

Gal. 3:19-24

¹⁹. What then is the Law? It was added because of transgressions, until the ‘seed’ comes to whom it is promised – being ordered through angels by the hand of a mediator – ²⁰. The mediator is not one, but God is One.

²¹. Therefore, is the Law against/contrary to the Promise of God? Certainly not! For if a law which is able to give life was given, then righteousness would have been from Law. ²². The Scripture confined everything under sin, so that the promise by faith in Jesus Christ may be given to those who believe. ²³. Before faith came, we were held under guard by the Law. That is, we were locked up for the faith about to be revealed. ²⁴. Thus, the Law became a constraining guardian to us toward Christ, so that we may be justified by faith.