



## **Message Outline**

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Galatians 1:1-10

# **Good News Gone Bad**

**SERIES: *Losing My Religion***

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*If we are not careful, the good news of Christianity can turn bad.  
What started out as liberating can so quickly become binding.*

## **☒ The good news of Christianity: Grace and Peace**

Gal 1:1-5

## **☒ How good news turns bad:**

**We desert grace**

Gal 1:6

**We get confused by “spiritual” teachers**

Gal 1:7-8

**We turn accepting into achieving**

Gal 1:9

**Instead of humility, we seek applause**

Gal 1:10



## HomeGroup Questions

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1. Welcome back to your HomeGroup. Take a few minutes to catch up about how Easter went for everyone.
2. The word gospel occurs over and over again in this passage. It literally means “good news.” When you were first introduced to Christianity (or church) was it more good news or bad? When did Christianity become good news for you?
3. Read Galatians 1:1-10 and review the outline. What stood out for you?
4. Paul so often begins his letters with *Grace and Peace* (see vs. 3). While these were the common expressions of greeting of the day, how do they take on a deeper meaning in the Bible?
5. God wants us to live in His grace. Why is it so easy for believers to turn it into legalism?
6. Paul uses strong language in this passage (see especially vs. 9). Why is he so fired up about this?
7. Look at vs. 10. It doesn't seem like pleasing other people is a bad thing. What is Paul's concern here?
8. What would you recommend to someone to keep grace at the foundation of their relationship with Jesus?
9. How can your group pray for you?