

THE ANSWER IS GRACE

1. Read Galatians 1:1-2. Who is writing the letter?
2. What reason do you think Paul started his letter by stating his authority?
3. What is this authority Paul has been given?
 - a. What does it mean?
 - b. Why is it important?
4. How did Paul receive this authority/apostleship? (Read Acts 9:1-18)
5. How was Paul's calling and assignment unique and what was it?
6. What was Paul's pedigree? (Read Philippians 3:4b-6)
7. Do you think it is ironic that Paul, a "perfect" Jew, was called by God to bring the Gospel to the Gentiles?
8. How could Paul's calling relate in some ways to our own calling of God?
9. Who was with Paul when writing this letter?
10. How does this speak of involving others in ministry?

Galatians 1:1-2

Acts 9:1-18

Philippians 3:4b-6

Ministry is always intended to be a _____ effort.

Paul was called to represent Jesus to _____.

God desires to use _____ in a way that brings Him glory. He often does that using our _____ instead of our _____ so that we rely on Him and not ourselves.

In the Old Testament people related to God through sacrifices, keeping the law and through the priests. Now, we are to relate to God through the _____ of His Son, who is our mediator, our sacrifice and our High Priest.