

Galatians 6 Overview

Living Out Faith Through Love and Mutual Support



Restoring Others & Bearing Burdens (v. 1-6)

- **Gentle Restoration:** Spiritually mature believers should restore those caught in sin with humility and gentleness.
- **Burdens and Loads:** Fulfill the 'law of Christ' by bearing one another's heavy burdens, while maintaining individual accountability for one's own responsibilities.
- **Self-Examination:** Avoid comparing yourself to others; examine your own actions truthfully.
- **Supporting Teachers:** Share material and financial blessings with those who teach the Word.



The Law of Sowing and Reaping (v. 7-10)

- **Unchanging Principle:** God is not mocked; a person will always harvest exactly what they plant.
- **Flesh vs. Spirit:** Sowing to selfish desires ('the flesh') leads to corruption, while sowing to the Holy Spirit yields eternal life.
- **Endurance in Goodness:** Do not grow weary of doing good. A harvest is promised in due time if we do not give up.
- **Doing Good to All:** Take every opportunity to help others, especially members of the family of faith.



Paul's Final Boast & Summary (v. 11-18)

- **Personal Handwriting:** Paul writes the concluding lines himself in large letters for strong emphasis.
- **Exposing Motives:** False teachers demand legalistic rituals (like circumcision) purely for outward show and to avoid persecution.
- **Boasting Only in the Cross:** True identity comes from the cross of Jesus Christ, through which the world's standard has died to the believer.
- **The New Creation:** Outward rules do not matter. What truly matters is being transformed into a new creation in Christ.

