

BAPTIST

Bible Study Guide #36 Sunday, October 26TH, 2025

Introductory/Ice Breaker Question

If you were promised freedom from something that weighed heavily on you, how would you respond?

Scripture

Read Galatians 5:1-12

A. Observation

- 1. Verse 1 says, "It is for freedom that Christ has set us free." What kind of freedom is Paul referring to here, and why is it important for believers?
- 2. In verses 2–4, Paul talks about those who want to be circumcised. Why does he warn that returning to the law is a form of slavery? How does this apply today?
- 3. Paul says, "For in Christ Jesus neither circumcision nor uncircumcision has any value. The only thing that counts is faith expressing itself through love" (v. 6). How can faith express itself through love in practical ways?
- 4. In verses 7–10, Paul expresses concern about believers being led astray. How can we discern and resist teachings that distort the Gospel?
- 5. Paul talks about "those who are troubling you" (v. 12). How can division creep into the church, and what can believers do to maintain unity while upholding truth?
 - 6. Reflect on your own life: Are there areas where you are trying to earn God's favor through your own efforts rather than trusting in Christ? How can you walk in the freedom Christ provides?

B. Application

7. How will you apply the truths learned from this week's study?