

Galatians 1:7(MSG)

7. *It is not a minor variation, you know; it is completely other, an alien message, a no-message, a ___ about God. Those who are provoking this agitation among you are turning the Message of Christ on its head.*

Paul did not consider this a "minor variation" as the Message says. Paul knew that FREEDOM + ANYTHING = NO _____ at all.

What is the Gospel?

NT:2098: "euangelion"

"Good tidings" of the kingdom of God and of salvation through Christ, to be received by faith, on the basis of His **expiatory** death, His burial, resurrection, and ascension... (Vine's Expos. Dictionary)

Expiation: the act of _____ for sin or wrongdoing (especially appeasing a deity)

Only the Gospel answers THE 4 questions:

(Write scripture references and notes below each)

Creation: Man - Who am I? (**Identity**)

Fall: Man - Why do I do what I do? (**Problem**)

Redemption: Man - What can I do? (**Solution**)

Restoration: Man - What about my future? (**Hope**)

Home:

In your own words, write YOUR story in response to "THE 4 questions" that every person asks. If you are a Christian, this is a helpful way of articulating your testimony in a meaningful way, similar to what we did together during the "Google Heaven" series. If you are not a Christian, we would love to talk with you about it!

Who am I? (**Identity**) - *Who WAS I?*

Why do I do what I do? (**Problem**) – *How and when did I realize I had a "problem"?*

What can I do? (**Solution**) – *Explain how Jesus became your solution*

What about my future? (**Hope**) – *How has the big picture changed for you?*
