

### **Anxiousness, a Slap in Your Father's Face (Part 1)**

---

- **PROPOSITION**: In Philippians 4:1—9 Paul teaches us the \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ so that we will not lose our footing during shaky times.

- 1) Stand Firm by viewing others rightly (1)
- 2) Stand Firm by living in harmony (2—3)
- 3) Stand Firm by rejoicing continually (4)
- 4) Stand Firm by manifesting gentleness (5)

5) Stand Firm by \_\_\_\_\_ (5b—7)

- **When I am anxious I commit at least two sins:**
  1. I commit the sin of \_\_\_\_\_ God's character.
  2. I commit the sin of not \_\_\_\_\_ by \_\_\_\_\_.

- **The Nearness of the Lord should \_\_\_\_\_.**

- **The Nearness of the Lord should \_\_\_\_\_.**

# Application Questions

These questions are provided for your further study and application of today's message. Thoughtfully writing out the answers to these questions and praying through the issues will help you further meditate upon God's Word in order to see the areas of your life that need change.

1. What thoughts are conjured up in your mind when you hear the phrase "The Lord is near"? Define what that phrase should mean to the believer both positively and negatively. Define what that phrase should mean to the unbeliever both positively and negatively.

---

---

---

---

2. Define the terms omnipresence, immanence, and transcendence. What are the differences between the terms? Why is it important to understand these terms and how do they impact your everyday life?

---

---

---

---

3. Define anxiousness. Why is the sin of anxiousness so prevalent in everyone's life? What is it about sinful man that produces so much anxiousness?

---

---

---

---

4. Why does God hate the sin of anxiousness in the believer's life? How does that sin "slap God in the face"? Why is that an affront to Him? What verses would you use to confront the sin of worry or anxiousness in your own heart? (cf. Matthew 6:25—34)

---

---

---

---

5. What are some additional thoughts and/or application from this morning's lesson? What does this passage teach you about man and about God?

---

---

---

---

***This week's Bible Reading:***

<b><i>Sunday, June 6:</i></b> 2 Kgs 9:14-10:36 John 8:21-45	<b><i>Monday, June 7:</i></b> 2 Kgs 11:1-13:25 John 8:46-9:7	<b><i>Tuesday, June 8:</i></b> 2 Kgs 14:1-15:31 John 9:8-34	<b><i>Wednesday, June 9:</i></b> 2 Kgs 15:32-17:41 John 9:35-10:18
<b><i>Thursday, June 10:</i></b> 2 Kgs 18:1-19:19 John 10:19-38	<b><i>Friday, June 11:</i></b> 2 Kgs 19:20-21:26 John 10:39-11:16	<b><i>Saturday, June 12:</i></b> 2 Kgs 22:1-24:7 John 11:17-32	<b><i>Sunday, June 13:</i></b> 2 Kgs 24:8-1 Chron 1:16 John 11:33-57