

STUDY IN THE EPISTLE OF PAUL TO THE GALATIANS

Theme: NO OTHER GOSPEL

LESSON 5 **ABRAHAM BELIEVED GOD** *Galatians 3:1-14*

Outline

- I Foolishness of the Galatian Christians vv1-5
- II Abraham is an example of faith vv5-10
- III The just shall live by faith vv11-14

Questions

- 1 Let us answer the questions which Paul asked the Galatian Christians: Does the Holy Spirit come upon you when you fulfill the demands of the law or when you receive God's Word by faith? Is your Christian life made complete by your own fleshly efforts or is it the work of the Holy Spirit? vv2, 3.
- 2 How can we become the children of Abraham? v7 Can God justify the heathen who are outside God's covenant with Abraham? vv8, 9. Acts 10:34
- 3 How can we, who are Gentile believers, share that same blessing which God bestows on faithful Abraham? v9; Gen 12:3.
- 4 The law carries with it a curse. How is that so? v10 Jer 11:3. What is written in the book of the law? Neh 8:9.
- 5 What is the curse of the law? v13 Deut 21:23. Are the two thieves on the cross cursed? Did Jesus justify any of them and why?