

Title: Goody Two-Shoes

Text: Galatians 6:1–10, 14, 18

Target: Good works can't save us; only Jesus can.

1. **Restoration of the Broken: No One Left Behind**

- a. **Compassion for the Caught:** *"Brothers, if anyone is caught in any transgression,"* (Vs. 1a)
- b. **Correct with Compassion:** *"you who are spiritual should restore him in a spirit of gentleness."* (Vs. 1b)
- c. **Caution Toward Yourself:** *"Keep watch on yourself, lest you too be tempted."* (Vs. 1c)
- d. **Carry Others' Burdens:** *"Bear one another's burdens, and so fulfill the law of Christ."* (Vs. 2)

2. **Responsibility of the Believer: Law of the Harvest**

- a. **Kill Pride Daily:** *"For if anyone thinks he is something, when he is nothing, he deceives himself."* (Vs. 3)
- b. **Sow Righteously:** *"Do not be deceived: God is not mocked, for whatever one sows, that will he also reap. For the one who sows to his own flesh will from the flesh reap corruption, but the one who sows to the Spirit will from the Spirit reap eternal life."* (Vs. 7-8)
- c. **Don't Grow Weary:** *"And let us not grow weary of doing good, for in due season we will reap, if we do not give up. So then, as we have opportunity, let us do good to everyone, and especially to those who are of the household of faith."* (Vs. 9-10)

3. **Remind Yourself of the Cross: Preach to Yourself!**

- a. **The Work of the Cross:** *"But far be it from me to boast except in the cross of our Lord Jesus Christ,"* (Vs. 14a)
- b. **The Witness of the Cross:** *"by which the world has been crucified to me, and I to the world."* (Vs. 14b)

4. **Rest in His Grace: The Final Word**

- a. **Grace Covers Us:** *"The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with your spirit, brothers. Amen."* (Vs. 18)
- b. **Grace Carries Us:** *"But he said to me, 'My grace is sufficient for you, for my power is made perfect in weakness.' Therefore I will boast all the more gladly of my weaknesses, so that the power of Christ may rest upon me."* (2 Cor. 12:9)

Takeaway: Stop boasting in what you do; start boasting in what Jesus did.