

THE GOSPEL CHANGES EVERYTHING

January 22, 2023

Galatians 1:11-24

**IF THE GOSPEL HASN'T _____ ME,
THEN THE GOSPEL HASN'T _____ ME.**

I. God _____ me in my sin. – v. 11-14

How does Paul's post-Jesus story highlight a change in his heart and priorities? What convinced other Christian leaders and churches that Paul had a genuine conversion experience? How have your life and desires changed since you put your faith in Jesus? How has God used your past with your changed heart to bring Him glory?

3. APPLY THE TRUTH

If the Gospel hasn't changed you, then the Gospel hasn't saved you. What does that statement mean? What does it tell you about your faith and salvation? If you have questions about your salvation, talk with your small group leader or another church leader.

God sees you in your sin and _____ offers you the Gospel.

II. God _____ me by His grace. – v. 15-16



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SMALL GROUP APPLICATION QUESTIONS

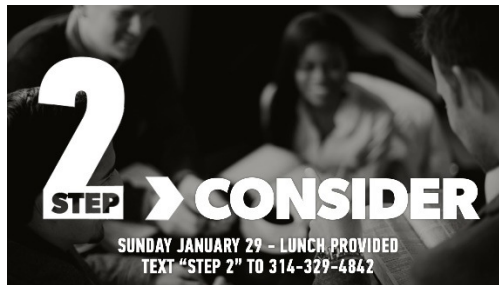
God saves you by _____ Jesus to you and calling you to His grace.

III. God _____ me for His glory. – v. 16-24

God saves you to change you for _____.

Stewardship Report:

Last Week: \$9,983
This Month: \$21,257
Last Month: \$37,652
Monthly Budget: \$38,173



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1. STUDY THE WORD

Read Galatians 1:11-24. Compare and contrast Paul's life before Christ and after Christ. What changed? What didn't change? Why is Paul emphasizing God's role, over any man's role, in his conversion experience in this letter to the Galatians?

2. ASSESS YOUR LIFE

What are the three examples/types of sin that Paul cites from his former life? How does the Gospel apply to each of them? Do you find the truth that God sees you in your sin comforting or concerning? Why?

Read Ephesians 1:3-6. What does it mean that God set Paul apart or chose us before we were born? What does God's choosing you and calling you by His grace tell you about His view of your sin? What is the difference between man revealing Jesus/the Gospel to someone and God revealing Him? What are the results of each?

