

**Series: Courageous Living**

**Title: Finding Our Fulfillment in God**

**Text: Phil 4:11-12**

**The Secret to Fulfillment – (Phil 4:11) “*I have Learned*” -**

**(Vs 1)** Nothing else but the Lord is stable

**(Vs 2)** Start seeing others as God sees them.

**(Vs 3)** Pastor teach people how to find fulfillment in the Lord.

**Let’s change our view of things.**

**Think With Praise: (Vs 4)**

**Think With Poise/Pause: (Vs 5)**

Rest In His Security

Rest In His Sovereignty

Rest In His Soundness

**Think With Prayer: (Vs 6)**

Rest w/o Worry

Request with Thanksgiving

**Think With Peace: (Vs 7)**

**Think With Purity: (Vs 8)**

**Think with Purpose: (Vs 9)**

**How Do I Find my Fulfillment in God?**

**I. Fulfilling the Purpose of God: Rom 8:28-30**

**a. Our Salvation – At Peace with God - Rom 5:1**

**b. Our Sanctification 1 Thes 4:3**

**II. Live in the Presence of God: Is 43:2, Ps 23:4, Heb 13:5-6**

**a. This is displayed in our Character: (Phil 4:8-9)**

**i. Truth: Eph 4:25**

**ii. Justice: Deut 16:20**

**iii. Purity: Ps 51:6, Matt 5:8**

**iv. Loveliness: Song of Sol 5:16**

**v. Good Report: Jn 19:6**

**III. Fellowship with the People of God: Prov 27:6,17; 17:17**

**a.** We need surround ourselves with loving Christian Brethren who will pray for us.

**b.** We need to find Joy in as a member of the Family of God.

**IV. Rest (Founded/Fixed) in the Piece of God: (Phil 4:6-7)**

(Jer 29:11-13)

**a. Rom 8:28** He has our best interest at heart!

**V. Rely on the Power of God: (Phil 4:13)**

**I Can** – It can happen to me

**Do ALL Things** – No Limitations

**Through Christ** – All the Power in the Universe

**Which Strengtheneth** – Is accessible to **ME**

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**VI. Expect the Provision of God: (Phil 4:19)**

**MY GOD** – The FIRM that will never go Bankrupt

**Shall Supply** – The PROMISE is absolutely Certain

**All your need** – The AMOUNT that is always Sufficient

**According to His Riches** – The Limitless CAPITOL

**In Glory** – The BANK that can’t be ROBBED.

**By Christ Jesus** – The SIGNATURE on the CHECK

**JN 14:14** – God’s BLANK CHECK!

With a Promise like this, how can we be discontented?

With God involved in the transaction, How Can We Disappointed?

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**VII. Trust in the Promises of God: Heb 13:5**

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