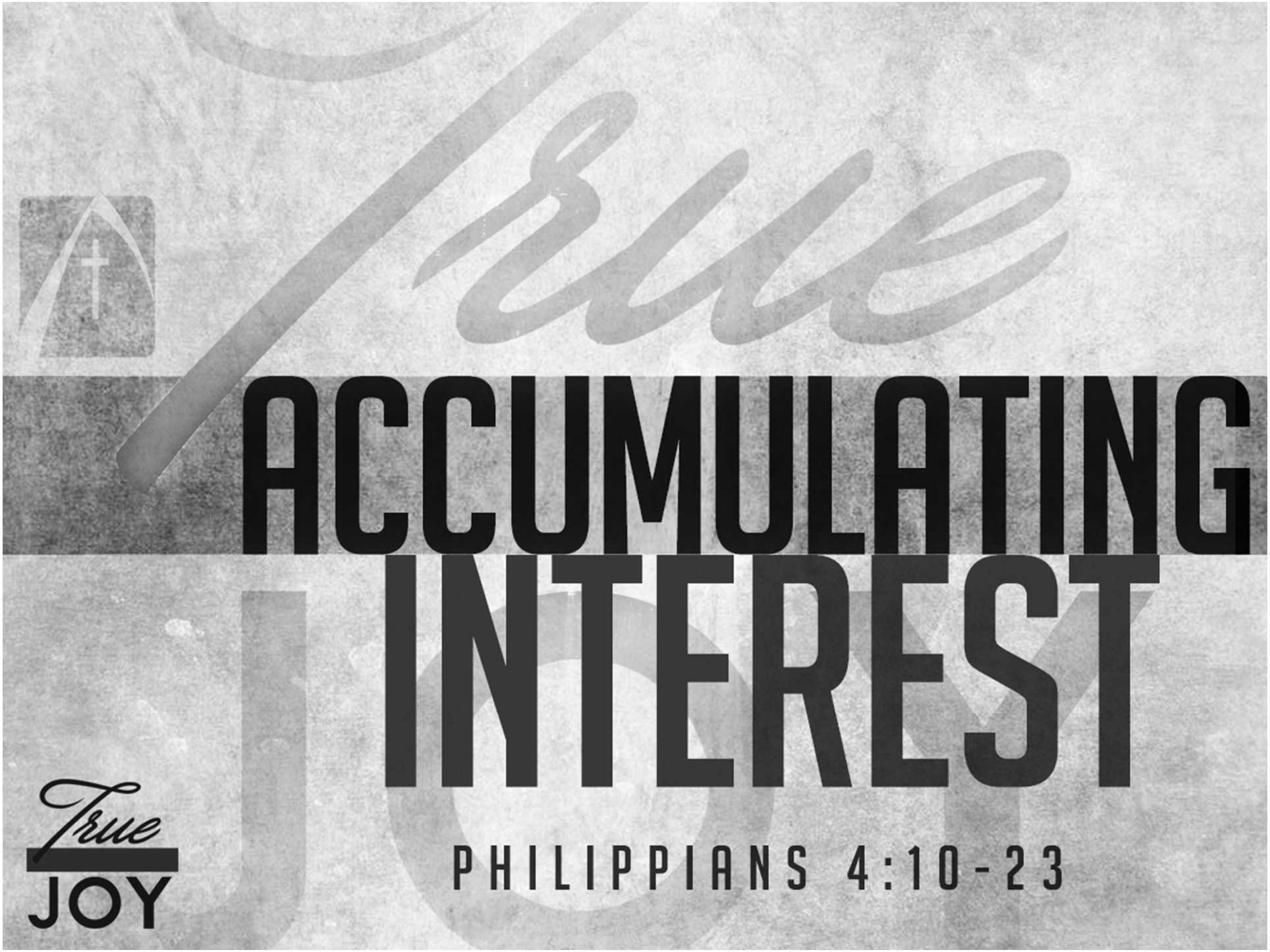
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Leveraging Opportunity

“Give, and it will be given to you. Good measure, pressed down, shaken together, running over, will be put into your lap. For with the measure you use it will be measured back to you.”

Luke 6.38

Japanese Stoicism

- *gaman* – enduring with patience and dignity
- *ganbaru* – perseverance, toughing it out

“Love God and do what you like.”
Augustine, Confessions

I have learned v.11

I know v.12

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I have learned v.12

I can do v.13

And God is able to bless you abundantly, so that in all things at all times, having all that you need, you will abound in every good work.

2 Corinthians 9.8

vv. 14-20
Accumulating Interest

4 Reminders of the Partnership

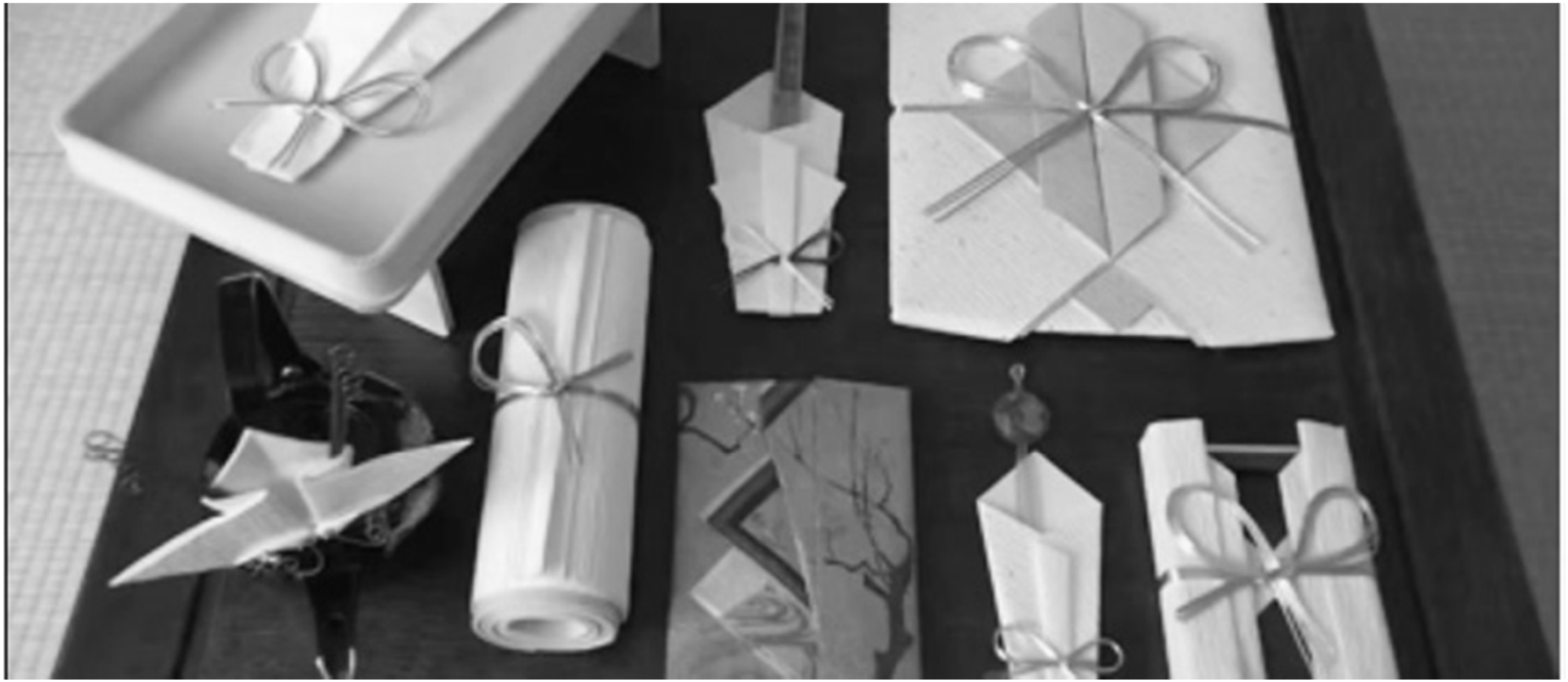
1) Philippians shared in the matter of giving and receiving

2) Partnership related to the gospel and goes back to the early days

3) Philippians are the only church to enter into this kind of partnership

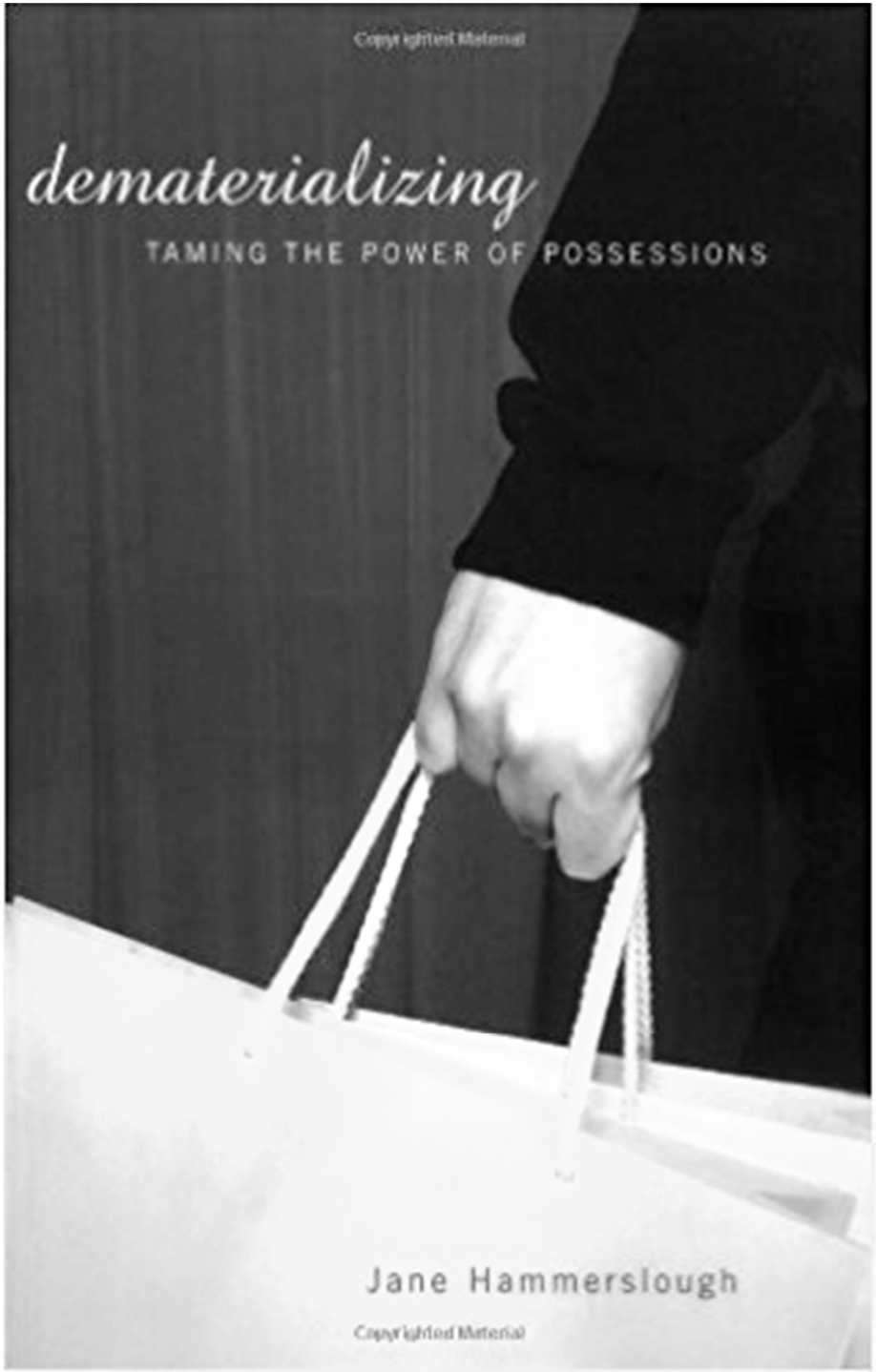
5) Earliest evidence of partnership occurred at his very next stop in Macedonia (Thessalonica- Acts 17).

Gift Giving



A man reaps what he sows. Whoever sows to please their flesh, from the flesh will reap destruction; whoever sows to please the Spirit, from the Spirit will reap eternal life.

Galatians 6.7-8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He who did not spare his own Son, but gave him up for us all-how will he not also, along with him, graciously give us all things?”

Romans 8.32

vv. 21-23
Final Greetings

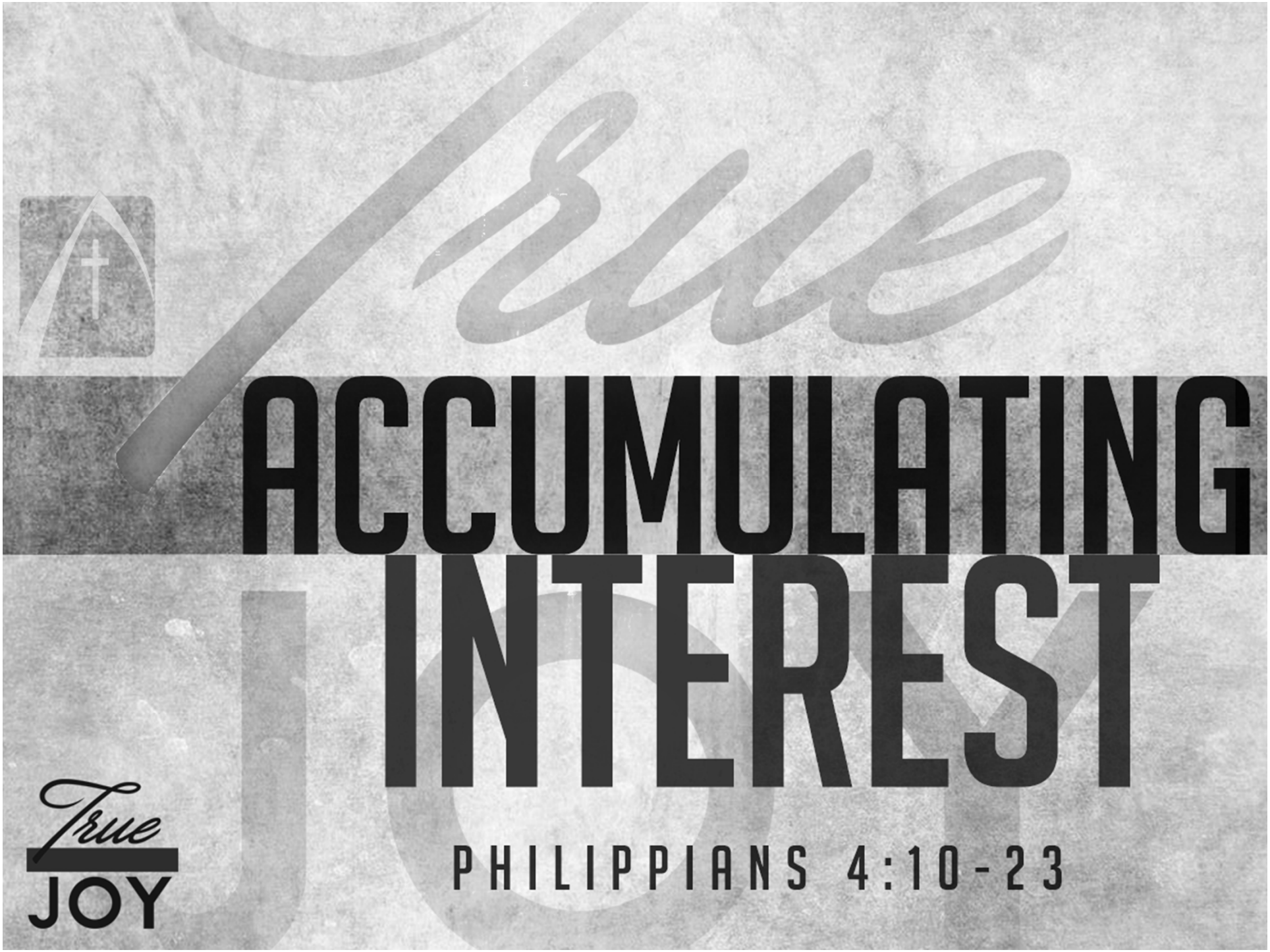
Three Components of Paul's Greetings

1. Instructions to greet everyone.
2. Greetings from his immediate companions.
3. Greetings from other saints in his present location.

May we live our lives in such a way that when we die and God asks, "Did you live the life I gave you?"

We can honestly answer,

"yes, I did."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