

Outline of the Book of Galatians

Galatians 5:1

Stand fast therefore in the liberty wherewith Christ hath made us free, and be not entangled again with the yoke of bondage.

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Purpose: To debate those who taught that Gentiles must obey Jewish laws

Key People: Paul, Peter, Barnabas Titus and false teachers

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I. What Grace Can Do (Galatians 1)

1. **False Teachers** strike again (Galatians 1:6-14)
 - a. I'm surprise how quickly you've been fooled (Galatians 1:6-7)
 - b. Don't believe anyone or anything but **God** (Galatians 1:8-12)
 - c. The Jews have even gotten it **wrong** (Galatians 1:13-14)
2. Grace is truly **all** we need (Galatians 1:15-24)
 - a. **Grace** **Calls us** (Galatians 1:15)
 - b. **Grace** Reveals Christ to us for **preaching** God to others (Galatians 1:15-16)
 - c. **Grace** Reveals Christ to us for **leading** others to God (Galatians 1:18-22)
 - d. **Grace** Reveals Christ to us for **Glorifying** God (Galatians 1:23-24)

II. How Far Grace Reaches (Galatians 2)

1. Grace is for **all** (Gentile & Jews) (Galatians 2:1-5)
2. Grace is not an **earned** thing - Not By Man (Galatians 2:6)

God Accepts Everyone – No ones more important – because of Jesus

3. Grace is **for all** and no one should be left out. (Galatians 2:7-10)
 4. Grace for all is something to be **fought for** - Paul Fights for the Gospel's Power for all men (Galatians 2:11-13)
 5. Grace **perverted** should be avoided (Galatians 2:14-21)
 - a. If you don't do it why should they? (Galatians 2:14-15)
 - b. The Law cannot **Justify** – IT **CONDEMNS** (Galatians 2:16-17)
 - c. If I do it, it never works out **right** (Galatians 2:18)
 - d. The Only way the Gospel can work is if **He** does it (Galatians 2:19-21)
- **IF WE TRY TO DO IT ANY OTHER WAY WE WILL BE ALWAYS FRUSTRATED!!!!**
 - **GRACE REACHES TO EVERYONE!!!!**

III. Where Grace Gets Its Strength (Galatians 3)

1. Foolishness has swept in – those who are fooled from Christ (Galatians 3:1-2)
2. How do you think **you** received salvation? (Galatians 3:3-4)
3. You get it the **same way** anyone else gets it (Galatians 3:5-18)
 - a. The Holy Spirit **shows** us (Galatians 3:5-9)

- b. The Law **Condemns** us (Galatians 3:10-12)
- c. Christ **Redeems** us (Galatians 3:13-16)
- d. God **Confirms** us (Galatians 3:17-18)
- 4. The **Purpose** of the Law (Galatians 3:19-26)
 - a. The Law Exposes sin (**Transgression** of God's Law) (Galatians 3:19a)
 - b. The Law was only there to expose the **Promise** (Galatians 3:19b-21)
 - c. All Mankind are **condemned** under the Law (Galatians 3:22a)
 - d. All Mankind have an **escape** because of Grace (Galatians 3:22b-26)
- 5. Now all mankind has the **availability** to put on Christ (Galatians 3:27-29)
 - WE CANNOT BE LIKE CHRIST UNLESS WE ARE **IMMERSED** INTO CHRIST
 - WE ARE SAVED SO WE CAN **EMMULATE** CHRIST
 - GRACE GETS ITS POWER FROM THE **CROSS**!!!!

IV. How Grace Maintains It's **Strength** (Galatians 4)

1. **Instructee** - When you are as a Servant (Learn what you are to be) (Galatians 4:1-2)
 - a. We initially are an **ignorant child** in need of **education** (Galatians 4:3)
 - b. Through **salvation** we become a Saved Person through God's Grace (Galatians 4:4-5)
 - c. Now we as sons have God's **Holy Spirit** in us (Galatians 4:6)
2. **Inheritor** - Then you become a son – **Heir** (Galatians 4:7-19)
 - a. Now that you have the truth, why go **back**? (Galatians 4:7-11)
 - b. We **care** for **you** (Galatians 4:12-16)
 - c. **Evil** teachers want to **exclude** you (Galatians 4:17-19)
3. **Instructor** (Now a Teacher) - I want to be there for you until Christ is in you and you know it! (Galatians 4:20-31)
 - YOUR **POSITION** IS SET!
 - ISAAC WAS IN THE FAMILY **BY BIRTH**!
 - WE, LIKE ISAAC ARE IN THE FAMILY SIMPLY BECAUSE WE ARE **BORN AGAIN**!

V. How Grace Can Give Us That Strength to Stand Fast (Galatians 5)

1. Realize It's **Grace** that Gives the **Strength** (Galatians 5:1-13)
 - **IF YOU'RE GONNA DEPEND ON YOUR WORKS YOU BETTER KEEP THEM ALL**
2. **Love** One Another (Galatians 5:14-15)
3. Walk in the **Spirit** (Galatians 5:16-18)
 - a. Evidences of walking in the **Flesh** (Galatians 5:19-21)
 - b. Evidences of walking in the **Spirit** (Galatians 5:22-26)

VI. Comfort Comes from Living in the Grace of God (Galatians 6)

1. Reliance on **self** yields deceit (Galatians 6:1-7)
2. Reliance on **Grace** yields a household of faith - The **Choice** is **ours** (Galatians 6:8-11)
 - a. Following the **Law** will not suffice - we can't keep it all (Galatians 6:12)
 - b. Remember - No One is **perfect** (Galatians 6:13-14)
3. Reliance on **God's Way** - The Only Acceptable option (Galatians 6:15-18)