

THRIVING IN ISOLATION

“Three Directions”

Ephesians 1:15-23

Read 1:15-23

Three directions for thriving in isolation:

I. Outward readjustment (vs. 15-16a)

1. Write a letter to someone for whom you are thankful
2. Serve someone in need

www.shades.org/volunteer

II. Upward requisition (vs. 16)

Philippians 4:6, “Do not be anxious about anything, but in everything by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving let your requests be made known to God.”

1. Pray more
2. Keep praise and petition together

III. Inward revelation (vs. 17-23)

1. Hope of God’s calling
2. Wealth of God’s inheritance
3. Greatness of God’s power
 - a) *Raised Jesus from the dead – conquering death*

b) Seated Jesus at His right hand – enthroned over everything