

FROM SLAVES TO SONS
Galatians 4:1-7

- I. THE SITUATION BEFORE SALVATION (vv. 1-3).
 - A. The Jews Were in a Regulatory Condition (v. 1-2).
 - B. The Jews Were in an Elementary Condition (v. 3).

- II. THE REDEMPTION FROM SLAVERY (vv. 4-5).
 - A. The Redeemer's Person (v. 4).
 - 1. Deity—*God sent forth his Son*
 - 2. Humanity—*born of a woman*
 - 3. Humility—*under the law*
 - B. The Redeemer's Purpose (v. 5).
 - 1. Freedom-- *To redeem*
 - 2. Family--*That we might receive the adoption as sons*

- III. THE ADOPTION AS SONS (vv. 6-7).
 - A. Our Relationship (v. 6).—*Abba, Father!*
 - B. Our Riches (v. 7).—*an heir of God through Christ*