Stand in Liberty

Galatians 5:1-6

Intro: Not being contentious - Titus 3:2-3

I. The Exhortation to Stand Fast v. 1

A. It was Christ who set us free

B. The law is a "yoke of bondage"

- 1. Acts 15:10
- 2. 2nd Corinthians 3:7

II. The Warning about Religious Rite v. 2

- A. 1st Corinthians 9:19-23
- B. Romans 11:6
- C. The parallel with baptism
- III. The Reminder that the Law is a Unit v. 3
 - A. Galatians 3:10
 - B. James 2:10

IV. The Warning About Embracing the Law v. 4 A. You are estranged from Christ

B. You fall from grace into the system of law

V. The Exclusivity of Faith Righteousness vv. 5-6

- A. Our righteousness will be perfected v. 5
- B. Only faith matters, working through love v. 6

Conclusion: Stand firm in Christ's liberty!