

TELL THE PEOPLE

- A. TELL THE GOOD NEWS OF THE GOSPEL
- B. MAKE DISCIPLES OF OUR CONVERTS
- C. MODEL THE CHRISTIAN LIFE TO EVERYONE

SCRIPTURE: ACTS 5:20

INTRODUCTION

THIS SCRIPTURE GIVES US AN OUTLINE OF OUR MISSION IN THE WORLD. WE ARE FIRST TO GO WHEREVER PEOPLE ARE, TAKE A STAND FOR JESUS CHRIST, AND GIVE THE GOOD NEWS OF JESUS CHRIST.

I. GO -- TAKE THE INITIATIVE

MARK 16:15 NIV HE SAID UNTO THEM, "GO INTO ALL THE WORLD AND PREACH THE GOOD NEWS TO ALL CREATION."

- A. WE ARE TO CARRY THE GOSPEL TO OTHERS
- B. WE ARE NOT TO EXPECT OTHERS TO COME TO US
- C. WE ARE TO ACT ON OUR COMMISSION

II. STAND -- TAKE A STAND

EPHESIANS 6:14-17 NIV STAND FIRM THEN, WITH THE BELT OF TRUTH BUCKLED AROUND YOUR WAIST, WITH THE BREASTPLATE OF RIGHTEOUSNESS IN PLACE, AND WITH YOUR FEET FITTED WITH THE READINESS THAT COMES FROM THE GOSPEL OF PEACE. IN ADDITION TO THIS, TAKE UP THE SHIELD OF FAITH, WITH WHICH YOU CAN EXTINGUISH THE FLAMING ARROWS OF THE EVIL ONE. TAKE THE HELMET OF SALVATION AND THE SWORD OF THE SPIRIT, WHICH IS THE WORD OF GOD.

- A. STAND IN HIS POWER
- B. STAND SECURE IN HIS CARE
- C. STAND EQUIPPED BY HIS SPIRIT
- D. STAND ARMED WITH THE WHOLE ARMOUR OF GOD

III. TELL -- TAKE THE MESSAGE

MATTHEW 28:19 NIV THEREFORE GO AND MAKE DISCIPLES OF ALL NATIONS, BAPTIZING THEM IN THE NAME OF THE FATHER AND OF THE SON AND OF THE HOLY SPIRIT.