

# Paul: The Example of Grace

## Galatians 1:11-17

### I. Introduction

A. Review

B. Passage

### II. Exposition

A. Paul's Gospel

- **Galatians 1:11–12.**

1. Not according to man

2. Through revelation

- **ἀποκάλυψις** - to cause something to be fully known—'to reveal, to disclose, to make fully known, revelation. (Louw – Nida)

- **Matthew 16:16–17.**

B. Paul's Former Conduct

- **Galatians 1:13–14.**

1. Paul's biography

2. Paul's zeal

a. In persecuting

b. In Judaism

C. Paul's Calling

- **Galatians 1:15–17.**

1. God's intervention

- A threefold revelation: (1) to Paul; (2) in Paul; and (3) through Paul.  
(Hindson and Kroll, eds., *KJV Bible Commentary*, 2375)

- **Jeremiah 1:5; Isaiah 49:5–6.**

2. The Son's revelation

- **James 5:11; Romans 4:11–12.**

3. Paul's mission

4. Paul isolation

### III. Application

A. Depend On the Spirit

B. Receive God's Grace

- **2 Chronicles 33:1–2. & 10–13.**