

Lessons from Galatians: Your Past Doesn't Define You

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Galatians 2:20-21

20 I have been crucified with Christ and I no longer live, but Christ lives in me. The life I live in the body, I live by faith in the Son of God, who loved me and gave himself for me. 21 I do not set aside the grace of God, for if righteousness could be gained through the law, Christ died for nothing!"

1. WE ARE A BROKEN PEOPLE IN NEED OF SALVATION

Rom 6:23

23 For the wages of sin is death...

Gal 2:20

20 I have been crucified with Christ and I no longer live, but Christ lives in me...

2. WE ARE SAVED BY GRACE THROUGH FAITH, NOT WORKS

Gal 2:16

16 ... a man is not justified by observing the law, but by faith in Jesus Christ...

Gal 2:21

21 I do not set aside the grace of God, for if righteousness could be gained through the law, Christ died for nothing!"

Eph 2:8-9

8 For it is by grace you have been saved, through faith — and this not from yourselves, it is the gift of God— 9 not by works, so that no one can boast.

3. WE HAVE BEEN BOUGHT AT A PRICE AND NOW LIVE BY FAITH FOR HIM

Gal 2:20

20 I have been crucified with Christ and I no longer live, but Christ lives in me. The life I live in the body, I live by faith in the Son of God, who loved me and gave himself for me.

1 Cor 6:19

19 ... You are not your own; 20 you were bought at a price...

Rom 6:11

11 ... count yourselves dead to sin but alive to God in Christ Jesus.

Rom 6:23

23 For the wages of sin is death, but the gift of God is eternal life in Christ Jesus our Lord.