

I. INTRODUCTION (Refs: Phil 3:10-21, 1 Pt 1:18 NIV, Pr 14:12)

II. PREOCCUPIED WITH SELF (Refs: Gal 5:17, Eph 5:18)

A. Self-Reliance (Refs: Phil 3:5-6, Phil 3:10)

B. Self-Confidence (Refs: Phil 3:3, Phil 3:10, Jn 5:39 NLT, Jm 1:5, Pr 1:20-2:9 AMP)

C. Self-Improvement (Refs: Phil 3:8-10, 2 Cor 5:17, 2 Cor 4:7 NIV, Col 2:10 NLT)

III. VICTORY THROUGH SURRENDER (Refs: Acts 9:5, Heb 2:13)

IV. CONCLUSION (Ref: Eph 3:18-19 AMP)