

Morning Lesson

GOLDEN KEYS FOR SUCCESS "Personal Concern"

TEXT: Gal. 6:2

INTRO:

1. The law of Christ is loving-kindness. **Mark 12:30,31**
2. His business was benevolence. **Matt. 20:28**
3. We are to follow his example. **1 Pet 2:21**

I. WE MUST RAISE UP THE FALLEN.

- A. Before Christ came, those who fell were rejected.
Deut. 22:21-24
- B. Jesus helped them up and gave them another chance.
John 8:1-11; Matt. 14:25-33

II. WE MUST BEAR THE AILMENTS OF THE WEAK.

- A. A recurrence of the same fault in a person is tiresome, but if God has enabled me to grow past that stage, I should be willing to help another person out of their weakness.
Rom. 15:1
- B. Illus: All the rocks in an arch support one another; not equally, but they need one another.

III. WE MUST BEAR ONE ANOTHER'S TRIALS.

- A. When a brother or sister is enduring hardship, I need to lighten the load.
- B. Illus: Flying Vee.
- C. Illus: Roman shield.

IV. BY BEARING ANOTHER'S BURDEN, WE LIGHTEN OUR OWN.

- A. Illus: Nobleman who was tired of living.
- B. Get involved with others and your own problems will be minimized.

CONC:

1. How can I bear another's burden?
2. Why should I bear another's burden?
3. What about the burden of sin?
 - a. I can't carry that for another. **Gal. 6:5**
 - b. I don't need to because Jesus bears it. **Isa. 53:6**
4. If I am to succeed, I must express personal concern for others.
5. "Measure of Success"