

Philippians & 2 Timothy

prize, crown, the out resurrection

Philippians

the prize

Christ's resurrection the key in both letters

the prize

the prize?

1:9-11 prayer, love excel in knowledge & judgment
approve/test/analyze things that differ
sincere, unoffending, fruits of righteousness

2:5-10 Christ, our example – faithful unto *death*, even cross
*highly exalted

3:4-8 Paul's loss – genealogy, righteousness of the law
excel in knowledge of Christ,
*win/gain Christ

3:9-11 Paul's desire – found in Christ
not his faithfulness/righteousness of the [works] Law
but righteousness by Christ's faithfulness
to know Christ *power of his resurrection
fellowship of his sufferings, likeness of his *death*
Paul's desire – if by any means, attain/arrive
*the resurrection out from among the dead

3:12-14 Paul's gain - reaching forth, to attain, perfection, forgetting
* the prize – the high calling [upward call]

3:15-21 Paul's example, living to the standard
Enemies of the cross, destruction/loss, shame, earthly things 1:28

3:20-21 *heaven from where we look/wait, then [out-resurrected?] bodies changed

2Timothy

the crown

Christ's resurrection the firstfruit ek the dead

1:9-11 prayer, power, love, sound mind, afflictions with gospel
rightly divide the word – be diligent
approved, unashamed, shun

2:1-6 be strong, present truth, faithful taught
*soldier endure hardship, 2:9, 4:5, war to please
*athlete compete lawfully, the crown
*farmer toil to partake first of the fruits [cf 1Cor.15:20 et.al.]

2:7-8 consider, understanding from the Lord
remember *Christ raise from [ek] the dead

2:9-13 Paul's hardship, chained malefactor, word not chained
*endure so elect may obtain salvation with glory in Christ
faithful word dead with him – live with him
*endure – reign with him +ve
deny him – deny us [cf 3:5] -ve
believe not - he continues faithful, cannot deny himself

2:14-26 remember v10-11, unprofitable disputes = subversion of hearers [cf 2Pet.2:6]
right division, shun profane fruitless discussions [1Tim.1:9, 4:7, 6:20]
ungodliness, gangrene, error, faith overturned

the gain *gold, honor, useful vessel, unto good works
the loss wood, earth, dishonor, captive, snare of the devil

4:6-8 Paul's offering and departure, fought, finished, kept the faith
*crown of righteousness

Love his appearing [past for present truth 1:10, future for hope, 4:1, 8, Tit.2:13]