

Simple & Clear

Galatians Series – Part 13

Scripture text – Galatians 6:11-18

Introduction

- Paul's practice was to dictate his letters to a _____ and then to _____ them.
- Unique to Galatians is that Paul does more than just sign the letter; instead, he summarizes its _____ message in great big _____.

Christianity is Internal, Not External

- This is *not* to say Christianity has no outward, external effect. However, Christianity is primarily and fundamentally _____. What occurs is a _____ of the heart, which includes a person's thoughts, attitudes, desires and values.
- In contrast, the Judaizer's were only concerned with the _____. This is true of all man-made, demon-inspired religions.
- But God is no _____. Our heart & actions must be in _____.
- Focusing on the external is popular because it's _____.

Christianity is Divine, Not Human

- This is the question of whose work (efforts or accomplishments) make us right with God.
- If salvation, even in part, is a human work, we then have reason to _____.
- Paul's answer: "May I never boast except in the _____ of Jesus."
- Both major branches of Christianity are prone to insert human works into the equation.
 - Roman Catholics have the ___ sacraments.
 - Many Protestants believe our own efforts _____ us saved.