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On The Right Course
A Study in Philippians
Philippians 3:1-11

Key Idea: *i run on the right course means I fill my hunger to know Jesus*

4 Ways of addressing one's hunger for God

1. *Suppress your Hunger – Lose Desire*
2. *Ignore your Hunger – Disoriented*
3. *Gorge your Hunger – Miss Out*
4. *Fill your Hunger – Satisfied*

1. Wrong Course: Getting to God through religion and moral effort

   Beware of The Dogs
   Not My "Personal Best"

2. Right Course: Getting to God through a relationship with Jesus.

   1. Respond to Christ
   2. Glory in Christ
   3. Depend on Christ

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REALife Application

Use the following questions this week to reflect on what it would mean to align yourself with the truths taught in Scripture. Each question is meant for both personal reflection and as a catalyst for discussion with your family, friends, or REALife Group.

1. Have you ever taken the wrong road when you were late for an appointment? Or, have you ever followed someone's bad direction and ended up lost? How does this parallel the spiritual journey of many people?

2. Why is it impossible to get to God through religion or moral effort? See Romans 3:23. Have you ever tried this course? How much confidence do you have in your "personal best"?

3. The Bible is very clear on the source of righteousness. See Romans 3:21-24; Ephesians 2:1-10. How does a person get to righteousness? Explain in detail.

4. What does it mean to "know Christ?" See Philippians 3:10-11. Give some practical ways that we can experience a transformed life by knowing Christ.

Memory Verse

But whatever was to my profit I now consider loss for the sake of Christ. What is more, I consider everything a loss compared to the surpassing greatness of knowing Christ Jesus my Lord, for whose sake I have lost all things. I consider them rubbish, that I may gain Christ.
Philippians 3:7-8