



Preserve and Pursue

PASTOR ZAC HESS • GALATIANS 2:1-10

***FREEDOM
IN THE GOSPEL***

**Pursue the mission by
preserving the truth.**



Then after fourteen years I went up again to Jerusalem with Barnabas, taking Titus along with me.

Galatians 2:1

I went up because of a revelation and set before them (though privately before those who seemed influential) the Gospel that I proclaim among the Gentiles, in order to make sure I was not running or had not run in vain.

Galatians 2:2

But even Titus, who was with me, was not forced to be circumcised, though he was a Greek.

Galatians 2:3

Yet because of false brothers secretly brought in—who slipped in to spy out our freedom that we have in Christ Jesus, so that they might bring us into slavery—

Galatians 2:4

*to them we did not yield in submission even for a moment,
so that the truth of the Gospel might be preserved for you.*

Galatians 2:5

And from those who seemed to be influential (what they were makes no difference to me; God shows no partiality)—those, I say, who seemed influential added nothing to me.

Galatians 2:6

On the contrary, when they saw that I had been entrusted with the Gospel to the uncircumcised, just as Peter had been entrusted with the Gospel to the circumcised

Galatians 2:7

(for He who worked through Peter for his apostolic ministry to the circumcised worked also through me for mine to the Gentiles),

Galatians 2:8

and when James and Cephas and John, who seemed to be pillars, perceived the grace that was given to me, they gave the right hand of fellowship to Barnabas and me, that we should go to the Gentiles and they to the circumcised.

Galatians 2:9

Only, they asked us to remember the poor, the very thing I was eager to do.

Galatians 2:10

A silhouette of a person in a field at sunset, with text overlaid.

**Preserve Gospel truth without
caving to pressure. (2:1-5)**

A person in a blue shirt is running in a field at sunset. The person is seen from behind, with their arms outstretched. The background is a bright, hazy sky with a low sun on the horizon, creating a warm, golden glow. The foreground is dark, suggesting a field of grass or similar vegetation.

**Pursue Gospel mission through
clarity, unity, and generosity. (2:6-10)**

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