

BELPRES CHURCH

WAITING TO BE KING

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³ have mercy on me, Lord,
for I call to you all day long.

⁴ Bring joy to your servant, Lord,
for I put my trust in you.

¹⁴ Arrogant foes are attacking me, O God;
ruthless people are trying to kill me—
they have no regard for you.

¹⁵ But you, Lord, are a compassionate and gracious God,
slow to anger, abounding in love and faithfulness.

¹⁶ Turn to me and have mercy on me;
show your strength in behalf of your servant;
save me, because I serve you
just as my mother did.

¹⁷ Give me a sign of your goodness,
that my enemies may see it and be put to shame,
for you, Lord, have helped me and comforted me.

– Psalm 86:3-4, 14-17

Discussion Questions: Read Galatians 4:8-10, 5

1. Paul's concern for the Galatians in chapter 4 is the people will become _____ of the elementary principles of the world. What is it?
2. Why do you think Paul used this word?
3. Yet again in Galatians 5 we hear the commandment of "Love your neighbor as yourself," How do the fruit of the Spirit benefit this endeavor?
4. Once we do walk in step with the Spirit, Paul yet again warns the Galatians at the very end of chapter 5. What is his warning, and why do you think Paul mentions it?