



“Objections to the Divine Declaration”

Galatians 2:17-18 • part 7

INTRODUCTION

- removing road blocks...

- analytic *v.* synthetic justification

Mt. 5:48; Rom. 3:10

- how does justification become a reality?

- dependent upon Christ's sufficiency *v.* contingent upon your works

OBJECTION #1: It is contradictory (2:17)

- “*simul justus et peccator*” — a contradiction?

- Jesus “a minister of sin”?

Mt. 5:20, 48

OBJECTION #2: It promotes godlessness (2:18)

- ‘Jesus kept the Law...
yet Paul encourages Gentiles to not keep the Law’

- Paul's life as a Law-keeper

Phil. 3:4-6

CONCLUSION