

Study Guide on Galatians 2:15-21

New Revised Standard Version

Assign each person in the class one or more verses to study.
Each person should answer these two questions on their assigned verse.

1. What does this verse say?
2. What does this verse mean to me?
3. Discuss your answers with the class.

Galatians 2:15-21

(Galatians 2:15) We ourselves are Jews by birth and not Gentile sinners;

(Galatians 2:16) yet we know that a person is justified not by the works of the law but through faith in Jesus Christ. And we have come to believe in Christ Jesus, so that we might be justified by faith in Christ, and not by doing the works of the law, because no one will be justified by the works of the law.

(Galatians 2:17) But if, in our effort to be justified in Christ, we ourselves have been found to be sinners, is Christ then a servant of sin? Certainly not!

(Galatians 2:18) But if I build up again the very things that I once tore down, then I demonstrate that I am a transgressor.

(Galatians 2:19) For through the law I died to the law, so that I might live to God. I have been crucified with Christ;

(Galatians 2:20) and it is no longer I who live, but it is Christ who lives in me. And the life I now live in the flesh I live by faith in the Son of God, who loved me and gave himself for me.

(Galatians 2:21) I do not nullify the grace of God; for if justification comes through the law, then Christ died for nothing.

Write the verse or verses you have been assigned in the space below:

Answer These Questions for Class Discussion or Study

1. What does the verse say?
2. What does the verse mean to me?

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