

**A Life Worth Living**  
**Part Five: How to Be a Star**  
**Philippians 2:5-17**  
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1. Having the right attitude is part of why Jesus was willing to die for us Jesus – 2:5-8
  - It means mindset or outlook.
  - It caused Him to:
    - not hold on to His exalted position (v. 6)
    - take on a human nature and body (v. 7)
    - be obedient to death (v. 8)
  - Being like Jesus means imitating His attitude (v. 5)
  
2. Because of His obedience as a servant, God ultimately exalted Him – 2:9-11
  - Gave Him a place at His right hand – Acts 2:33
  - Gave His name a respect above all others – Acts 3:16
  - The kind of exaltation that matters is only achieved through humility – Luke 14:8-11; Isaiah 57:15
  
3. If we have Jesus' attitude, it will show up in the way we act – 2:12-14
  - We will actively participate in God's work of spiritual growth in us.
  - We won't be negative or argumentative.
  
4. Following Jesus' example is the only life worth living – 2:15-18
  - Our behavior will make us "stars" in God's world.
  - Even if we lose our lives, we win.