

BOOK OF PHILIPPIANS

WEEK 3- DAY 4

PHILIPPIANS 3:12-16 NEW LIVING TRANSLATION (NLT)

Pressing toward the Goal

- 12 I don't mean to say that I have already achieved these things or that I have already reached perfection. But I press on to possess that perfection for which Christ Jesus first possessed me.
- 13 No, dear brothers and sisters, I have not achieved it, but I focus on this one thing: Forgetting the past and looking forward to what lies ahead,
- 14 I press on to reach the end of the race and receive the heavenly prize for which God, through Christ Jesus, is calling us.
- 15 Let all who are spiritually mature agree on these things. If you disagree on some point, I believe God will make it plain to you.
- **16** But we must hold on to the progress we have already made.

DAY 4 REFLECTION QUESTIONS FOR VERSES 12-16

- 1. Even Paul knows that he has not yet arrived at perfection (vs. 12). What is his response to this truth?
- 2. According to vs. 13, what are we supposed to forget?
- 3. If we are to become mature, what way are we supposed to think (vs. 15-16)?

