

## YOU WILL REAP WHAT YOU SOW

(Galatians 6:7-10)

**I. PAUL DEFENDS HIS AUTHORITY AND THE ORIGINATION OF HIS GOSPEL (Gal. 1 & 2)**

**II. PAUL DEFENDS JUSTIFICATION BY FAITH (Gal. 3 & 4)**

**III. PAUL DEFENDS CHRISTIAN LIBERTY AND LIVING BY GRACE (Gal. 5 & 6)**

**A. You are to STAND FAST in Grace against LEGALISM (5:1-12)**

**B. You are to STAND FIRM in Liberty against LICENSE (5:13-26)**

**C. You are to SERVE OTHERS faithfully in the Spirit by LOVE (6:1-10)**

**1. Restoring fallen believers (6:1)**

**2. Relieving burdened believers (6:2-5)**

**3. Remunerating your teachers (6:6)**

**4. Reaping what you have sown (6:7-10)**

a. The PROBLEM: Legalism produces \_\_\_\_\_ and stiff arms  
the Lord. (6:7a)

\* What is deception?

1) You can be deceived when you \_\_\_\_\_ to yourself or to others when you claim to be  
in \_\_\_\_\_ with God, and yet you are walking in \_\_\_\_\_.  
(1 John 1:6-7)

2) You can deceive yourself when you claim that your \_\_\_\_\_ is  
not “running the show,” when in reality it is. (1 John 1:8)

3) You can be deceived when you try to make God out to be a \_\_\_\_\_, by covering  
your sins instead of \_\_\_\_\_ them. (1 John 1:9-10)

b. The PRINCIPLE: “*for whatever a man sows, that he will also reap.*” (6:7b)

1) If the farmer plants corn he will reap corn; likewise if you sow to the \_\_\_\_\_  
with legalism or license, it is foolish to expect that you will reap the \_\_\_\_\_  
of the \_\_\_\_\_.

2) The \_\_\_\_\_ you sow, the \_\_\_\_\_ you will reap.

\* What is true of the farming analogy and in real life regarding this principle?

\* How is “*reaping what you sow*” to be distinguished from karma?

c. The POSSIBILITIES: You can either sow to the \_\_\_\_\_ or to the \_\_\_\_\_.  
(6:8)

d. The PRODUCT: Depending on your previous choice, you will either reap \_\_\_\_\_  
or you will reap \_\_\_\_\_. (6:8)

\* Are you gritting your teeth and enduring the one or are you enjoying the other?

e. The PATIENCE needed: “*Let us not \_\_\_\_\_ while doing good...*”  
(6:9a)

\* This can be difficult, so what is needed in order to accomplish this?

f. The PROMISE: “*for in due season we shall reap \_\_\_\_\_ we do \_\_\_\_\_ lose  
\_\_\_\_\_.*” (6:9b)

g. The POINT of the passage: “*Therefore, as we have \_\_\_\_\_, let us do  
good to \_\_\_\_\_.*” (6:10a)

h. The PRIORITY: “*\_\_\_\_\_ to those who are of the household of  
\_\_\_\_\_.*” (6:10b)

\* How can you apply this in your own life?