

Star Wars Celebration

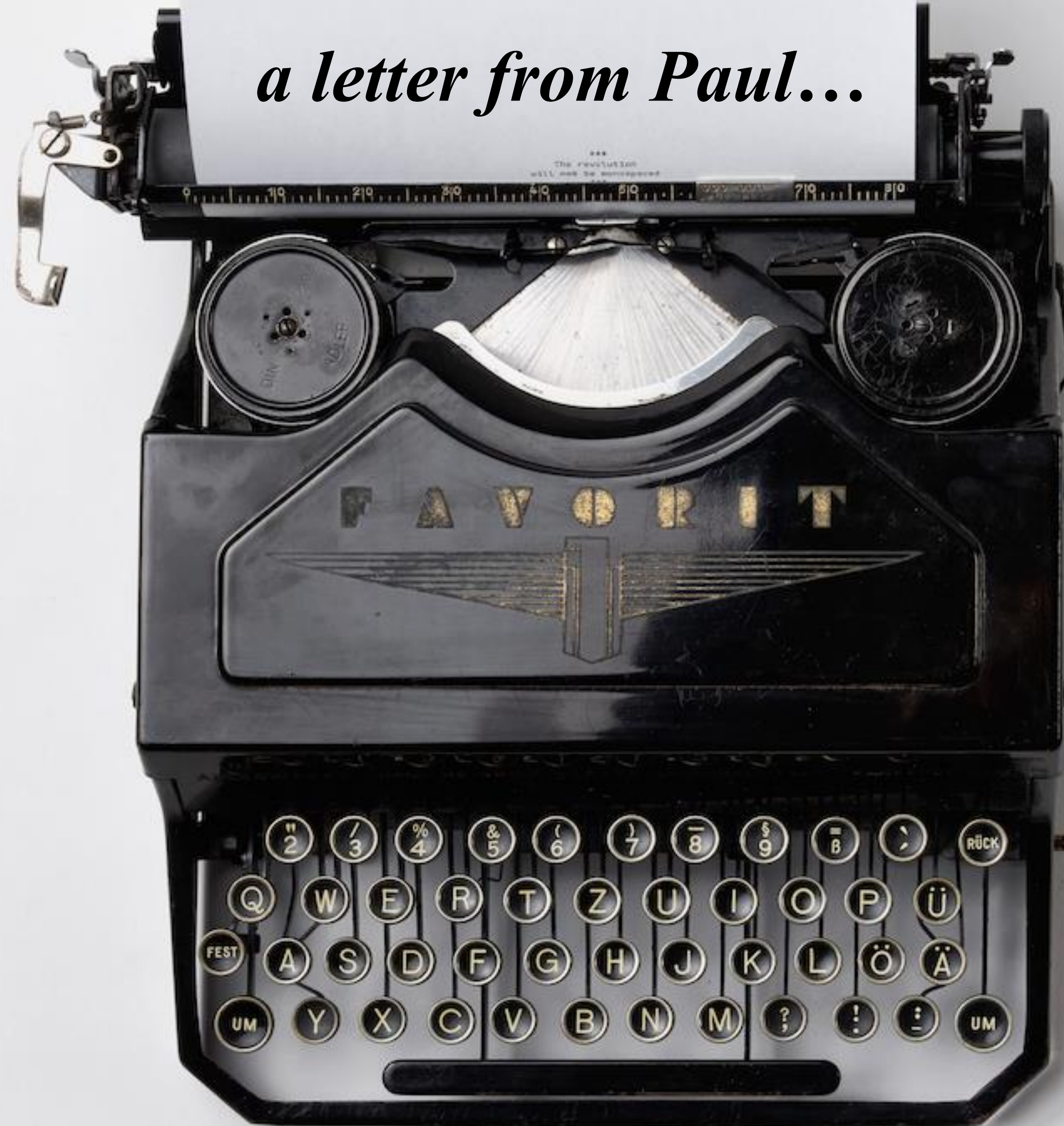
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A STORY OF BECOMING FAMILY.

a letter from Paul...





*¹ Paul, a prisoner of Christ Jesus, and Timothy
our brother,*

*To Philemon our dear friend and fellow worker—
² also to Apphia our sister and Archippus our
fellow soldier—and to the church that meets in
your home:*

*³ Grace and peace to you from God our Father
and the Lord Jesus Christ.*

Philemon

⁴ I always thank my God as I remember you in my prayers, ⁵ because I hear about your love for all his holy people and your faith in the Lord Jesus. ⁶ I pray that your partnership with us in the faith may be effective in deepening your understanding of every good thing we share for the sake of Christ. ⁷ Your love has given me great joy and encouragement, because you, brother, have refreshed the hearts of the Lord's people.

Philemon



FELLOWSHIP?



KOINONIA

*partnership
&
participation*



*Rejoice with those who
rejoice; mourn with those who
mourn.*

Romans 12:15

*If one part suffers, every part
suffers with it; if one part is
honored, every part rejoices
with it.*

1 Corinthians 12:26



¹⁹ Consequently, you are no longer foreigners and strangers, but fellow citizens with God's people and also members of his household, ²⁰ built on the foundation of the apostles and prophets, with Christ Jesus himself as the chief cornerstone.

Ephesians 2



The Alamo

San Antonio, TX

To the People of Texas & all Americans in the world—

Fellow citizens & compatriots—I am besieged, by a thousand or more of the Mexicans under Santa Anna—I have sustained a continual Bombardment & cannonade for 24 hours & have not lost a man—The enemy has demanded a surrender at discretion, otherwise, the garrison are to be put to the sword, if the fort is taken—I have answered the demand with a cannon shot, & our flag still waves proudly from the walls—I shall never surrender or retreat Then, I call on you in the name of Liberty, of patriotism & every thing dear to the American character, to come to our aid.

WILLIAM BARRETT TRAVIS
LETTER FROM THE ALAMO, 1836



TTT Lunch
Long Beach

EXPERIENCE THE KOINONIA OF GOD.

