

# FREE TO SERVE

Galatians 5:13-15

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## SCRIPTURE READING

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Galatians 5:13-15; Leviticus 19:18; Mark 10:42-45; Romans 13:8-10

Ephesians 4:29; Philippians 2:1-8; James 5:16

## STUDY QUESTIONS

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1. How does our world and our flesh tempt us to live a self-serve lifestyle? How can we combat this? (5:13)
2. What are ways we are prone to feed our flesh that can consume our faith family? How can we fight these sins together instead of destroying each other? (5:13, 15)
3. If God has freed us from ourselves, what has he freed us to do? What are ways you can grow in this freedom this summer and fall? What steps do you plan to take to do so? (5:13-14)
4. What role does love play in the Christian life? How does love fulfill God's Law? How do you see this love lived out in your community group? What is one way you can grow in your love for one another? (5:13-14)
5. In what ways have you treated the church as an occasional gathering only when it's convenient? What would it take to prioritize your relationships with your family of faith how this passage envisions? (5:13-14)

## SUGGESTED RESOURCES

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Jerry Bridges, *True Community* (NavPress, 2012)

Dustin Willis, *Life in Community: Joining Together to Display the Gospel* (Moody Publishers, 2015)

Martin Luther, *The Freedom of a Christian*, trans. Mark D. Tranvik (Fortress Press, 2008)

Dietrich Bonhoeffer, *Life Together: The Classic Exploration of Christian Community*, trans. and intro.

John W. Doberstein (Harper & Row, 1954)