

“ALL ONE IN CHRIST JESUS”

EXPOSITIONS OF GALATIANS, #19

GALATIANS 3:28

INTRODUCTION —

◇ THE MORNING PRAYER OF AN ANCIENT MAN . . .

A. UNDERSTANDING THIS VERSE

1. THE QUESTION IN GALATIA

2. THE THREE ‘ANTITHESES’ —

- RACE
- STATUS
- GENDER

3. PAUL’S MAIN POINT?

B. UNTANGLING ITS MISUSE

1. “IT ABOLISHES ALL GENDER DISTINCTIONS”

2. THE NOVELTY OF THESE EGALITARIANS/FEMINISTS

3. CORRECTIVE CONSIDERATIONS:

- ‘CREATION’ DISTINCTION
- CONTEXT IS SALVATION (NOT FAMILY OR CHURCH)
- OTHER INSPIRED INSTRUCTION LATER IN THE N.T.

C. APPLYING ITS TRUTH

1. ACCESS: LEVEL GROUND AT FOOT OF THE CROSS

2. INTEGRITY: GOD’S WORD IS NON-CONTRADICTORY

3. ONENESS: SPIRITUAL UNITY IN CHRIST