

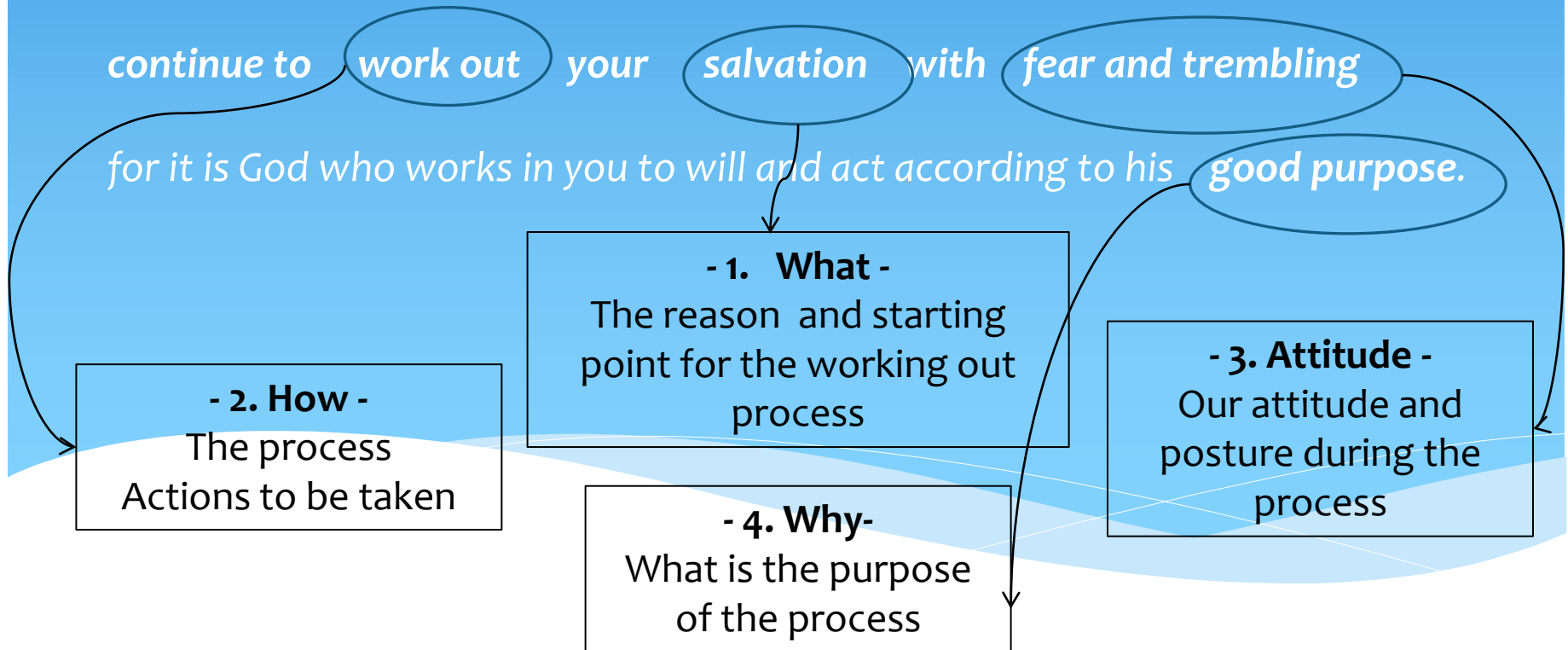
# What does it mean to work out your own salvation?

Philippians 2:12

*Therefore my dear friends, as you have always obeyed – not only in my presence, but now much more in my absence –*

*continue to work out your salvation with fear and trembling*

*for it is God who works in you to will and act according to his good purpose.*



## - 1. What? – Salvation

- \* Salvation from God – After salvation change Kingdoms - Marianna/Jan
- \* Holy Spirit driven – Sandy
- \* Salvation a gift, Sanctification an on-going process - Riana/Bernard

### Key Words

From God  
New Kingdom  
Gift  
Sanctification  
Holy Spirit

## - 2. How – Work out

- \* Work means action - Tracey
- \* Serve God and man – Bill
- \* Stay away from temptation – Bonnie
- \* Confession admit your mistakes even if it unpleasant – Bonnie
- \* Guard your heart – Bonnie
- \* Live under new Kingdom principles – Marianna
- \* Develop the mind of Christ - Marianna
- \* Spend time reading, praying getting to know Christ - Marianna/Moira/Di T
- \* Grow in relationship with Christ , relationships take time – Conrad
- \* Put into practise what Christ has done - Sandy
- \* Live out what I have accepted – Sandy
- \* “As a man thinks .....” – change your thinking – Moira
- \* Need the Holy Spirit to do anything – Sandy/Moira/Denise/Bernard
- \* Sanctification not a once off – Riana
- \* Be sensitive to His voice – Di T
- \* Be quick to forgive - Di T
- \* Bring the rebel parts of our lives into reverence – Bernard
- \* Work out in verse – Greek for bring to completion – Jan
- \* Make better choices , think before we act – Moira
- \* It is fight need to be fit and prepared – Jenny
- \* Take hold of what has been given – Bev
- \* Mostly God but my part is to grow and develop - Tony
- \* Sow to the Spirit - Sandy

## Key Words

Action  
Serve  
Guard  
Avoid Temptation  
Confess  
Live  
Mind of Christ  
Develop  
Read  
Pray  
Relationship  
Put into Practise  
Process  
Be Sensitive  
Choices  
Be prepared  
Grow  
Live

### -3. Attitude – Fear and trembling

- \* Takes obedience – Bill/Bonnie/Di T
- \* Be protective of your salvation – Bonnie
- \* Can't be done in your own strength – Marianna
- \* Appreciate the cross – Conrad
- \* Trust and believe, God will turn everything to good – Moira
- \* Il Pet – He has given us everything....
- \* Once saved you love God so much you want to please him – Denise/Cath
- \* Col 3:12 – Clothe yourself ..... - Denise
- \* Remember what God has done – we can get caught up in normality – Moira/Jan
- \* Look for the good in people – Di T
- \* Be sensitive/in tune like Christ was to his Father (Mk 8) – Di T/Bev
- \* Reverence for God – Bernard
- \* Develop the attitude of Christ – Jan
- \* Work is a mentality; doesn't just land in our lap; takes work to get to get to get where God wants us to be – Jenny
- \* Be persistent - Jenny
- \* Singleness of mind - Tony

#### Key Words

**Obedience**  
**Protective**  
**Appreciation**  
**Reverence**  
**Trust**  
**Love**  
**Sensitivity**  
**Forgive**  
**Attitude of Christ**  
**Work**  
**Persistence**  
**Single-mindedness**  
**Please God**  
**Remember**

# Gavin and Gordon

## Gavin

Salvation is gift cannot be earned by works. The works are a confirmation not a cause of salvation

**H** - Humility

**I** - Interdependence

**V** - Vulnerability

## Gordon



## - 4. Why – His good purpose

- \* Work implies a reward - Tracey
- \* People benefit by your obedient servanthood – Bill
- \* Appreciation drives us forward – Conrad
- \* Fulfil the Great Commission – Conrad/Jan
- \* Need to be a witness, the way you live is a witness
- \* Know we are here for a purpose - Bev

### Key Words

**Reward  
Servanthood  
Forward  
Commission  
Witness**