



Be a Magnifying Glass

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There are so many uses for a magnifying glass. I can think of three basic uses. First, they can be used to enlarge an object for your sight — to make things clearer for someone. Second, they can be used to expose the truth about an object — this is closely connected with the first, but this focuses on cracks, defects and flaws. Lastly, it can be used to start a fire. If you take a magnifying glass and let the sunlight flow through it, letting it focus on an object long enough, it can light a fire. Paul in Philippians 1, wrote that he wanted Christ to be magnified in his body.

We could change the world if every believer had this same desire for Christ to be magnified in their body. People could more clearly see the Gospel lived out — even in the flaws and defects we have as humans. Then, it could easily spark a fire that could not be put out. Let's focus our energies on being more like a magnifying glass with our life.

