

DIGGING **DEEPER**

Galatians 5-6 – Living in the freedom of the resurrection life

PLEASE READ – Galatians 5v13-6v10

GETTING STARTED

Discuss the assertion...

"If the resurrection is true, nothing else really matters; If the resurrection is not true, nothing else really matters"

What does that teach us about our mindset day by day?

FREEDOM FROM...

How well do we live in the light of our freedom from...

What can we do at a practical level to remind ourselves – and rejoice in – what Christ has achieved on the cross

What practical difference does Jesus' resurrection make in our daily lives?

FREEDOM TO...

How are you finding the battle between the flesh and the spirit?

If it's not too fierce - is that because you have settled for compromise?

Are there any areas of life you have given up the battle because it's too difficult?

There seems to be a pattern...

5:15, signs of the flesh; 5:16 live by the spirit v19f acts of the flesh v22 fruit of the spirit 5:25 live by the spirit 26 signs of the flesh

Do you think bite, devour, provoke envy etc are too harsh for the church? Why / Why not?

How can you make the most of the Freedom TO which the Spirit enables?

SERVING ONE ANOTHER IN LOVE

How do you 'measure' true spirituality - in yourself or others?

What is the relationship between personal holiness and serving others?

How does serving one another in love work out in the church; during the week?

KEEP THE BIG PICTURE IN VIEW

In the coming week how can you invest in the harvest at the end of the age?

Meditate on Galatians 5v13: You, my brothers and sisters, were called to be free. But do not use your freedom to indulge the flesh; rather, serve one another humbly in love.