

Sermon Title: **“BEAR ... ONE ANOTHER’S BURDENS”**

Galatians 6:1-5

- God’s Word has REAL _____ for REAL _____
 - Sadly, TOO MANY _____, struggling in silence, sidelined by shame, squashed by sin
 - God NEVER designed His creation to function _____
 - When the body of Christ is _____, we link arms and together, _____, we face challenges and temptations
 - There is NO shame in seeking _____ to our struggles with sinful behavior
- Sin is _____ and dangerously deceptive – BEFORE we fully realize it, we can be stumbling with a struggle with sin
- Cain’s _____ and the way he carried himself were HUGE _____, indicating something was OFF internally
- “Spiritual” = this is a person, who is _____ (this ISN’T some lofty unattainable ideal – it should be ALL of us)
 - Recognize the _____ – it’s NOT our ability – it’s simply following the Spirit’s lead. God is the One who _____ and God restores
- “Bear one another’s burdens” = to _____ EACH member’s extremely heavy load (God intends for us to face life together)
- Pride prevents us from _____ our own problem with sin
 - Pride ALSO often prevents us from _____ another believer, who is caught in a struggle with sin
- “_____” = a weight TOO heavy for one person to carry in their own personal strength (_____)
- “Load” = the equivalent of a _____