

## **Moved from Slaves to Sons - Galatians 4:1-20**

- I. The position of a child/slave, v. 1-7
  - A. The law enslaves, v. 1-3

- B. Christ frees us and makes us heirs, v. 4-7

- II. The Folly of Adhering to the Law, v. 8-11
  - A. Enslavement to false gods, v. 8

- B. Frustration over their spiritual relapse, v. 9-10

- C. Paul's fear of futility, v. 11

- III. The Call to Live in Freedom, v. 12-20
  - A. The first call to action, v. 12

- B. The Gospel is about freedom, not control, v. 13-20

- What practical steps can you take to align your daily life with the identity of being an heir of God?
- In what ways do you find yourself returning to a mindset of slavery to the law instead of embracing your freedom in Christ?
- How do you plan to respond to situations where legalism tries to creep back into your life?
- How can you be more sensitive to the Holy Spirit in your everyday life?
- In what areas of your life do you struggle to embrace your inheritance as a child of God?

Next Week: Galatians 4:21-5:6