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WOW – Word on Wednesday
Blessings Beneath the Burden
Galatians 6:1-9

Intro: Situations and circumstances have a way of wearing us down. Trials can pile up, people can disappoint you, and even doing right can feel heavy at times. Paul’s encouragement in Galatians 6 reminds us that in our hard seasons we are called to lift each other up and discover the strength we didn’t know we had. The weight you feel is not being wasted - what feels heavy today is producing a harvest tomorrow!

1. Restoring the Restoration of Others (vs 1-2)

- *The Motive:* We are called to restore a brother or sister caught in a fault, rather than judging them or gossiping about them. Jeremiah 30:17
Psalm 51:12
- *The Manner:* Watch your own heart carefully, while restoring others. Ezekiel 36:26
- We are all one choice or thought away from falling in the same temptation. 1 Corinthians 10:13
- *The Mission:* Carrying each other’s heavy emotional and spiritual burdens to fulfill the love of Christ. Philippians 2:4
1 John 3:17

2. Responsibility with Personal Humility (vs 3-5)

- *The Danger of Pride:* Thinking that you are too important to help others is self-deception. Proverbs 29:23
- *The Standard of Self-Examination:* Evaluate your own life and actions before God. Proverbs 27:2
- *The Duty:* Carry your own load and be honest with God about your responsibilities. Romans 14:10-12

3. Reaping the Harvest of Promise (vs 6-8)

- *The Partnership:* Share financial and material resources with the spiritual leaders who teach you the Word of God. Genesis 8:22
- *The Reality:* God cannot be fooled – your choices inevitably produce matching consequences. (vs 7)
- *The Two Fields:* Sowing to satisfy selfish desires leads to spiritual ruin, while sowing to please God leads to great joy, peace, and eternal life.

“I’m reaping the harvest God promised me, take back what the devil stole from me!”