Faith in Christ Alone Changes Hearts Galatians 1:11-14

The	of the true servant of God is to make the gospel
	nrist
	The gospel of Christ must be proclaimed
	Galatians 1:11
	The gospel of Christ must be proclaimed
	Ephesians 6:19–20
	The gospel of Christ must be proclaimed
	The gospel of Christ is not a gospel
	Galatians 1:11
	The of man must be kept out of gospel
	preaching.
	Galatians 1:11
The s	gospel is God's of Jesus Christ.
	The gospel was not something that Paul
	through school, seminary, or the other apostles.
	Galatians 1:12
	Paul had heard the facts of the gospel through the
	testimony of those he, but it only drove him
	to more hatred for Christ.
	Galatians 1:13
	The revelation of the gospel must be applied.
	Galatians 1:12
Only	the good news of God's grace and peace can produce
	in a sinner.
	No one can enough on their own to please
	God.
	Galatians 1:13; 2:16; Matthew 12:43-45
	The gospel is not by the vileness of our
	sins.
	Galatians 1:13; Romans 5:20–21
	The gospel is not by our intellectual
	astuteness, our religious zeal, or our family pedigree.
	Galatians 1:14
	Sinners will only find in the grace of God
	through faith in the sacrifice of Christ when the Spirit of
	God dead hearts.
	Ezekiel 36:26–27

On this issue—the nature of the gospel—there is not room for equivocation or doubt. Nothing less than the reality of the salvation secured by Jesus Christ is at stake in this unyielding assertion.

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What Paul was arguing in Galatians was not that his gospel was different from that of the other apostles but rather that he had received it independently of them.

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It is inconceivable that he would have invested so much energy in trying to stamp out a movement he knew nothing about. No doubt the very Christians he persecuted witnessed to him of their faith in Jesus as the Messiah.

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When I first took upon me the defence of the Gospel, I remember that Doctor Staupitius, a most worthy man and Vicar of the Augustinian order, said thus unto me: This liketh me well, that this doctrine which thou preachest, yieldeth glory and all things else unto God alone, and nothing unto men: for unto God (it is clear as day) there cannot be attributed too much glory, goodness, [or anything else]. This saying did then greatly comfort and confirm me. And true it is, that the doctrine of the Gospel taketh from men all glory, wisdom, righteousness, [and all things like them], and giveth the same to the Creator alone, who maketh all things of nothing.

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