

## BEING GOSPEL PEOPLE

*Galatians 2:20 // May 18, 2025 AM*

I. The old “me” has *died* in Christ (v. 20a).

II. The new “me” has *dawned* in Christ (v. 20b).

### QUESTIONS FOR FAMILY WORSHIP

1. What are rites of passage, and what is the Christian rite of passage? How does it radically differ from rites of passage in other societies?
2. How could Paul say he was dead when he was still alive and able to write this letter?
3. By sharing in Christ’s death, did Paul lose his distinct personality? If not, what did he lose?
4. Who lives in Paul? Does this mean Paul wasn’t the one living anymore? If not, what did it mean?
5. Who must we live by faith in at all times? Where were the Galatians being tempted to put their faith instead? How can we be tempted to the same?
6. How did Israel’s baptism into Moses in the sea picture death and resurrection? And how does our baptism into Christ picture the same?

### QUESTIONS FOR PRIVATE REFLECTION

1. How often do I reflect upon my baptism and the spiritual realities it signifies and seals?
2. Do I know the joy of being delivered from the penalty and power of sin that characterized my old self in Adam?
3. Can I say from the depths of my soul that Jesus “loved *me* and gave himself for *me*”? Why is the personal appropriation of the gospel so vital?