

**Grace Didn't Die
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Galatians 6:2**

A CLARIFIED TRUTH - "AND SO FULFILL THE LAW OF CHRIST"

- (1) The " _____ of Christ" is the eternal purposes, standards, and commands of God that are fully manifested in the life and teachings of Jesus, and as such, are authoritatively declared and clarified in the New Testament. All mankind will be judged by the standard of this law.
- (2) To _____ the Law of Christ doesn't mean we earn our salvation, but rather that we are actively living in it.

THE EXEMPLARY COMMAND - "BEAR ONE ANOTHER'S BURDENS"

- (1) Grace expects us to look for and _____ that which is crushing life out of those around us, especially our brothers and sisters in Christ.
- (2) Grace expects us to _____ others hold up the weight that is crushing the life out of them.

Note: To bear a burden is not to take it from them but it is to take it _____ them.

- (3) Grace expects us to _____ bearing the burdens of others until they are no longer burdens.
- (4) Grace is not an excuse to _____ the help of others, but rather an encouragement to accept it.

Application - The following are four examples of types of burden bearing that matches the context of the serious burdens in Galatians 6:2:

- (1) _____ burden bearing is listening and feeling with somebody who is under a crushing emotional weight.
- (2) _____ burden bearing is helping people accomplish the physical tasks they can't do on their own.
- (3) _____ burden bearing is providing people with money to help them through a serious financial crisis.
- (4) _____ burden bearing is all that is involved in helping a person who is drowning in sin to truly repent and experience life in Christ.

Challenge: You can't help bear everybody's burdens. However, are your _____ away from the people God has uniquely placed in your life to help them carry a crushing weight?