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Chapter three - Doctrinal section Chs. 3 & 4 -

The blessings already received ! (3:1-14)

3:1-14

Paul & the study of the Torah -
Paul's respect & admiration for the Torah -
Paul had put his trust in Christ. ("faith")
"Bewitched" -
(The efficacy of the cross) -

These Galatians had "trusted" - ("faith") -
all their gifts had come by "faith" -
→ "Abraham believed God, & it was reckoned unto him for righteousness" -
[The righteous shall live by faith]

3:15-22

The principle of faith illustrated from the case of Abraham.

→ [The (law) was never set to secure salvation] -
[It was intended to reveal sin]
[It showed men that they needed justification]
[It showed men that they were helpless]
[It " them that they needed a Redeemer]
[It was ordained to lead men to Christ]

The (law) is not contrary to the promise
[It made men conscious of their sins & nee
[It was to prepare men for the coming of the Redeemer]

Faith in Christ made them "Sons & heirs" -
[free access to the Father]