

Study Guide

Signposts at the Fork in the Road – Galatians 3:10-14

My Story

1. When in your life have you gotten out from under a great debt? How did it feel to finally not have that hanging over your head?

Digging Deeper

2. How does Deuteronomy 27:26 (quoted in Gal. 3:10) provide evidence for the argument that a person cannot be righteous through the Law? How does Habakkuk 2:4 (quoted in Gal. 3:11) provide further evidence?

3. Why does seeking to follow the Law for justification bring a curse? What does it mean to be cursed? How does this curse help support Paul's position?

4. Why is it a problem to try to make God accept us by doing what is good, whether through returning to the Jewish Law or through some other means?

Reflection

5. How does the idea of being "cursed" by relying on the Law challenge your understanding of grace and forgiveness?

6. When you think about "living by faith," what specific actions or attitudes come to mind? How do these show up in your life?

Taking the Next Step

Reflect on a past mistake or failure, and release any lingering guilt by meditating on the truth that Jesus has taken the curse for you. Write down your reflections and thank God for His grace.

Praises / Prayer Requests

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