

# Galatians 4:21-31; 5:1 — The Choice

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## The Law & Bondage

### HAGAR

Tell me,

ye that desire to be under the law,  
do ye not hear the law?

- the one by a bondmaid,  
But he who was of the bondwoman  
was born after the flesh;

- the one from the mount Sinai,  
which gendereth to bondage,  
which is Agar.

For this Agar  
is mount Sinai in Arabia,  
and answereth to Jerusalem which now is,  
and is in bondage with her children.

he that was born after the flesh  
persecuted

Cast out the bondwoman and her son:  
for the son of the bondwoman

we are not children of the bondwoman,

and be not entangled again  
with the yoke of bondage.

## Redeemed & Free

### SARAH

For it is written,  
that Abraham had **two sons**,

- the other by a freewoman.

but he of the freewoman  
was by promise.

*Which things are an allegory:*

for these are the **two covenants**;

But Jerusalem which is above is free,  
which is the mother of us all.

For it is written, Rejoice, thou barren that bearest not;  
break forth and cry, thou that travailest not: for the  
desolate hath many more children than she which hath  
an husband.

Now we, brethren, as Isaac was,  
are the children of promise.

*But as then*

him that was born after the Spirit,

*even so it is now.*

Nevertheless what saith the scripture?

shall not be heir with the son of the freewoman.

So then, brethren,

but of the free.

STAND fast therefore in the liberty  
wherewith Christ hath made us free,