



# FREEDOM!

GALATIANS 5:1

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Good News Translation: “Freedom is what we have—Christ has set us free! Stand, then, as free people, and do not allow yourselves to become slaves again.”

Phillips Version: “Plant your feet firmly therefore within the freedom that Christ has won for us, and do not let yourselves be caught again in the shackles of slavery.”

New International Reader’s Version: “Christ has set us free to enjoy our freedom. So remain strong in the faith. Don’t let the chains of slavery hold you again.”



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“Let me put this question to you: How did your new life begin? Was it by working your heads off to please God? Or was it by responding to God’s Message to you? Are you going to continue this craziness? For only crazy people would think they could complete by their own efforts what was begun by God. If you weren’t smart enough or strong enough to begin it, how do you suppose you could perfect it? Did you go through this whole painful learning process for nothing?”



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“So then, my friends, we have an obligation, but it is not to live as our human nature wants us to. For if you live according to your human nature, you are going to die; but if by the Spirit you put to death your sinful actions, you will live. Those who are led by God's Spirit are God's children. For the Spirit that God has given you does not make you slaves and cause you to be afraid; instead, the Spirit makes you God's children, and by the Spirit's power we cry out to God, ‘Father! My Father!’”  
(Good News Translation)



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All to Jesus I surrender  
All to him I freely give  
I will ever love and trust him  
In his presence daily live  
I surrender all, I surrender all  
All to you, my blessed Savior  
I surrender all

All to Jesus I surrender  
Lord, I give myself to you  
Fill me with your love and power  
Let me find my life in you  
I surrender all, I surrender all  
All to you, my blessed Savior  
I surrender all