

Foundation of Grace!

Celebrate Summer Series: Coming Home to Grace

*“For freedom Christ has set us free; stand firm therefore,
and do not submit again to a yoke of slavery.”
Galatians 5:1 ESV*

*“For “Whoever desires to love life and see good days,
let him keep his tongue from evil and his lips from speaking deceit;”
1 Peter 3:10 ESV*

There are _____ in My Spiritual Life!

I. Three Barriers to _____

- Barrier One: When I Choose to _____

*“Look: I, Paul, say to you that if you accept circumcision, Christ will be of no advantage to you.”
Galatians 5:2 ESV*

Abandon _____

*“I testify again to every man who accepts circumcision that he is obligated to keep the whole law.
You are severed from Christ, you who would be justified by the law; you have fallen away from
grace.”
Galatians 5:3–4 ESV*

Abandon _____

“For through the Spirit, by faith, we ourselves eagerly wait for the hope of righteousness.”

Galatians 5:5 ESV

Abandon _____

*“For in Christ Jesus neither circumcision nor uncircumcision counts for anything, but only faith
working through love.”
Galatians 5:6 ESV*

- Barrier Two: Small Compromises Produce _____

*“You were running well. Who hindered you from obeying the truth?”
Galatians 5:7 ESV*

Three Sources of _____

Our _____ - *“But I say, walk by the Spirit, and you will not gratify the desires of the
flesh. For the desires of the flesh are against the Spirit, and the desires of the Spirit are against
the flesh, for these are opposed to each other, to keep you from doing the things you want to do.”
Galatians 5:16–17 ESV*

Our _____ - *“Do not love the world or the things in the world. If anyone
loves the world, the love of the Father is not in him. For all that is in the world—the desires of the
flesh and the desires of the eyes and pride of life—is not from the Father but is from the world.”
1 John 2:15–16 ESV*

□ **Our** _____ - *“Put on the whole armor of God, that you may be able to stand against the schemes of the devil... In all circumstances take up the shield of faith, with which you can extinguish all the flaming darts of the evil one;”*
16 ESV *Ephesians 6:11,*

Be on Guard for _____
“This persuasion is not from him who calls you. A little leaven leavens the whole lump.”
Galatians 5:8–9 ESV

“So when the woman saw that the tree was good for food, and that it was a delight to the eyes, and that the tree was to be desired to make one wise, she took of its fruit and ate, and she also gave some to her husband who was with her, and he ate.”
Genesis 3:6 ESV

No one ever compromised their faith by dramatic choices but through small spiritual compromises, step by step.

Let _____ **Prevail**
“I have confidence in the Lord that you will take no other view, and the one who is troubling you will bear the penalty, whoever he is.”
Galatians 5:10 ESV

- **Barrier Three: Viewing Grace as a** _____
“For you were called to freedom, brothers. Only do not use your freedom as an opportunity for the flesh, but through love serve one another.”
Galatians 5:13 ESV

It is better to ask forgiveness than permission!

Let _____ **Fulfill the Law**
“For the whole law is fulfilled in one word: “You shall love your neighbor as yourself.””
Galatians 5:14 ESV

My Choices Create a _____
“But if you bite and devour one another, watch out that you are not consumed by one another.”
Galatians 5:15 ESV

There are NO Shortcuts in My Spiritual Life!

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Galatians 5:1 ESV