

For Freedom Christ Has Set Us Free  
The Purpose of the Law  
Galatians 3:19

Oscar Wilde once said, "The suspense is terrible. I hope it will last." What makes a story good, whether in book form or movie form is the tension that builds and then is ultimately resolved. Tension helps us ask the right questions. It keeps us engaged in the story.

1. The law was added because of \_\_\_\_\_
2. The law was added to point us to the \_\_\_\_\_
3. The law was added to \_\_\_\_\_ us
4. The law was added to be our \_\_\_\_\_

The law was given to us to give us a picture of God's nature and character in a way that we could understand it. It was given to us to move us from indifference and ignorance to desperation and an acute awareness of a need to be rescued. It is our prison guard until Christ comes into our lives and frees us by faith as we place our trust in Him.