

Introduction: Paul continues his defense of apostolic authority to preach Christ's gospel in contrast to "false brethren" preaching a false gospel.

Verses 1-10: The Gospel of Grace has Confirmation from the Church at Jerusalem.

1. Paul says that although he did not receive his message (the gospel) from the Jerusalem church, they did _____ of it!
 1. The Legalists told the churches of Galatia that they represented the Jerusalem church
2. Paul traveled back to Jerusalem with _____ and Titus
3. Paul shared his Gospel of Grace received from Christ to the Jerusalem church
4. Paul refused to give any credence to the _____.
 1. He called them "_____"
5. Titus was an Uncircumcised Jew; Paul didn't tell him to be circumcised, nor did the Holy Spirit or the church at Jerusalem compel him to.
6. V6 - Paul states that the other Apostles and leadership at the church in Jerusalem had no more authority than he did and states that they "_____ Nothing" to his gospel message.

Verses 11-21:

1. The Gospel was Vindication in Peter's acceptance of Paul's rebuke.
2. In Antioch, Peter compromised w/Jewish Legalists, giving in to them and not eat with Gentiles when the Legalists were _____. (V11-13)
3. Legalism denies the Unity of the church. (V14)
 - A. Such actions were denying that Jew & Gentile can belong to _____.
 - B. If Peter & all Jews failed to keep the law, why would you place _____ believers under it?
4. Legalism denies _____ by Faith alone. (V15-16)
 1. 1 of most powerful Scriptures that salvation is All of Grace & nothing else!
5. Legalism denies _____ from the Law. (V17-18)
 1. The Legalists taught that if one was saved & Kept by grace through faith then people would sin all they wanted to (this is still used today!)
 2. Paul says "God _____!" Paul defends the truth of Christ's gospel by saying that if such gospel would promote believers to live free to sinful pleasure, then Christ would be the # _____ of sin!
 3. *This passage strongly refutes those who deny _____ by preaching that one is saved by grace, but is kept by their works, thus they can lose their salvation.*
6. Legalism denies the All-Sufficiency of _____ living within us.
 1. V20 - the KEY to the _____, _____ Christian Life we all are saved for!
 2. Taught in depth in 3 lessons; the _____ Life.
7. The Grace of God!
 1. What _____ the grace of God? The Law inappropriately or nefariously applied!
 1. Any attempts to control people through laws/rites/traditions for their Justification or Sanctification renders the grace of God _____.
 2. Paul states w/the authority of God that if Salvation OR Eternal Security comes by the keeping of the Law (or any works that anyone would teach) then Jesus Christ suffered such a horrible death for Nothing!