



Paul's Letter to the Galatians

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Day 17 Galatians 5:7-12

Hold to the Truth

Read John 6:35-40. What assurance for our salvation does Jesus give us here? Whose will is that?

Read John 10:25-30. Why does Jesus say that the Jews didn't know who Jesus was? Who will follow Christ? What assurance of our salvation do we find here?

Read 1 Corinthians 5:1-13. What does Paul say should be done with the man who is involved in unrepentant sexual sin *within* the body at Corinth? Why does Paul say they should do this? (verse 5) What warning does Paul then give them? Paul makes a distinction in verses 9-11 between two groups of people; what is that distinction? Who does Paul say we *should* be judging? (Keep this in mind: we are called to judge in a right manner. See Matthew 18:15-19 and Matthew 7:1-5 for more on what this looks like.)

Read 1 John 1:8-10. Who do we deceive if we say we have no sin? When we confess our sins, what do we know that Jesus is faithful to do?

As you spend time with God today, consider how you might be justifying sin in your life. Are you more concerned with how you look to men, or to God? Ask God to help you to be focused on pleasing Him every day. Ask Him to help you to let go of those things that come before Him in your life whether it is an activity, a hobby, a television program, or even simply laziness. Ask Him to help you to love His Word and to live your life for Him, instead of for the world.