

Philippians 1:1-6 Dateline Meter

Note: **teal underline** = infra-doc or weblink. **Red underline**=pronounce as one syllable. **Orange** counts are 7'd factors; **purple**, factors of 3.

Latest master summary of Bible dateline meters, with links to all the related docs and videos: <http://www.brainout.net/LukeDatelineMeters.pdf>

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CNTTS apparatus in Bibleworks 9: v.3's **egw men** is in mss D06, F010, G012, but excluded here. The other variants aren't worth mention.

	Syllable Count	Cumulative
1 Παῦλος καὶ Τιμόθεος δούλοι Χριστοῦ Ἰησοῦ	13	13
πάσιν τοῖς ἀγίοις ἐν Χριστῷ Ἰησοῦ	11	24
τοῖς οὖσιν ἐν Φιλίπποις σὺν ἐπισκόποις καὶ διακόνοις,	17	41
2 χάρις ὑμῖν καὶ εἰρήνη ἀπὸ θεοῦ πατρὸς ἡμῶν	15	56
καὶ κυρίου Ἰησοῦ Χριστοῦ.	7	63
3 εγω μεν Εὐχαριστῶ τῷ θεῷ μου ἐπὶ πάσῃ τῇ μνεία ὑμῶν	17	80
4 πάντοτε ἐν πάσῃ δέησει μου	9	89
ὑπὲρ πάντων ὑμῶν,	6	95
μετὰ χαρᾶς τὴν δέησιν ποιούμενος,	11	106
5 ἐπὶ τῇ κοινωνίᾳ ὑμῶν	9	115
εἰς τὸ εὐαγγέλιον	6	121
ἀπὸ τῆς πρώτης ἡμέρας ἄχρι τοῦ νῦν,	12	133
6 πεποιθῶς αὐτὸ τοῦτο,	7	140
ὅτι ὁ ἐναρξάμενος ἐν ὑμῖν ἔργον ἀγαθὸν ἐπιτελέσει	21	161
ἄχρι ἡμέρας Χριστοῦ Ἰησοῦ.	9	170

Meter Import

Paul writes in 4166 aka AD 60, Lord age 63, January-March, maybe near vernal equinox or at Passover?

- o 28 years +4166 = 4194, latest pre-Church Trib START. Year is still 4165 vernal pre-equinox.
- o 28 - 4165 vernal = 4137 when Christ died = 4136 vernal START=Adamic 4136.5. *So valuation year is disregarded.*
- o 63 from 4166 = 4103 1st Adamic quarter, when He was born. **So Paul writes post-Chanukah.**
- o 63 +4166 = 4229, don't know why. Have to check Zecharias' meter text (28 years post Mill START; his prophecy went to 4240).
- o 4165 vernal -31.5 -1 = 4133.5, start of the Lord's Ministry. Has the effect of converting to Adamic year.
- o 4165 vernal +31.5 = 4196.5, mid-Trib. Has the effect of converting to Adamic year.

He can't be age 63 when Paul writes unless post-Chanukah. So the cusp-like valuation above, might be based on His Birthday as a fiscal, rather than either vernal or Adamic, implying he writes sometime in January?