

**1. We Count Gain Differently.**

Read Philippians 3:1-7. What are your greatest achievements in life? In light of verse 7, how is God calling you to view them differently?

What are the prizes you have been pursuing in your life?

What in your life have you considered as rubbish?

How has the Spirit provoked you to count gain differently?

**2. We Count Righteousness Differently.**

How are you tempted to have a righteousness of your own?

Where are you struggling to believe Christ's righteousness for yourself?

**3. We Count Suffering Differently.**

How do you view suffering in your life?

How have you shared in Christ's sufferings?

Read 2 Timothy 3:12. What does suffering for Christ look like in your life?

**4. We Count Ownership Differently.**

How are you affected by the statement "Christ Jesus has made me his own"?

How have you exhibited Christ 'owning' you this week?

**5. We Count Goals Differently.**

How have you been short-sighted in your goals?

How does Philippians 3:14 change the goals you have for your life?

What is Christ calling you to leave behind?

What prevents you from giving your full effort for Christ?

What suffering are you trying to avoid that is keeping you from knowing Christ?

What is preventing you from counting everything as loss for the sake of following Christ?

**Additional Texts to Consider**

Matthew 10:38-39