



*Whatever happens, conduct yourselves in a manner worthy of the gospel of Christ.*  
- Philippians 1:27

WHATEVER HAPPENS is where the battle is FOUGHT

The “Whatever Happens” of Gospel-worthy conduct:

*Then, whether I come and see you or only hear about you in my absence, I will know that you stand firm in the one Spirit, striving together as one for the faith of the gospel without being frightened in any way by those who oppose you.*  
- Philippians 1:27-28

1. When you let the SPIRIT help you STAND

*I will know that you stand firm in the one Spirit...*

*I pray that out of his glorious riches he may strengthen you with power through his Spirit in your inner being,*  
- Ephesians 3:16 (NIV)

2. When you STRIVE to SHARE with your Oikos

*...striving together as one for the faith of the gospel...*

*The one who plants and the one who waters have one purpose, and they will each be rewarded according to their own labor.*  
- 1 Corinthians 3:8 (NIV)

3. When you SHED your fear of the OPPOSITION

*...without being frightened in any way by those who oppose you.*

*So, we say with confidence, “The Lord is my helper; I will not be afraid. What can mere mortals do to me?”*  
- Hebrews 13:6 (NIV)

When the gospel WINS, you become a WEAPON

1. God uses you as a WARNING

*This is a sign to them that they will be destroyed, but that you will be saved—and that by God.*  
- Philippians 1:28

2. God uses you as a WITNESS

*For it has been granted to you on behalf of Christ not only to believe in him, but also to suffer for him*  
- Philippians 1:29 (NIV)