

Help them Hear

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1. People are drawn by the preaching of the Word of God 44 No man can come to me, except the Father which hath sent me draw him: and I will raise him up at the last day. 45 It

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a. All are to be taught so we should go into all the world and preach the gospel. That is the heart of our Saviour

b. The only way to be saved is to hear the truth and learn it

Romans 10:9-15 That if thou shalt confess with thy mouth the Lord Jesus, and shalt believe in thine heart that God hath raised him from the dead, thou shalt be saved. **10** For with the heart man believeth unto righteousness; and with the mouth confession is made unto salvation. **11** For the scripture saith, Whosoever believeth on him shall not be ashamed. **12** For there is no difference between the Jew and the Greek: for the same Lord over all is rich unto all that call upon him. **13** For whosoever shall call upon the name of the Lord shall be saved. **14** How then shall they call on him in whom they have **not believed?** and how shall they believe in him of whom they **have not heard?** and how shall they hear **without a preacher?** **15** And how shall they preach, except **they be sent?** as it is written, How beautiful are

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- ii. There are senders in these verses [15](#) And how shall they preach, except **they be sent?** as it is written, How beautiful are the feet of them that preach the gospel of peace, and bring glad tidings of good things!
- c. To be saved they must hear the word [5:24](#) Verily, verily, I say unto you, He that **heareth my word**, and believeth on him that sent me, hath everlasting life, and shall not come into condemnation; but is passed from death unto life.
- d. God will do His part but we have a great responsibility to get the gospel to them. [Romans 10:17](#) So then faith *cometh* by hearing, and hearing by the word of God. [John 6:44](#) No man can come to me, except the Father which hath sent me draw him: and I will raise him up at the last day.
- i. We take the gospel to them.

- ii. The Holy Spirit convicts them of their sin
- iii. They come to the Father through Jesus
- e. How actively are you involved in getting the gospel to the world?
 - i. Do you share the gospel with your family, friends, and the people around you?
 - ii. Do you give out gospel tracts where you go?
 - iii. Do you invite people to church? They will come if invited. You do not have to be pushy to invite them
 - iv. Do you support the ministry of your church with faithful giving?
 - v. Do you pray for the Lord to send laborers to His harvest?
 - vi. Do you pray for our missionaries?
 - vii. Do you give a missionary offering?

2. You can only see the Father through Jesus **46 Not that any man hath **seen the Father**, save he which is of God, he hath seen the Father.**

- a. There is only one way to the Father **14:6 Jesus saith unto him, I am the way, the truth, and the life: no man cometh unto the Father, but by me.**

- b. We only see the Father as we see Jesus **14:8-9** Philip saith unto him, Lord, **shew us the Father**, and it sufficeth us. **9** Jesus saith unto him, Have I been so long time with you, and yet hast thou not known me, Philip? **he that hath seen me hath seen the Father;** and how sayest thou *then*, Shew us the Father?
- c. We preach the exclusivity of Christ Jesus. There is no other way to be saved. All religions are false. Jesus is the only way
3. Living bread versus dying bread **47** Verily, verily, I say unto you, He that **believeth** on me **hath everlasting life.** **48 I am that bread of life.** **49** Your fathers did eat manna in the wilderness, and are dead. **50** This is the bread which cometh down from heaven, that a man may eat thereof, and **not die.** **51** I am the **living bread** which came down from heaven: if any man eat of this bread, he shall **live for ever:** and the bread that I will give is my flesh, which I will give for the **life of the world.**
- a. Salvation, eternal life comes by believing in Jesus
- i. We are believing that He is the bread

- ii. That He came down from Heaven
- iii. That He gave His life on the cross to save us
- iv. He gave His life for the life of the world **51 I am the living bread which came down from heaven: if any man eat of this bread, he shall live for ever: and the bread that I will give is my flesh, which I will give for the life of the world.**

- b. The comparison is made between the manna and Jesus
 - i. The manna came down from heaven
 - ii. Those who ate the manna died though sustained for a time
 - iii. Jesus came to give His life not for the Jews but for the world
 - iv. If you eat the bread of life you live forever
 - v. Manna was a gift from God
 - vi. Jesus gave His life as the gift
 - vii. While the manna cost nothing Jesus death cost everything
 - viii. Jesus is far better than the manna!
- c. The manna was a picture of Jesus if only a picture
 - i. It came down from heaven

- ii. The manna was a picture of grace because it was given to a rebellious, undeserving people
- iii. They did nothing to deserve the manna or get the manna except pick it up each day
- iv. It was always enough-if you picked up too little it will still be enough
- v. If you picked up too much it was enough for the day but gathered worms before the next day
- vi. You could pick it up by faith or walk on it but it was there

4. Jesus gave His life so that we could have life **51 I am the living bread** which came down from heaven: if any man eat of this bread, he shall **live for ever:** and the bread that I will give is my flesh, which I will give for the **life of the world.**

a. Jesus dies for the world **3:16 For God so loved the world,** that he gave his only begotten Son, that whosoever believeth in him should not perish, but have everlasting life.

- b. He didn't just die for us [I John 2:2](#) **And he is the propitiation for our sins: and not for ours only, but also for *the sins of the whole world.***
- c. He gave His life for the world
- d. We must preach this good news to the whole world
 - i. It starts right where I live
 - ii. Get the gospel to those around you
 - iii. Pray for them to be saved
 - iv. Witness as you go through life
 - v. Invite people to church
 - vi. Get involved in discipleship
 - vii. Have gospel conversations
- e. As you get the gospel to those around you then see how you can help send others the gospel
 - i. Develop a real friendship with our missionaries
 - ii. Pray for them on a regular basis
 - iii. Give like you would want someone giving if you were the missionary
 - iv. Visit them on the field
 - v. Keep up with all that is going on in their lives and ministry

- vi. Spread the word. Tell others about their ministry. Be a blessing to them
- vii. It is easy to forget them when they go to the field so don't fall into that trap