

Opportunity to Do Good

Galatians 6:10

Introduction: Paul comes to the end of all that he's been saying about walking in the Spirit and he throws out the broadest statement he can about what it looks like, not only to be a holy believer because of the work of the Spirit, but to be helpful.

“Take-home” truth: Spirit-led believers will do good to others.

I. We are to do good.

A. To do good is to meet genuine needs.

B. We must actually do it!

II. We are to do good to all people.

A. We have a *global* responsibility to do good.

B. We have a *family* responsibility to do good.

C. We have an *individual* responsibility to do good.

III. God gives us opportunity to do good.

A. It is God Who gives opportunities to do good.

B. We often miss the opportunities that God gives.

1. We miss opportunities because we have not prepared for them.

2. We miss opportunities because we don't look for them.

C. We cannot handle every opportunity we see.

1. We must remember that God is in control of our lives.

2. We should expect the Spirit to work in us so that God's love is expressed toward both unbelievers and believers.

3. We should constantly ask the Lord for wisdom about it.

4. We should examine our consciences.