

Freedom in the Spirit

Scripture Passage – Galatians 5:1-6,13-26 NIV

Key Focus:

_____ in Christ allows us to truly _____ with the Spirit.

Things to Consider about Freedom:

1. Freedom separates us from the _____ of _____.

It is for freedom that Christ has set us free. Stand firm, then, and do not let yourselves be burdened again by a yoke of slavery. – Galatians 5:1 NIV

2. Freedom is _____ expressed through _____.

For through the Spirit we eagerly await by faith the righteousness for which we hope. For in Christ Jesus neither circumcision nor uncircumcision has any value. The only thing that counts is faith expressing itself through love. – Galatians 5:5-6 NIV

Three Directions that Lead to Freedom:

1. You were _____ to be Free.

You, my brothers and sisters, were called to be free. But do not use your freedom to indulge the flesh; rather, serve one another humbly in love. – Galatians 5:13 NIV

2. You need to _____ by the Spirit

So, I say, walk by the Spirit, and you will not gratify the desires of the flesh. – Galatians 5:16 NIV

3. You are _____ by the Spirit

But if you are led by the Spirit, you are not under the law. – Galatians 5:18 NIV

What is the Result?

We allow the Holy Spirit to _____ these kinds of _____ in our lives.

But the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, forbearance, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness and self-control. – Galatians 5:22-23 NIV

Final Thought

_____ looks more like coming _____ than living on your _____

Those who belong to Christ Jesus have nailed the passions and desires of their sinful nature to his cross and crucified them there. Since we are living by the Spirit, let us follow the Spirit's leading in every part of our lives. – Galatians 5:24-25 NLT

Closing Questions:

- 1. Have you left your sin in the grave?**
- 2. What is being produced in your life right now? Are they the fruits of the Spirit?**
- 3. Have you truly surrendered everything to follow the Spirit's leading?**