UNCIVILIZED | WEEK 4 Title: Galatians 4 Date: February 6, 2022 Verses: Galatians 4



SERIES INSIGHT

To one degree or another, we all know the hopelessness of feeling like there's no escape. Sometimes we feel that way in our Christian walk. Jesus calls us to live a free life, but we often lose sight of what that means. *Uncivilized* is a dive into Galatians and what it means for us to live free in Christ.

ICEBREAKER

• You get to choose your favorite song, but you have to sing it at karaoke! What song would you sing?

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

- 1. **Review the Message**. Looking back at your notes and upon reflecting on this weekend's message, what was your one takeaway from Sunday?
- 2. Des illustrated the life of the Bison, who leans "Into the storm". Share your thoughts & reflections on this, and how it applies to your life today.
- 3. Last week, we talked about adoption in Christ (see Gal. 3:26). What are some of the practical changes that occur for someone who is adopted (Ex. new parents, name, home, etc.)? In what ways do these parallel what we experience on a spiritual level when we trust in Jesus?
- 4. According to Paul, how do we enter into adoption? (*Through faith in the finished work of Jesus; v. 5*)
- 5. Beginning in verse 8, Paul reiterates some of what he has already said. Before knowing God, we were all enslaved to "those that by nature are not gods." What are some of the forms of "gods" that appear in our world today (Ex. money, sex, power, self-approval, relationships)?
- 6. Have you ever witnessed someone claim the name of Christ only to drift away from the truth over time? How did it make you feel? What kind of response did it prompt in you?
- 7. What are some of the obstacles (or "gods") that keep you from sole dependence on Christ? What could you do this week to more intentionally pursue freedom?

PRAYER

• Allow people to share requests and celebrate any praise reports. Consider having someone write down the requests to share with the group. Take time to pray however long your group needs.

Monthly Prayer Gathering is THIS Monday, February 7th at 6:30pm!

RESOURCES

- Connect Card: graceaz.com/connect | Groups: graceaz.com/groups
- Events Calendar: graceaz.com/upcoming-events
- Grace App: graceaz.com/app | Church Center App: churchcenter.com/setup

