

WORKSHOP "I CAN REJOICE BECAUSE I KNOW MY ROCK" Philippians 2:5-11

⁵ Have this mind among yourselves, which is yours in Christ Jesus, ⁶ who, though he was in the form of God, did not count equality with God a thing to be grasped, ⁷ but emptied himself, by taking the form of a servant, being born in the likeness of men. ⁸ And being found in human form, he humbled himself by becoming obedient to the point of death, even death on a cross. ⁹ Therefore God has highly exalted him and bestowed on him the name that is above every name, ¹⁰ so that at the name of Jesus every knee should bow, in heaven and on earth and under the earth, ¹¹ and every tongue confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father. ¹

The Hypostatic Union of Christ - this theology construct has to do with the relationship between Christ's divinity and his humanity - Phil. 2:5-11. In biblical circles, it's called the Knosis (Kano-sis). Paul develops the concept of Jesus giving up some of the priorities of His divinity and becoming human to the point of his sacrificial death. He gives up His will to God's will, and as a result He becomes our Rock! The challenge is to empty ourselves (Knosis) and submit to God's will resulting in Jesus becoming our Rock.

SUPPORTING IDEA: Have the same attitude that Jesus did, who humbled himself and became a servant to others. As a result of his humility, God highly exalted him.

What are 1-3 things you are urgently pleading with God to intervene?

- 1.
- 2.
- 3.

Based on the things above, what is my attitude towards it and what changes do I need to make?

- 1.
- 2.

¹ The Holy Bible: English Standard Version. (2016). (Php 2:5–11). Wheaton, IL: Crossway Bibles.



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3.
What are somethings you may need to empty out of yourself or your life in order to create a movement in you?
1.
2.
3.
How have you been humbled to help redirect your vision back to God?
1.
2.
3.
Praise report – How have you been blessed by your obedience?

Other scriptures: