"

- Jesus Lifted up in everything
- Everything I do Points to HIM and what He has done in my life.
- Power of a life well-lived
- Billy Graham - Life testimony - Death Testimony