

**Galatians 5v1-15 – Fallen, or firm and free?**

1. What is the freedom we enjoy as Christians? How is it different from the world's definition of freedom?

Read Galatians 5v1-15

2. What is the big point Paul is making and what questions do you have about this passage?

**Galatians 5v1-6 – Stand firm don't fall**

3. What does Paul remind the Galatian believers that they have in v1? What must they do with it and why?

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4. What will be the consequences if they allow themselves to be circumcised (relate to God on basis of the law)?

5. How is our hope in Jesus different from legalism in v5-6?

6. What are the implications of this for us and how we relate to God?

## **Galatians 5v7-15 – Pursue Freedom**

7. But what is Paul's concern?

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8. Paul longs for them to be free from legalism but he also wants them to see the freedom they are saved to enjoy. What does this freedom produce?

9. Now in v14 Paul seems to call them to keep the law. So how do the Galatians relate to the law?

10. When do you find it hard to love others? How does the gospel free you to do this? What truths do you need to remember and apply in those situations where you are finding it hard to love?

11. What is the freedom we enjoy as Christians? How can we maximise our enjoyment of this freedom?