

Sharpening the Skill of a Thick Skin #2

“Pushing Past People-Pleasing”

selected Scriptures

John 12:43 - Co-dependency and people-pleasing are forms of
i_____.

The Characteristics of People-Pleasing

People pleasers take most criticism p_____.

People pleasers feel an extraordinary fear of r_____.

People pleasers find it hard to express their t_____ f_____.

People pleasers have a hard time saying n____ even when they should.

The Core of People-Pleasing

People pleasers tend to have low s_____-e_____.

The two main problems with people pleasing as that we c_____ do
it and we s_____ even try to do it!

Galatians 1:10 - “If I were still trying to please m_____, I would not
be a servant of C_____.”

1 Thessalonians 2:4-6 - “We are not trying to please m_____ but
G_____, who tests our hearts.”

The Conquering of People-Pleasing

We all need to feel s_____ and s_____.

Philippians 4:19 - God will meet all of our n_____.

Philippians 1:27-30 - Others aren’t responsible for our h_____.

Psalms 27:10; Isaiah 49:15 - God brings ultimate s_____.

Jeremiah 29:11; Psalm 138:8 - God brings s_____
to our lives

Romans 8:35-39 - Nothing can c_____ those facts!

Word Search - Galatians 1:1-10

N A H T O O T H E R N O U G C M
U A D G C O N F U S I O N Y O P
P N D L E G N A P L A I L R E E
B Y E V E L B D B V T T F R G H
C B N D Q U H E I R N B V N H I
L O M M A O C H E E R E I E D P
E D E U S V Q S D A R W S E Y A
P Y D A R A E I E T O A T L Y P
S S N I E D V N M R E P L L G P
O N O T H E E O H L E A L T Y R
G I C A T N V T P C E A N L A O
D S K L A E E S C R N A K S B V
L N B A F M R A S R V C W P L A
W G A G N A Y Y E R I M A C S L
T U R N I N G T E U G U M O H W
G N I Y R T E S Q F L L I V E E

ACCEPTED

EVIDENTLY

REALLY

AMEN

EVIL

RESCUE

ANGEL

FATHER

SERVANT

ANYBODY

FROM

SINS

APPROVAL

GALATIA

THAN

ASTONISHED

GOSPEL

THROWING

CONDEMNED

OTHER

TRYING

CONFUSION

PAUL

TURNING

DESERTING

PERVERT

WHOM

ETERNALLY

PLEASE

EVER

QUICKLY

I should try to please God
more than please others



We make it our goal to please Him.
(2 Corinthians 5:9)

Pushing Past People Pleasing



“Am I now trying to win the approval of men, or of God? Or am I trying to please men? If I were still trying to please men, I would not be a servant of Christ.” (Galatians 1:10)