

What Wondrous Love is This? – April 2023

Always be full of joy in the Lord. I say it again—rejoice! Let everyone see that you are considerate in all you do. Remember, the Lord is coming soon. Don't worry about anything; instead, pray about everything. Tell God what you need, and thank him for all he has done. Then you will experience God's peace, which exceeds anything we can understand. His peace will guard your hearts and minds as you live in Christ Jesus. And now, dear brothers and sisters, one final thing. Fix your thoughts on what is true, and honorable, and right, and pure, and lovely, and admirable. Think about things that are excellent and worthy of praise. Keep putting into practice all you learned and received from me—everything you heard from me and saw me doing. Then the God of peace will be with you. Philippians 4:4-8

- 1. In the fourth chapter of the book of Philippians the Apostle Paul deals with our thinking, why is the subject of our minds important to God?
- 2. Why did the resurrection of Jesus Christ have such an impact on the early church?
- 3. What were some of the marks of the early church that changed the course of history?

- 4. What groups of people were impacted by the earliest followers of Christ? How so?
- 5. Jesus died on a cross for His enemies. Do you feel like Christ's example is still alive and followed today? Why or why not?
- 6. Our reading says: "Keep putting into practice all you learned and received from me—everything you heard from me and saw me doing." What are some real time ideas where you/we can live more like Christ going forward?

