

## Small Group Study October 16 &17

Series: Infused

Title: Philippians 1:12 - 26



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- What made Paul rejoice? (1:18)
- What were Paul’s convictions about living & dying? (1:22 – 24)
- Why did Paul think he would remain alive? (1:24 – 26)
- How did Paul tell the Philippians to face opposition? (1:27 - 30)

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