

# Confident in God

Philippians 1:6

**“...being confident of this, that He who began a good work in you will carry it on to completion until the day of Jesus Christ.”**

**Philippians 1:6 NIV**

**God has initiated a good, personal, and persistent work in us, and we can be confident that God will finish what He started.**

**“Paul has found the secret that God intended for humanity — God indwelling man. It takes God to be a whole person. No life is complete that does not have God in it.”**

**Ray Stedman**

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# Acts 16

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Bulgaria

Northern Greece

Turkey

MACEDONIA

BITHYNIA AND PONTUS

Thessalonica  
Berea  
Amphipolis

Philippi  
Neapolis

MYSTIA

Troas

AEGEAN SEA

Pergamum

Thyatira

Sardis

PHRYGIA  
GALATIA

Antioch

Iconium

ACHAIA

Corinth

Athens

Cenchreae

Ephesus

Colossae

Colossae

PISIDIA

Lystra

Derbe

Tarsus

Perga

Miletus

Rhodes

RHODES

CYPRUS

Salamis

Paphos

Antioch

SYRIA

MEDITERRANEAN SEA

CRETE

Caesarea

Jerusalem



# 3 Observations to Increase Our Confidence:

- 1. Our confidence is based upon God, His gospel, and His grace.**
- 2. God's good work is not dependent upon perfect people with perfect situations.**
- 3. Paul's confidence was more than confidence. (Persuasion, belief, surrender)**

# Ways to Apply This Message:

- 1. Rehearse, don't curse.**
- 2. Make every effort to live at peace with others.**
- 3. Trust and obey the Holy Spirit's leadership.**