A FAITHFUL LAYMAN
GALATIANS 2:1 / 11-17-19 / P.M.

I. HIS LIFE.

A. He was a gentile—Gal. 2:3.

B. He may have been the brother of Luke.

C. May have been from Asia Minor (Turkey) because Paul reached many gentiles from there.

D. Led to faith by Paul—Titus 1:4.


F. A test case for Paul to display at Jerusalem council demonstrating circumcision isn’t necessary for salvation—Gal. 2:3.

G. Served the church in Corinth—2 Cor. 8:6, 16-17.

H. Joined Paul during his third journey—2 Cor. 7:6-7, 13-14.

I. He later served the church in Crete—Titus 1:4-5.

J. Still later he joined Paul in Nicopolis—Titus 3:12.

K. Last mention is being with Paul during his final Roman imprisonment, but not until Paul died—2 Tim. 4:10-11.

II. HIS LESSONS.

A. God wants everyone to be saved, even gentiles.

B. God uses all kinds of people, not just preachers or teachers.

C. God looks for people with a servant’s heart.

D. God’s plan of salvation is by grace alone through faith alone, not by works

E. God uses people who have a heart for other people.

F. God uses people who are willing to be used.

G. God calls Christians to love each other.

H. God needs people who are willing to accept difficult assignments—Titus 1:12-13.