

**Return Ticket**  
**Galatians 4:8-20**  
**Living the Gospel, 14**  
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**We can be tempted to return to the old way of life.** 4:8-11

***Why would someone ever want to go back?***

**We can guard against temptation as we ...** 4:12-20

- Regularly compare the old life and the new life. v. 12
- Honestly consider what caused the change in desire. v. 13-16
- Carefully clarify where your desires lie. v. 17-18
- Decisively commit to the vision of seeing Christ formed in you. v. 19-20

**APPLICATION**

Why are you tempted to return to a life of living by rules?

What will you do this week to cultivate a heart that doesn't want to go back?

**Quotes:**

"What always drives us, at the soul level, is that if I believe I cannot trust God for the satisfaction of my soul, then I will take my soul's satisfaction into my own hands. I may not acknowledge that even to myself."

John Ortberg