

# Carpenter's Notes

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## *We Enjoy Life*

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## Have You Been Robbed?

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**Galatians 1:6-7**

*But God demonstrates his own love for us in this: While we were still sinners, Christ died for us. **Romans 5:8***

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*For all who rely on the works of the law are under a curse, as it is written: "Cursed is everyone who does not continue to do everything written in the Book of the Law." **Galatians 3:10***

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