



WHY BOAST IN THE CROSS?

Galatians 6:14

Over the next six Sundays we are journeying with Jesus to the cross. Beyond the cross is an empty tomb and a resurrected Savior. Our hope for all eternity is wrapped up in the fact that Jesus rose from the dead.

In Galatians 6 the Apostle Paul made what may be the central driving statement of his life. "God forbid that I should glory, save in the cross of our Lord Jesus Christ..." He would only boast in the cross. Nothing else equaled the cross.

Why is the cross of Christ so important to us? Why boast in the cross alone?

- I. **The Cross is an _____ of Death.**
It was a horrible way to die.
- II. **The Cross is a _____ of Prophecy.**
The journey to the cross began before we ever needed a Savior.
- III. **The Cross is a _____ for Works.**
It removes all boasting in human effort.
- IV. **The Cross is the _____ of Wrath.**
God's wrath was satisfied at the cross.
- V. **The Cross is a _____ of God's Love.**
Here is God's love on full display as Christ demonstrates it on the cross.

These are just a few of the reasons that an instrument of death should dominate the landscape of our faith. We trust in the cross. We boast in the cross. Nothing compares to the cross of Christ.

Journey with us as we move closer to the central event of our faith. Spread the word. Invite your friends as we focus on salvation purchased on Calvary's hill.

Your Servant in Christ,
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