

**THE APOSTLE PAUL'S LETTER  
TO THE  
CHURCHES of GALATIA**

**CHAPTER 6:1**

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THE TITLE OF THE MESSAGE:

**“CHURCH – JESUS STYLE!” – PART 1**

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**Restoration, Fellowship. Forgiveness,**

**INTRODUCTION**

*to the text*

*Galatians 6:1*

**CHURCH – JESUS STYLE**

**1.) *It's a Family of Others***

**vv. 1**

**“Others”**

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*Christianity is an “Others” centered Faith*

*The Benefits of That... should feel like Jesus!*

*The Message of That... should sound like Jesus!*

*The Followers of That... should look like Jesus!*

Galatians 6:1

Brethren, if a man is overtaken in any trespass, you who are spiritual restore such a one in a spirit of gentleness, considering yourself lest you also be tempted.

## **CHURCH JESUS STYLE** *It's a Family of Others*

**a.) *The Church is to be "a Living Body"***

**Brethren,**

(opposite of those in verse 5:21)

The Fruit of the Living Church

Vs.

The Works of the Legalist

1 Corinthians 6:9-11

Do you not know that the unrighteous will not inherit the kingdom of God? Do not be deceived. Neither fornicators, nor idolaters, nor adulterers, nor homosexuals, nor sodomites, 10 nor thieves, nor covetous, nor drunkards, nor revilers, nor extortioners will inherit the kingdom of God. 11 And such were some of you. But you were washed, but you were sanctified, but you were justified in the name of the Lord Jesus and by the Spirit of our God.

John 5:24

"Most assuredly, I say to you, he who hears My word and believes in Him who sent Me has everlasting life, and shall not come into judgment, but has passed from death into life.

# ***This Church is “a Living Body”***

## **CHURCH JESUS STYLE**

***It’s a Family of Others***

### ***b.) The Church is to be “a Loving Body”***

if a man is **overtaken** in any **trespass**

**Overtaken** grk 4301 prolambano (prol-am-ban'-o);  
to be taken by surprise. An enemy who awaits to attack by surprise.

**Trespass** grk 3900 paraptoma (par-ap'-to-mah);  
a side-slip (lapse or deviation), i.e. (unintentional) error or (willful)  
transgression: to fall, to fault, to offend, trespass.

**any** trespass

(means to include all types of sins)

## **“A Loving Church”**

- Looking Abroad... to distant horizons
- Looking Within... to nurture the Body
- Looking Around... to meet the current challenge

## **CHURCH JESUS STYLE**

***It’s a Family of Others***

### ***c.) The Church is to be “a Legal-less Body”***

you who are spiritual **restore** such a one...

spiritual grk 4152 pneumatikos (pnyoo-mat-ik-os');  
not-carnal, but ethereal, supernatural, Christ-minded

## We're Pneumatic!

Wind or air driven - Holy Spirit Controlled

**restore** such a one...

restore grk 2675 katartizo (kat-ar-tid'-zo);  
to bring back to completion, to repair like new, to revive again!

## Legalism Holds Down and Drowns the Sinner Love Lifts Up and Stabilizes the Sinner

### Matthew 18:11-22

"For the Son of Man has come to save that which was lost. 12 "What do you think? If a man has a hundred sheep, and one of them goes astray, does he not leave the ninety-nine and go to the mountains to seek the one that is straying? 13 "And if he should find it, assuredly, I say to you, he rejoices more over that sheep than over the ninety-nine that did not go astray. 14 "Even so it is not the will of your Father who is in heaven that one of these little ones should perish. 15 **"Moreover if your brother sins against you, go and tell him his fault between you and him alone.** If he hears you, you have gained your brother. 16 "But if he will not hear, take with you one or two more, that 'by the mouth of two or three witnesses every word may be established.' 17 "And if he refuses to hear them, tell it to the church. But if he refuses even to hear the church, let him be to you like a heathen and a tax collector. 18 "Assuredly, I say to you, whatever you bind on earth will be bound in heaven, and whatever you loose on earth will be loosed in heaven. 19 "Again I say to you that if two of you agree on earth concerning anything that they ask, it will be done for them by My Father in heaven. 20 "For where two or three are gathered together in My name, I am there in the midst of them." 21 Then Peter came to Him and said, "Lord, how often shall my brother sin against me, and I forgive him? Up to seven times?" 22 Jesus said to him, "I do not say to you, up to seven times, but up to seventy times seven.

Love Them Back “God’s Way”

- They Must be **Realize** their sin
- They Must **Repent** before God
- They Must make **Restitution** before Man
- They Must be **Received** Back into the Church
- They Must Be **Re-Rooted** into the Body

## **CHURCH JESUS STYLE** *It’s a Family of Others*

**d.) *The Church is to be “a Lowly Body”***

...in a spirit of **gentleness**,  
**considering** yourself lest you also be tempted.

## ***Church Jesus Style*** ***is a Humble-Hearted Ministry***

Matthew 7:1-5

"Judge not, that you be not judged. 2 "For with what judgment you judge, you will be judged; and with the measure you use, it will be measured back to you. 3 "And why do you look at the speck in your brother's eye, but do not consider the plank in your own eye? 4 "Or how can you say to your brother, 'Let me remove the speck from your eye'; and look, a plank is in your own eye? 5 "Hypocrite! First remove the plank from your own eye, and then you will see clearly to remove the speck out of your brother's eye.

# Are There Any Fallen Among Us?

Matthew 12:31-32

"Therefore I say to you, every sin and blasphemy will be forgiven men, but the blasphemy against the Spirit will not be forgiven men. 32 "Anyone who speaks a word against the Son of Man, it will be forgiven him; but whoever speaks against the Holy Spirit, it will not be forgiven him, either in this age or in the age to come.

## Listen to me Now...

Romans 8:38-39

For I am persuaded that neither death nor life, nor angels nor principalities nor powers, nor things present nor things to come, 39 nor height nor depth, nor any other created thing, shall be able to separate us from the love of God which is in Christ Jesus our Lord.

## Was There Once a Day When...

Philippians 1:6

being confident of this very thing, that He who has begun a good work in you will complete it until the day of Jesus Christ;

## Have You Been on the Potter's Wheel Lately?