

GROWTH GROUP

Study Guide

Galatians 5:13-18 – Liberty is Not License

My Story

1. If people were told that the laws in their city were suspended for a month and they could do whatever they wanted, what effect do you think this would have on people? Why?

Digging Deeper

2. What is the difference between the two concepts of freedom described in verse 13? How do you think people in our culture view freedom?
3. Read Rom. 13:8-10. Why is love the fulfillment of the Law? What does this teach you about God's Law?

4. What is the relationship between the Spirit and the flesh, as Paul describes it in verses 16-18?

Reflection

5. Without "naming names" what are some ways in which you have seen Christian freedom abused? When has freedom been a danger to you?
6. How can we ensure that we are walking by the Spirit and not carrying out the desires of the flesh in our daily lives?

SERMON NOTES

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Taking the Next Step

Which of your neighbors could use a little love? Pick a specific neighbor and choose a specific way to show them some love this week (i.e., help with yard work, bring in their trash cans, wash their car, bake them cookies, invite them for dinner, etc.).

Praises / Prayer Requests

