



Last week we learned that if there was any law that could have given us righteousness, then Jesus didn't need to die. If there was any set of laws out there that could save us, Jesus didn't have to go to the cross. Let's look at Galatians chapter 3 today to see what Paul says about the law and its purpose.

- Throughout Galatians, there is tension between _____ and _____.
- When you try to use law in a way it was never intended, it becomes _____.
- Paul shares several reasons why God's promise to Abraham was superior to the Law of Moses:
 1. The promise came _____.
 2. The promise came _____.
 3. The promise did what the law could _____.
- Through the law, God opened up our _____ so that we could see our _____.
- The purpose of the law was never to _____ sinners; it was to show sinners that they needed to be _____.
- Paul uses two images to explain to us what the purpose of the law was:
 1. The law was a _____.
 2. The law was a _____.
- Legalism places law in high regard but it _____ God's very intent for the law.